APPENDIX A



Laser Safety Checklist

Pre-Operative

□ Laser door signs/goggles all doors	☐ Fire extinguisher in room
□ Windows covered (holmium, CO2 not required	□ Keys obtained (locked cupboard)
□ Water in basin	☐ Appropriate laser goggles (wave length and ocular density checked)
□ Foot peddle accessible	□ Metal garbage can with lid
□ Non-reflective laser instruments	□ Smoke evacuator tested
□ Laser test fired	Colposcopy – stackhouse smoke evac Laparoscopy – AMT endoscopy smoke evac Holmium Laser – not required
CO2 LASER = TEST FIRE 10 WATTS + 100MJ ULTRAPULSE FOR ALL PROCEDURES	
Intra-Operative	
□ All staff wearing appropriate laser goggles	
 □ Patient: Asleep – Saline soaked eye pads and goggles Awake – Appropriate laser goggles □ All staff wearing laser mask or N95 mask for colposcopy 	
□ Site draped: wet towels for holmium and colposcopy	
□ Water in basin all procedures	
□ Non-reflective instruments	
Post-Operative	
□ Laser documentation and log completed	
□ Keys returned	
□ Laser and accessories cleaned and stored properly	
□ Laser malfunctions noted and reported	
□ Laser safety goggles cleaned	