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Optimal Device Performance Guide
ENDOPATH® ETS Articulating Linear Cutter 45mm

Loading the stapler
Please note there is no longer a red jaw insert that needs to be removed prior to loading the device.

1. Angling the reload, slide in and snap securely into place.

2. Remove the staple retaining cap by lifting it straight up and discard.

3. Observe the surface of the reload to ensure no colored drivers are visible and that the reload lies flat in the jaw channel.

4. Verify the reload is properly loaded. If the reload is improperly loaded, the jaws of the device will not close.

Firing the stapler

1. Close the jaws by squeezing closing trigger toward the handle until it locks. An audible click indicates that the closing trigger is locked.

2. Holding the jaws in place after closing for 15 seconds prior to firing may result in better compression and better staple formation.

3. Fire the instrument by squeezing the firing trigger completely with one continuous, smooth stroke until it rests on the closing trigger.

4. Illustration showing completed firing position.

Opening the stapler

To open the jaws, squeeze the closing trigger and simultaneously push the release button.