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 **WHTM 01-01 - Decontamination of medical devices within acute services
Part C: Steam sterilization and steam for sterilization**

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The new Part C of this WHTM series deals with clinical sterilizers primarily used for the sterilization of medical devices and their accessories within a sterile services department.

It is intended as a technical guide for management, for technical personnel with appropriate training and experience, and for users responsible for the procurement, maintenance, validation and operational management of equipment used for steam sterilization of medical devices within the acute healthcare environment. It will also be of interest to microbiologists, infection control officers, architects, planners, estates managers, supplies officers, and others in both the public and private sectors

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