Central Sterile Services

**VERIFY® ASSERT™ SELF-CONTAINED BIOLOGICAL INDICATORS (SCBI)**

**Materials Needed:**
- VERIFY® Assert™ Self-Contained Biological Indicators that is within expiration
- VERIFY® Incubator for Assert SCBI
- Thermal Protective Gloves
- Chemical Indicator
- Items needed to build 16 towel pack

1. Remove the lot label and store in record keeping documentation
2. Build the test pack
3. Place the test pack on the bottom rack over the drain
4. Run the appropriate sterilization cycle
5. Upon cycle completion, review cycle printout. Allow the test pack to cool down
6. Open the test pack and interpret the chemical indicator strip per manufacturer's instructions
7. Remove the SCBI from the test pack and interpret the process indicator on the label
8. To activate the SCBI, twist the cap clockwise and flick the vial once to transfer the media to the vial
9. Place the SCBI into the incubator for. Press the corresponding well number to initiate the reading. Final results will be available within 40 minutes

**Dynamic Air Removal Cycles**
- Temperature: 270°F (132°C) 4 min
- Temperature: 275°F (135°C) 3 min

**Gravity Cycles**
- Temperature: 250° (121°C) 30 min
- Temperature: 270° (132°C) 15 min

*Prevacuum or Steam Flush Pressure Pulse (SFPP)