

Upstate University Hospital (ICU's, OR, ED, 9E)

“Covidien Temperature Sensing Foley Trial”

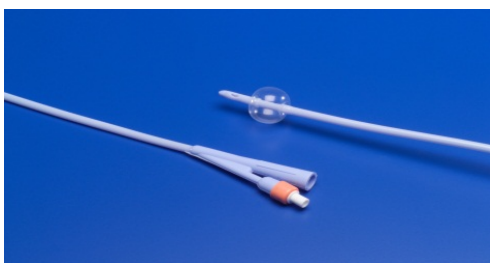
4/6/15 to 5/31/15

TIP & TECHNIQUES



PREPPING COMPONENTS

- Prepping tray set up to maintain Aseptic Technique.
- Prepping protocols remain the same.
- Lubrication Jelly is in bellow syringe, top pops off easily with one hand and push lubrication out like an accordion.
- Insertion sticker allows you to label with clinicians initials, time and date of insertion as a visual reminder may be placed on clear tubing.



CATHETER INSERTION

- Insertion protocol does NOT change.
- Please remember to use all 10ccs of water to properly inflate balloon.
- Blue Catheter is 100% Silicone is completely LATEX FREE.
- Catheter softens another 30% as it warms inside patient's body temperature.
- If catheter becomes contaminated prior to insertion, discard ENTIRE tray and obtain new tray.



TUBE MANAGEMENT CLIP/ OPTIMIZE FLOW

- Always use the tube management clip, to ensure the extra tubing is looped horizontally on top of the bed. This allows a gravity fed system for the urine to flow. Helps prevent reflux of urine back up to the bladder.
- Ensure the collection device is as low to the floor as possible without touching the floor.
- The top vent located below the sampling port allows an air exchange to help prevent vacuum/suctioning events. Ensure these vents are not punctured or blocked to help optimize flow.



EMPTYING THE URINE METER

- The drain tube will now be the circular, plastic Splash Guard device.
- Click to open, Click to close.
- **If you do not hear the click, the device is not shut.**
 - **You will come back to a puddle on the floor.**

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