

# Susie<sup>®</sup>

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**Gaumard<sup>®</sup>**  
Simulators for Health Care Education

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# Care and Cautions

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## Overall Warnings

Remember that damage caused by misuse is not covered by your warranty. It is critical to understand and comply with the following guidelines:

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### GENERAL

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- This simulator is constructed of material that approximates skin texture. Therefore, in handling the model, use the same gentle techniques as you would in working with a patient.
- Ball point pens, ink and markers permanently stain the skin.
- Do not wrap this or any other Gaumard product in newsprint.
- Do not use alcohol, acetone, Betadine® or any other antiseptic which contains iodine in this or any Gaumard® simulator. These products could damage or stain the skin of the simulator.
- Replacement parts are available from Gaumard Scientific or your Distributor.

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### OPERATING CONDITIONS

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Operating the simulator outside these ranges may affect performance:

- Operating temperature: 50°- 95° F (10°- 35° C).
- Humidity: 5%-95% (non-condensing).

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### STORAGE CONDITIONS

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- Improper storage may damage the simulator.
- Keep it stored in the box and/or bag provided.
- Do not stack or store heavy materials on top of the carton.
- Storage temperature: 32°- 113° F (0°- 45° C).
- Humidity: 40%-60% (non-condensing).

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### CLEANING

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- Clean the skin of the simulator after every training session. The skin should be cleaned with a cloth dampened with diluted liquid dish washing soap and dry thoroughly.
- Remove all traces of any lubricant.
- Do not clean with harsh abrasives.
- Do not use povidone iodine on the simulator.
- The simulator is “splash-proof” but not waterproof. Do not submerge or allow water to enter the interior of the simulator.

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# Equipment Set Up

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## Overview

The simulator is shipped partially assembled. Perform the following steps as part of the first installation procedure.

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### UPPER BODY

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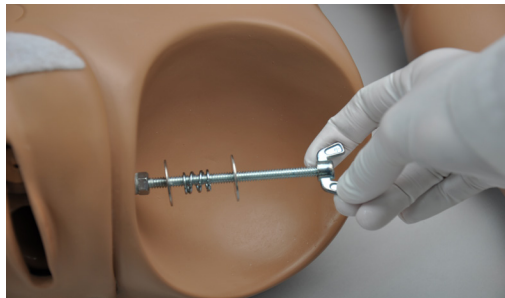
- An optional blood pressure arm may be attached to the simulator's left side.
- An optional IV arm may be attached to the simulator's right side.

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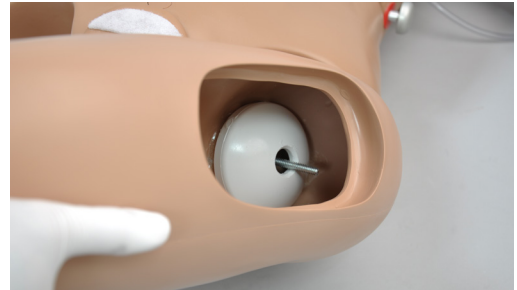
### LEG ASSEMBLY

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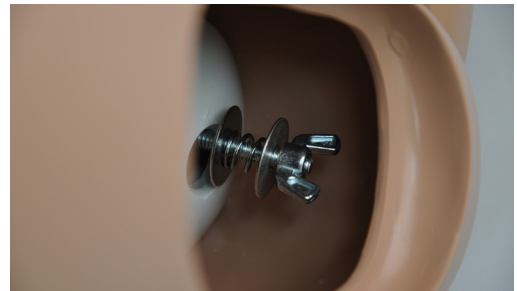
1. Place the simulator on a flat surface.
2. Remove the wing nuts, washers and springs from the bolts on the hips.



3. Remove the IM pad from each leg and slide the bolt through the orifice on the leg.



4. Reach through the IM site and assemble the fasteners onto the hip bolt in this order: washer, spring, second washer, and wing nut.



5. Tighten the wing nut until the spring is compressed slightly.
6. Repeat steps 1 - 5 with opposite leg.

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# Working with Susie®

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# Simulator Features

Disclaimer: The section below describes all possible features in the Susie Simon® simulator. Please use the table below to identify which features are standard in your model. The content of this table is subject to change without prior notice. Please contact Gaumard® Scientific for the most current information.

- Standard      ○ Not available

Features	S206 Simple Susie
Full-size adult simulator	F
Soft, lifelike face skin	●
Stylish wig for hair care exercises and surgical draping	●
Movable jaw with tongue	●
Removable upper and lower dentures for oral hygiene	●
Realistic eyes in eye sockets for ophthalmic exercises	●
Ear canal for otic drops and irrigation	●
Mouth, nose and tracheotomy openings for nasogastric lavage and gavage	○
Interchangeable male organ	○
Bends at waist	●
Intramuscular injection site in right and left upper arm	●
Intramuscular injection site in buttock	●
Enema administration capability	○
Realistic urethral passage and bladder for catheterization exercises	○

Features	S206 Simple Susie
Elevating pillow increases bladder pressure for increased flow during catheterization (male or female)	○
Realistic vagina and cervix	●
Vaginal douching and pap smear exercises	○
Sculpted stomas	○
Transverse colostomy, ileostomy, and suprapubic stoma	○
No drip thumb latch with audible click provides secure seal between ostomies and internal tanks	○
Soft, realistic hands, feet, fingers, and toes	●
Bandaging activity	●
Detachable and removable internal tanks	○
New modular tricuspid valve permits male or female catheterization with soft silicone catheters	○



# General Care Capabilities

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## BANDAGING

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Practice bandaging exercises on the fingers and toes of the simulator.

The surface of the simulator is smooth and resistant to water, oil, and liniments.

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## EYES/OPHTHALMOLOGIC EXERCISES

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The eyes of the simulator open and close, allowing the following exercises:

- Administration of orbital medicines into the conjunctival sac
- Removal of foreign bodies
- Eye irrigation

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## TEETH AND TONGUE

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The teeth and tongue are of normal size. The teeth are removable.



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## HYGIENIC CARE

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The head of the female simulators are supplied with a wig, permitting instruction in combing, shampooing, and head draping.

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## INJECTION SITES

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The injection sites are located on the deltoids, quadriceps, and upper gluteal region.

The sites are removable and equipped with an internal absorbent sponge to inject real fluids. All injection sites are replaceable items.



**If your simulator includes the Blood Pressure Arm Training System, the injection site in the left deltoid is not available.**

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## RANGE OF SIMULATED MOVEMENT

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The joints are strong and their movements are lifelike and realistic. The simulator bends at the waist, and the head and the jaw are moveable.



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## EARS, NOSE AND THROAT

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The interior of the left ear contains a simulated ear canal with a capacity of 10 ml.



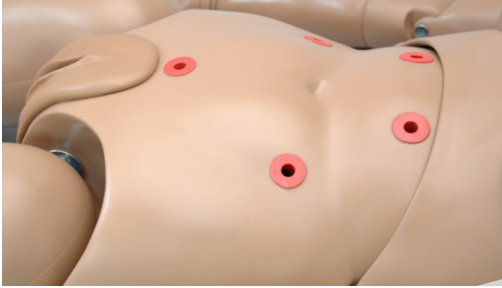
The nasal and oral openings are connected to the stomach reservoir. Use a #10 Levin tube to demonstrate tube feeding and gastric suction. The total capacity of the stomach reservoir is approximately 850 ml.

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## STOMACH

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The left gastronomy port allows direct access to the internal stomach tank. Insert a lubricated #10 Levin tube to demonstrate tube feeding and gastric suction.



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## URINARY SYSTEM

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The urethral passage and the bladder have a capacity of approximately 1800 ml. Fluid can be withdrawn from the bladder after inserting a lubricated #18 French catheter.

The suprapubic opening may be used for filling the bladder or for drainage exercises.

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## FEMALE CATHETERIZATION

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The simulator includes a realistic vulva area to practice asepsis and disinfection techniques.

To perform female catheterization, attach the red flange to the opening of the urethra.

When performing catheterization on the simulator, a #18 French catheter is recommended. Smaller catheters may cause leakage.

Always lubricate the distal end of the catheter. Once the catheter is in place, use the squeeze bulb to increase bladder pressure and supply a good flow of urine.

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## TROUBLESHOOTING CATHETERS

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There may not be an immediate outflow of water when introducing the catheter into the bladder. To clear the system, use the squeeze bulb at the side of the lower torso to increase pressure in the bladder.

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## EMPTYING THE RESERVOIR SYSTEM

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After catheterization exercises are complete, lift the abdominal cover and remove the reservoir to remove the remaining fluid from the bladder.

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## FILLING THE BLADDER

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Fill the bladder through the suprapubic opening. Instill water with a funnel (approximately 500 ml into the 1800 ml tank) through the suprapubic site or use a catheter with a large syringe.

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## DECUBITUS ULCERS (OPTIONAL)

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The simulator is supplied with two anatomically accurate decubitus ulcers. The first ulcer illustrates the initial stage of ulceration, and the second the suppuration or pus/deeply infected stage.

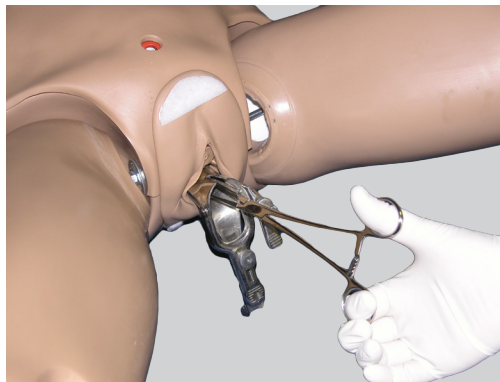


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## GYNECOLOGIC EXAMINATION (OPTIONAL)

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The Susie Simon simulator features a full-size adult female lower torso, consisting of the abdomen and pelvis, suitable for vaginal speculum examination and diaphragm sizing and fitting.



Use a tenaculum forceps to grasp and hold the cervix.

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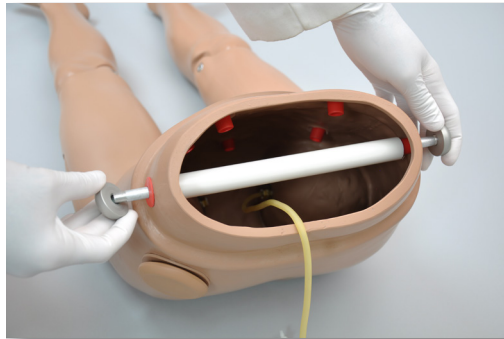
# Appendix

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## Troubleshooting

To disassemble the simulator for transportation or cleaning, complete this procedure.

1. A rod passing through the midsection of the simulator connects the upper and lower torso. To assemble the internal components of the simulator, unscrew one knob at the end of the rod.

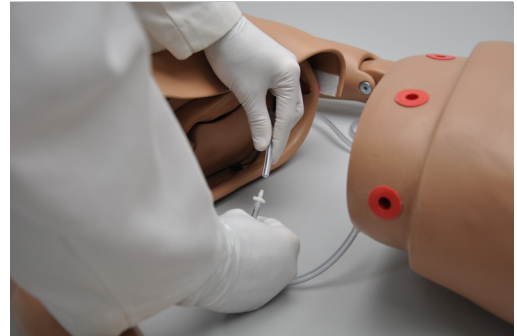


2. Pull from the side of the rod where the second knob is attached.

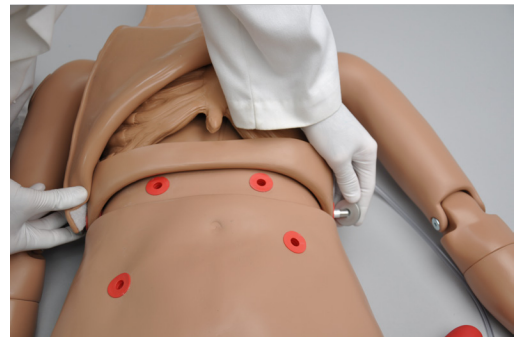


3. Remove the rod from within the white guide tube and place aside. Ensure the white guide tube remains in place.

4. Locate the pulse line located within the upper and the lower torso and connect both ends together. The connector is a simple press fit attachment.



5. Ease the lower torso into the upper torso, aligning the red ports on the side. Slide the waist rod through the ports and replace the waist knob.



# Warranty

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## EXCLUSIVE ONE-YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

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2. Be next to the simulator if troubleshooting is needed.

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