

# R & L SPOT® Disposable X-Ray Markers for General Imaging during COVID-19

## Customer Testimonials

“Before COVID-19 we didn’t use disposable R/L markers, but it only makes sense to use something disposable with a positive or presumptive positive patient. **The most important reason to use disposable markers on these patients is so there is minimized risk of you carrying the virus from room to room and all over the hospital on our permanent markers.** We wipe them down after every patient anyway but they’re in our pockets, next to our pens, our cell phones etc. It’s just better safe than sorry and helps eliminate the risk of spreading those germs. I’ve encouraged the staff to keep using them on potential flu cases as well, as we’re almost to that time of year.”

~Diagnostic Imaging Center, Pendleton, OR

“Staff are very concerned using their own markers on infectious patients or potential COVID patients and were not using markers. They very much welcome the disposable markers which allows them to properly mark laterality on exams and be compliant in what is expected. In addition, maintaining safe practices. The most important reason to use disposable, one-time use R & L SPOT markers are to help reduce the spread of infection to patients and staff. And **staff love them! The disposable markers give them additional sense of protection during this unprecedented time during the pandemic.**”

~Administrative Director of Radiology Services, Ravenna, OH

“Before COVID-19 I rarely used these markers. During the crisis these markers should be used to help prevent spreading infection. If I used my own lead markers, **I would think they could be a fomite and I would not only spread this virus to my patient, I could spread it to my family.** Disposable markers should be part of the new normal for patient and personnel care in a Radiology Department.”

~Lead Technologist, Kingston, NY

“COVID-19 has definitely changed the use of disposable R & L SPOT markers. **We are currently using them with all patients. The most important reason is for the safety of our employees.** Before COVID-19, our radiologists wanted our tech initials on all radiographs, but now we are more focused on protecting our employees and patients. We have a COVID-19 unit, it is imperative when we are doing portable x-rays, that we do not use the same markers from patient to patient. Sure, before the tech would wipe down their own personal marker in between patients, then put the marker back in their pocket or tape it back to their name tag. This is no longer the case. Since we don’t know much about this virus, it’s just best not to re-use anything that has been used in any patient encounter. Especially, if it goes back to the department or home with you. I used to think that these disposable SPOTs were expensive, but they are really priceless, when it comes down to safety.”

~Radiology Manager, Richmond, TX

“We have used R & L SPOT markers exclusively on portable chest x-rays on patients with symptoms on a single use basis, so we have increased the use tremendously. **We are always conscious of cross contamination by using the one time use only marker.** We like having them readily available and don’t have to waste time looking to have to retrieve them when done with the exam, which, prolongs time spent in the room searching for markers.”

~Imaging Manager, Leon, IA

“I would say we used disposable R & L SPOT markers even more now with COVID-19 as wiping down our personal markers are not considered our best route. **We like that they are single use throw away.** Disposable is probably going to be the best route for the immediate future of marking films as I see going forward.”

~Imaging Manager, Fairfield, CA

“The disposable R & L marker have aide in the fight against COVID-19 by way of single usage. This allows us to toss them after using when we do COVID or possible COVID patients. We have a room that has been set aside for such patients and that is where they are utilized the most. **The most important reason for using these markers is to cut down on the any contamination or spread of the virus.**”

~Technologist, Lancaster, CA

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## The Sanitary Alternative to Permanent Markers

Ensure anatomical orientation on all images is permanently identified as “Right” or “Left” with Beekley Medical’s disposable x-ray markers – the sanitary alternative to permanent markers.

When used over and over, permanent x-ray markers and the tapes used to secure them can harbor and spread opportunistic and pathogenic bacteria.

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- Burn Units
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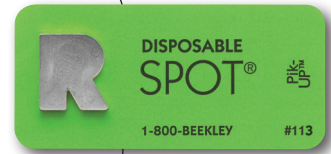
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### R-SPOT®

REF 113 QTY 64 / Box

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