

Stethoscope Frequently Asked Questions

Lightweight Stethoscopes

Are replacement parts available for the Lightweight stethoscopes?

No, Customers cannot order binaurals, tubing, or chest pieces.

Professional Stethoscopes

How can you tell the difference between the Professional and the Harvey Elite?

The Professional does not have a spring between the binaural pieces, but the Elite does.

How do you tell the difference between the Professional and Lightweight stethoscope?

The Professional has non-chill rims and the Lightweight does not.

Can a customer re-order tubing for the Professional?

Tubing can only be ordered with the binaural assembly. We cannot replace just the tubing.

Original Harvey Stethoscopes

How do I know which part number to use for replacement tubing?

The oldest Harvey's have two completely separate tubes (5079-63). If the tubing appears to be fused together, the customer needs the 5079-102 or 5079-105 tubing. The difference between these last two tubes depends on whether the spindle is 2 pc or 1 pc. If the spindle is 2 pc, use the 5079-102. If the spindle is 1 pc use the 5079-105. Both the 5079-63 and 5079-102 are used with a 2 pc spindle, but should not be interchanged. If their stethoscope came with the 5079-63 they should not use the 5079-102.

Does the Original Harvey have non-chill rims?

No

Does the Original Harvey contain latex?

Yes, this is our only stethoscope that does contain latex.

Harvey Elite Stethoscopes

Does the Elite have non-chill rims?

Yes

When the catalog states "tubing for 25" model" does this mean the tubing is 25" long?

No, this only means that the complete length of the stethoscope is 25". The tubing is about 17" long.

Sometimes when a customer says they are looking for the diaphragm of this scope, they may only need the diaphragm disc... not the entire diaphragm assembly.

Harvey DLX Stethoscopes

What's the best way to tell the DLX and Harvey Elite apart?

The best way to tell the DLX and Elite apart is that the DLX does not come with non-chill rims. The DLX also has a brushed finish.

Do the DLX and Harvey Elite use the same replacement tubing?

Yes, the tubing is the same for the DLX and Elite stethoscopes.