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**TITLE: ATTACHMENT OF PNEUMATIC CORD TO ALL HALL HANDPIECES**

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**PURPOSE:** To instruct the OR Nurse on proper attachment of a Pneumatic Cord to Hall Handpieces.

**CONTENT:**

1. To attach the handpiece to the hose:
  - a. Place the instrument in the "**SAFE**" position.
  - b. Grasp both the swivel end of the handpiece and the hose firmly.
  - c. Push together and twist the hose until the pins are seated in the indentations.
2. To activate the instrument:
  - a. Lift the lever and slide the safety knob to the **ON** position.
  - b. Depress the throttle lever to activate the instrument (except for the Hall Wiredriver).

**NOTE:** An automatic shut-off valve in the end of the hose permits hose removal under pressure so that the handpieces may be changed.

Reference: The Hall Micro 100 Instruction Manual