# **BAR GUN CLEANING & SANITIZING GUIDE**

### DAILY

**Cleaning Bar Gun** 



STEP 1 Wash hands with soap and water.



STEP 2 Prepare 2.5 gallons of Kay-5® or chlorinebased sanitizer solution in a dedicated bucket. Stir until crystals are dissolved. See packet for instructions and necessary precautions



**STEP 3** Determine if nozzle is twist lock or o-ring. Remove bar gun nozzles by twisting or pulling off the bar gun.



STEP 4 Clean nozzles with sanitizer solution and a dedicated nozzle brush. Place nozzles in sanitizing solution for 3 minutes.



Disassemble bar gun holster and clean with sanitizer solution. Place holster in sanitizing solution for

3 minutes.



Using clean cloth dipped in sanitizer, clean all parts of bar gun holster to include mounting bracket.



STEP 7 Place nozzles and holster on dry, clean cloth. Allow to air dry.



Using clean cloth dipped in sanitizer, completely clean diffuser and handle



Clean the grooves of sheathing with sanitizer solution and dedicated nozzle brush



**STEP 10** Using clean cloth dipped in sanitizer, clean sheathing, allowing to air dry.



**STEP 11** Empty ice bin and pour in approximately 1/2 gallon of Kay-5<sup>®</sup> or chlorinebased solution.



**STEP 12** Clean all exterior splash areas around the bar gun, ice bin and holster with clean cloth dipped in sanitizer.

WEEKLY Clean and Sanitize All Bag-in-Box



STEP 13



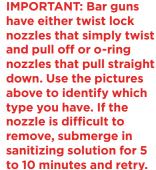
**STEP 14** Again, wash hands with soap and water.



**STEP 15** Fill the bar gun ice bin with cubed ice and wait 15-20 minutes before dispensing drinks.

**STEP 16** 

Reinstall bar gun holsters and nozzles once dry. Activate the soda water button for 10 seconds and taste a drink from each beverage.



(BIB) Connectors



Disconnect syrup line from Bag-in-Box.





same time if they are

properly labeled.

IMPORTANT Additional Food Safety Items



Use only dedicated ice Keep ice bin closed buckets/scoops when handling beverage ice. Clean ice scoop and holder daily



Use caution in preparation and handling of sanitizer solution; follow package instructions.

when not in use.



Do NOT use soap, bleach, detergent steel wool scouring pads or abrasives when cleaning bar guns and components.



Do NOT use bar gun handle to break up or stir ice; it will damage the bar gun.



Do NOT dispense liquids over or into ice bin. Ensure bar gun holster is not mounted directly above ice bin.



Do NOT store items in ice bins for this can cause contamination and warm/flat drinks.

#### Serve no fountain beverages during Boil Water Advisories.

Once lifted, refer to Start-Up Procedures or go to: http://www.cokesolutions.com/Operations/Pages/Site%20Pages/ Dispensed%20Beverage%20Quality.aspx or call 1-800-241-2653.

# **BAR GUN TROUBLESHOOTING**

#### TEMPERATURE

#### Drinks Warm or Flat Finished drinks should be cold without ice

- Ice bin full of cubed ice and being occasionally stirred to prevent bridging
- Nothing but ice stored in bin
- CO<sub>2</sub> pressure in back room set correctly
- Syrup tubing from cold plate to manifold wrapped in black insulation tape
- If no drinks drawn in last 30 minutes, draw and discard a 24-oz. serving of soda water

#### RATIO

Finished drinks taste too sugary or watered down

- Ensure BIBs connected and not empty
- Low pressure or grey CO<sub>2</sub> regulator in back room set at 65 PSI
- Request ratio check by Coca-Cola<sup>®</sup> technician

#### CARBONATOR MAKES LOUD NOISE

- Ensure water supply turned on
- Ensure water filter cartridges within date and providing adequate water supply

#### **OFF-TASTE OR ODOR**

Product has an off-taste or odor

- Ensure nozzle, holster and ice bin cleaned and sanitized daily
- Underground chase not full of liquid
- Water filter cartridges within date
- Ice bin not contaminated

#### BAR GUN LEAKING OR NOZZLE LOOSE

- Ensure bar gun not being used to break ice
- Ensure bar gun being placed in holster to avoid dropping on floor
- Determine if nozzle is twist lock or o-ring

IMPORTANT: Bar guns have either twist lock nozzles that simply twist and pull off or o-ring nozzles that pull straight down. If the nozzle is difficult to remove, submerge in sanitizing solution for 5 to 10 minutes and retry.

## **SMALL PARTS**

#### What if I need a small part?

Refer to the chart below to determine which small part you may need. Call **1-800-241-COKE (2653)** and talk with a Customer Service Representative to order the part you need. Your order will be shipped to your location at no charge to you.





Bar Gun Nozzle Part # - Ask Tech

Thermometer Part #17610



Lower Valve

Body Brush

Part #12701



Kay-5® Sanitizer Part #25823



Sanitary Drip Cup Part #114927 Wunder-Bar



Sanitary Drip Cup Part #119454 Schroeder



Gauge Air Pressure Digital Part #20953

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