

**PROTOCOL**

<b>NAME:</b> Decontamination of carriers
<b>UTILITY:</b> Cleansing of carriers prior to warming
<b>DOCUMENT:</b> DS1 <b>Date:</b> 28 May 2018

STEP	DESCRIPTION	NOTES
1	Pour LN <sub>2</sub> in the Vitrification Bath	
2	Place the Sterilizing Lid on top of the Bath and sterilize the LN <sub>2</sub> following the instructions on the User Interface. When procedure is complete (about 10') remove Lid and place it on a soft surface.	
3	Extract the first carrier from the storage dewar and quickly immerse the carrier in the Bath. Swirl the carrier back and forth for about 30". Remove and place in warming solution.	
4	Repeat procedure from beginning for each carrier	2

**NOTES**

1	This protocol is recommended if the carrier was prepared with sterile LN <sub>2</sub> and stored in sterile LN <sub>2</sub> . Protocol DS3 should be used if the carrier was prepared with non-sterile LN and stored in non-sterile LN <sub>2</sub> .
2	If you require traceability of the sterilization procedure, connect the NTERILIZER Lid to a PC and use the application software to download the data and print a label with all sterilization details (name of patient, operator, date and time of irradiation).