

BANSHIN

Managed Medical Equipment Class II
 Medical Equipment Validation Number: 220AGBZX00081000

温灸器 **バンシン** (BS-10)



Instruction Manual (Guarantee included)

Introduction

Thank you for purchasing the electric moxa holder "Banshin".

"Banshin" can be used as the conventional acupuncture and moxibustion of oriental medicine to stimulate pressure point.

Precautions

Banshin is a heating moxibustion stimulation equipment. In order to avoid low temperature burn, please read this manual carefully for safe operation.



WARNING SIGNS

Please read the warning signs in this manual carefully before using Banshin to avoid malfunctioning.



CONTRAINDICATION

DO NOT use Banshin if you are inapplicable or it could result in death or



WARNING

Neglect of this precautionary notice could result in death or serious injury.



CAUTION

Neglect of this precautionary notice could result in injury or damages.

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Warranty

Product Name	Banshin
Product ID	BS-10
Lot Number	
Date of Purchase	yyyy/mm/dd

THE WARRANTY IS ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE OF PURCHASE

Address _____

Name _____

THIS WARRANTY IS NOT VALID OUTSIDE JAPAN.

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Specifications

Applicable temperature	15 – 35 degrees centigrade
Stimulation temperature	Maximum 65*
Heat stimulation period	Around 0.4 – 1.0 second (automatically stops after this period)
Heat stimulation area	Around 1.0mm square
Continuous use capability	Around 20,000 times (depending on the conditions)
Batteries	Lithium CR2 (3V) x2
Rating	6.0V 2.2W
Size	Length 128mm × φ20mm
Weight	60g (including batteries)

*Unloaded condition with small thermocouple. The temperature may be lower depending on the measurement method.

Manufacturer

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⚠ WARNING

1. Do not use Banshin if it looks aberrant or the parts don't assemble correctly.
2. Do not use Banshin when the skin is being sensitive and do not stimulate a same spot for a long time. It may lead to inflammation or burn.
3. Do not use Banshin for any purposes other than moxibustion.
4. Do not use Banshin in a place exposed to high humidity such as bathroom. Neglect of this may cause failure.
5. Avoid using after taking sleeping pills or when being ebrious.
6. Do not disassemble or modify Banshin.
7. Do not put Banshin in a fire. It may ruin the battery and may release hazardous material.

⚠ CAUTION

Use Condition

1. If you intend to use Banshin with another medical equipment you must consult your doctor beforehand.
2. The very fragile tip part of Banshin, the micro-heater, has to be handled with care. Do not drop, hit, pinprick or damage with cutlery to avoid breakage.
3. Since Banshin is a precision measuring equipment, do not drop or hit otherwise it may lead to breakage.
4. The batteries have to be handled with care to avoid ignition or explosion by short out.

Pre-Setting Cautions

1. Ensure that Banshin operates correctly.
2. If you haven't used Banshin for a while, read through this manual carefully again then make sure it operates correctly.
3. Insert batteries, observing the polarities positive (+) and negative (-) markings.

Cautions While Using

1. If you are insensitive with temperature, treat Banshin with great care since the tip of Banshin can be very hot.
2. Do not stimulate one affected part repeatedly.

⚠ CONTRAINDICATION

DO NOT use Banshin if

1. You have malignant tumor.
2. You have heart disease.
3. You might have lost your temperature sense.
4. You are in the early stages of pregnancy or you have just delivered a child.
5. You are perceptually-disabled caused by advanced peripheral circulatory disturbance.
6. You need bed rest.
7. You got a fever of over 38 degrees centigrade.
8. You have acute pain caused by vertebral fracture, sprain, muscle strain.
9. You have the experience of low temperature burn.

3. Before using Banshin consult your doctor if you have high blood pressure, irregular heartbeat, sleep apnea syndrome, or asthma.
4. If you feel unwell while using Banshin, stop stimulating immediately and consult your doctor. It is recommended to show this manual to the doctor.
5. If you notice any irregular function or failure with Banshin, stop using immediately and contact our After-Sale Service.
6. If the LED doesn't light even if the switch is on, replace and check the connection of the batteries.

Storage Cautions

1. To keep Banshin clean, follow the "Daily Maintenance and Cleaning Instruction" on the back.
2. Always put the nose cap to the tip after using Banshin.
3. Be careful not to step on Banshin and fall.
4. Do not place Banshin under moist or wet conditions.
5. Store in a cool place avoiding direct sunlight.
6. Keep Banshin out of child's reach.
7. If you don't use Banshin for a while take the batteries off to avoid leakage and the failure.
8. When disposing Banshin, follow applicable local regulation.

■ Trouble Shooting

Complaint	Possible Factor	Antidote
Banshin stops functioning.	The cap is not firmly closed.	Ensure that it's placed tightly.
	Loose battery connection	Insert batteries according to correct polarities positive (+) and negative (-) markings.
	Red LED light was illuminating last time.	Replace all the batteries with new ones.
	Others	Please contact our after sale services.
Banshin does not function after a long interval.	The batteries are not inserted correctly.	Ensure the batteries are inserted correctly.
	The batteries are out of charge.	Replace all the batteries with new ones.
No feeling of Stimulation.	Others	Please contact our after sale services.
Banshin has been dropped.	The impact may lead Banshin to failure.	Your Banshin may be out of order.
Banshin has been wet.	It may lead to failure.	Please contact our after sale services.

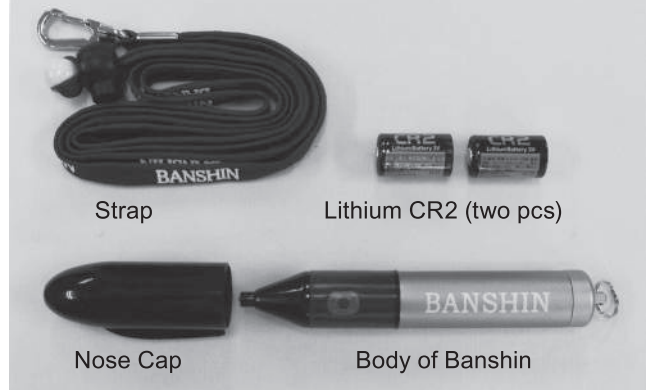
■ Repair and After-Sale Services

1. If you notice any disorder or failure, please contact the retailing store or our after sale services. The specialist will consult a proper action. Never disassemble or modify Banshin yourself.
2. If you wish to repair Banshin, overpack the product and send it to the address on the warranty. After consulting the failure, we'll issue the estimate and repair.
* **Servicing not available outside Japan.**

■ Parts Description



■ Package Contents /



Others:

- Instruction manual
- User Registration Form
- * **Not valid outside Japan**

■ Instruction

For the initial trial, you must first try Banshin for thick skin such as your palm, then proceed trial use for thinner skin gradually. The stimulus strength depends on the skin thickness and skin strength.

Basic Instruction and Features

Applicable Cases

Twitching muscle, convulsion, muscle pain, and other cases requiring acupuncture and moxibustion treatment.

Treated Area

Site of pain, related tender reaction point, pressure points along the pain, and acupuncture points along the pain.

Operation

- (1) Take off the nose cap.
- (2) Touch the acupuncture point with the tip of Banshin.
- (3) Press the push-button switch to turn on Banshin. It starts heating.
- (4) Remove the Banshin from the acupuncture point.

* While stimulating, the green LED light will illuminate with a sound of beep.

* The appropriate stimulation time is approximately one second. The heating stops automatically.

* Keep pressing the push-button switch until the green LED light stops illuminating.

* If the LED light turns to red, remove Banshin from the human body immediately.

- (5) After using Banshin you must replace the cap tightly to protect the tip.

Stimulation Time

In principle, one second of stimulation for one spot is effective enough. Nevertheless, if you desire more stimulation for the same spot, you must stir the tip slightly to keep stimulating.

The Feeling of Stimulation

When turning on Banshin, it gives you a slight thermal pricking.



⚠ CAUTION

- When the acupuncture point on the skin has low temperature, the green LED light illuminates longer.
- Room temperature below 15 degrees centigrade may lead to unstable stimulation. Under these conditions turn on Banshin several times without touching skin.
- Red LED illumination is a sign that the batteries need replacing. Replace all the batteries with new ones.
- Weak batteries may negatively affect the stability of stimulation temperature and may lead to slight burn.

⚠ CAUTION

- Do not stimulate one affected part repeatedly. It may lead to slight burn.
- The feeling of stimulation with Banshin must not be beyond "comfortable pricking". If you're given very strong feeling of stimulation with pain, the skin may be delicate. Do not keep using Banshin otherwise it may lead to slight burn.

■ Before First Use:

- (1) Rotate the cap anticlockwise to open.

* Do not hold the ring while rotating the cap. It may lead to deformity.



- (2) Insert batteries, observing the polarities positive (+) and negative (-) markings.



- (3) Rotate the cap clockwise. Ensure that the cap is firmly closed.

* Do not hold the ring while rotating the cap. It may lead to deformity.



■ Available Batteries

Always use **two Lithium CR2 (3V) batteries**.

* Batteries of all suppliers available.

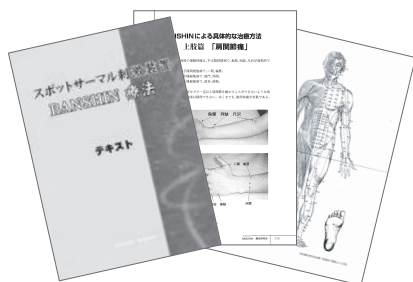
■ Daily Maintenance and Cleaning

1. Ensure that your Bانشin has normal appearance and is assembled properly.
2. Turn on Bانشin more than once before using. Ensure that green LED light illuminates, not the red LED light.
3. Red LED illumination is a sign that the batteries need replacing. Replace all the batteries with new ones.
4. For the initial trial, touch Bانشin's tip to your thick skin such as your palm and ensure that there's no abnormally strong pain.
5. When applying Bانشin to a new user or patient, always clean and sterilize the tip of Bانشin with alcohol swab.
6. When cleaning and sterilizing Bانشin, handle with extreme care since the tip of Bانشin is very fragile.
7. Always clean the body of Bانشin and the accessories with dry cloth after usage.
8. When Bانشin smears, clean with rubbing alcohol-dampen cloth.
9. Never immerse Bانشin in water.

■ For more detailed instruction

Please purchase "BANSHIN Treatment" text book.

* Available only in Japanese.



■ Replacing Batteries

- Red LED illumination is a sign that the batteries need replacing. Replace all the batteries with new ones.
- The battery duration depends on use frequency.
- Always replace both two batteries at the same time. Avoid using old and new batteries together. Always use fresh batteries of same brand.
- When store or dispose the removed batteries, insulate them by taping.
- When disposing the used batteries, follow applicable local regulation.
- If you do not use Bانشin for a long period of time, remove the batteries. Neglect of this may lead to leakage or failure.
- Lithium CR2 battery is non-rechargeable. Charging non-rechargeable batteries will cause battery explosion, leakage, injury or fire.

⚠ WARNING

- The batteries contain combustible materials such as lithium, organic solvent, and improper use may lead to battery explosion, leakage, injury or fire, so read the instruction on the battery package carefully before usage.
- Do not recharge, short, disassemble, drop, deform, solder, heat or fire the batteries.
- Do not store the batteries with metallic accessories. It may lead to shorting out.

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