

# Care Card™

## Trumpet

(Piston Valve)

### DAILY

1. Oil valves during practice time at home.
2. Wipe finger prints and perspiration off the finish with a soft cloth.
3. Wash out Mouthpiece using water and a mouthpiece brush.

### WEEKLY

1. Flush the bore of the instrument with cold or luke warm water.
2. Use a flex brush (snake) to clean the mouthpipe and bore of the instrument where things tend to collect.
3. Flush the bore of the instrument again to rinse.
4. Dry off Instrument and do the regular Daily maintenance.

### MONTHLY

1. Do regular weekly maintenance.
2. Pull all tuning slides, clean and rinse each one with flex brush and water. Wipe old lubricant off Slides and apply fresh lubricant.
3. Clean and Polish Valve Casings with cleaning rod and lint free cloth, making sure that no part of a metal cleaning rod is exposed to the casing.
4. Do regular daily maintenance.

### YEARLY

1. Take your instrument to a qualified repair technician for adjustment and chemical deep clean.

### SUPPLIES NEEDED

Soft Cloth, Valve Oil, Tuning Slide Grease, Brass Mouthpiece Brush, Flex Brush/ Snake



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