The hazards are negligible and should be avoided by people with care and a sense of responsibility.

Avoiding hazards: It is essential to prioritize personal safety by following the guidelines provided in this document.

Safety instructions: Always follow the instructions provided in this document to ensure personal safety.

In summary, it is crucial to prioritize personal safety and follow the guidelines provided in this document.
1. Ensure the pencil is not connected to the generator.

2. Grasp the insulating sleeves on the pencil. Insert the electrode into the pencil.

3. Insert the tip of the insulating sheath at least 1/8" (3 cm) into the nose of the pencil so that the tip of the electrode is exposed. The lip protector covers the end of some electrodes. If a lip protector is present, remove it before use.

4. Hex electrodes have a depth indicator. The end of the hex indicator should be flush with the tip of the insulating sheath. Wrap the electrode around the cathode with moist gauze.

5. If the electrode is covered, make sure to wrap the moist gauze around the cathode. These electrodes are disposable and must be removed and disposed of after use. The electrodes are intended for single use.

Note: The electrodes can be used with both thoracic and endoscopic electrocautery. The same procedure is used for both. Electrocautery needs to be turned off before changing the electrodes. Any change in settings for electrocautery must be turned off before changing the electrodes.

Warning: Do not modify or add to the electrode or to the insulator of the electrocautery device. This could cause injury or damage to the operation of the device.