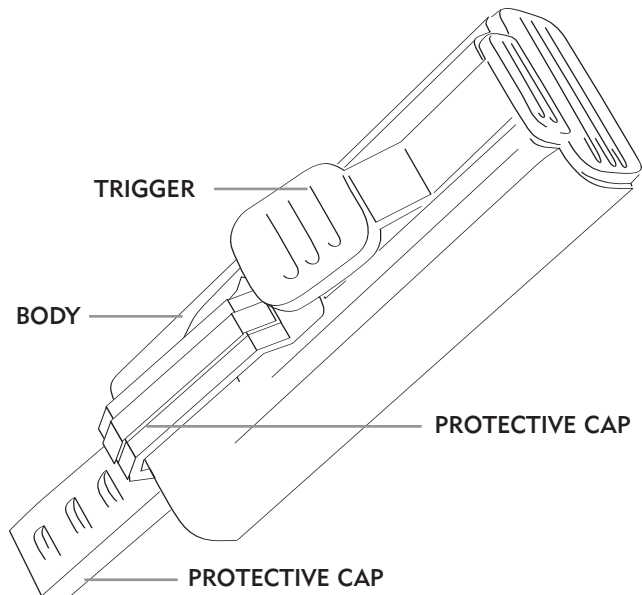


Safety Lancet

The AUTO Safety Lancet is used to obtain capillary blood samples needed for blood glucose monitoring or for other tests requiring one or two drops of blood.

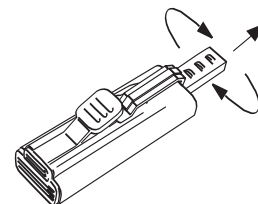


Instructions for use

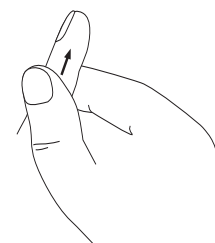
1 Prepare the puncture site.
Wash hands with warm soapy water and dry thoroughly. Rubbing hands together will also increase blood flow to the fingers and improve sample volume.

2 Select an AUTO using the guide below.

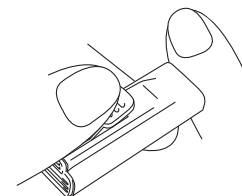
3 Grip the AUTO on each side whilst avoiding the trigger. Now rotate the protective cap until it is loose, and then simply pull it off.



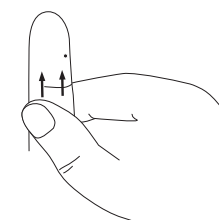
4 You are almost ready to perform the puncture, so now massage the selected finger- without touching the actual puncture site by encouraging the blood flow towards the fingertip.



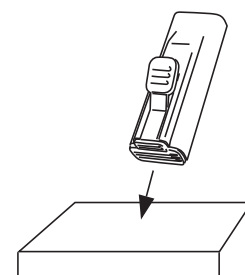
5 The side of the finger is the preferred puncture site, so apply the AUTO with a little pressure to the finger, and then press the trigger button.



6 Wait a few seconds and to ensure a usable blood sample, gently push blood up towards the puncture site using the other hand.



7 We strongly recommend that you always dispose of any used needle in a sharps container. If you don't have one, you could use a screw top plastic bottle or similar.



The range includes a choice of four depth combinations to suit all patients:

VITALCARE AUTO	RANGE		Colour
VitalCare AUTO	Junior	26g x 1.8mm	PINK
VitalCare AUTO	Soft	21g x 1.8mm	BLUE
VitalCare AUTO	Normal	21g x 2.4mm	BEIGE
VitalCare AUTO	Extra	21g x 3.0mm	GREEN

