Precedence

Cleaning

You can clean the outside of the Precedence imaging system components by doing the following:

- To clean the plastic or metal imaging system components, moisten a soft, static-free cloth with a non-abrasive cleaning agent and wipe the outside of the object.
- To clean the imaging table, use a disinfectant in accordance with your site protocol. Note the following:
- Do not spray aerosols or liquids on the imaging system equipment.
- Do not use solvents or abrasives on the imaging system equipment.
- Do not clean the internal components of the imaging system.

Caution If a spill occurs and liquid enters the gantry, imaging table, or acquisition equipment, the system may become damaged. Turn off the equipment, and then call a Philips Field Service Engineer.

Care and Maintenance of the Touchscreen

Warning: To avoid risk of electric shock, do not disassemble the A/C adaptor or display unit cabinet. The unit is not user-serviceable.

- Remember to unplug the display unit from the power outlet before cleaning.
- Do not use alcohol (methyl, ethyl, or isopropyl) or any strong dissolvent. Do not use thinner or benzene, abrasive cleaners or compressed air.
- To clean the display unit cabinet, use a cloth lightly dampened with a mild detergent.
- Avoid getting liquids inside your touchscreen. If liquid does get inside, contact your Philips Field Service Engineer before you power it on again.
- Do not wipe the screen with a cloth or sponge that can scratch the surface.
- To clean the touchscreen, use window or glass cleaner. Put the cleaner on the rag and wipe the touchscreen. Never apply the cleaner directly on the touchscreen.

Routine Cleaning of the System Components

Caution Incorrect cleaning may result in equipment damage.

Caution Do not use detergents or organic solvents to clean the system. Strong detergents, alcohol, and organic cleaners may damage the finish and also cause structural weakening,

Caution Blood and contrast medium are potentially infectious. Use the proper personal protection and precautions when removing blood or residual contrast medium. Use a commercial biocide, approved by your governing authority to clean the surface of the system including the table, headholders, and accessories. Alternatively, you can also use a solution of bleach and water mixed according to EPA guidelines:

- Standard cleaning requires 500-615 ppm available chlorine
- cleaning large amounts of body fluid requires 5,000- 6,150 ppm available chlorine
- when cleaning the inside of the CT component, take care to avoid leaking liquid inside.

Be careful when cleaning buttons and the inside the gantry openings to avoid liquid leaking inside the gantry.

Blood and contrast medium are health risks. Use safety precautions when removing blood or residual contrast medium. If needed, you may use diluted bleach (one part bleach to 10 parts water) to clean blood spills or stains.