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Anti-infective Foley Catheter with BARD® Hydrogel and Bacti-Guard®\* Silver Alloy Coating

Indication for Use: Drainage of Urine.

## Directions for Use:

- 1. Visually inspect the product for any imperfections or surface deterioration prior to use. If package is opened or if any imperfection or surface deterioration is observed, do not use.
- 2. Using proper aseptic methods, remove catheter from package.
- 3. Prepare patient per hospital/nursing recommended procedure.
- 4. Proceed with catheterization using standard techniques.
- 5. Inflate the 10ml balloon with a maximum of 10ml sterile water by using a water- illed luer-tip syringe. Do not use a needle tip syringe to inflate balloon.
- 6. Connect catheter to collection container.
- 7. To deflate the 10ml balloon, gently reinsert the luer tip syringe into the valve and aspirate.

## Caution:

To deflate catheter balloon: Gently insert a luer slip tip syringe in the catheter valve. Never use more force than is required to make the syringe "stick" in the valve. Allow the pressure in the balloon to force the plunger back and fill the syringe with water. If you notice slow or no deflation, re-seat the syringe gently. Use only gentle aspiration to encourage deflation if needed. Vigorous aspiration may collapse the inflation lumen, preventing balloon deflation. If permitted by hospital protocol, the valve arm may be severed. If this fails, contact adequately trained professional for assistance, as directed by hospital protocol. Should balloon rupture occur, care should be taken to assure that all balloon fragments have been removed from the patient.

This is a single use device. Do not resterilize any portion of this device. Reuse and/or repackaging may create a risk of patient or user infection, compromise the structural integrity and/or essential material and design characteristics of the device, which may lead to device failure, and /or lead to injury, illness or death of the patient.

Valve Type: Use luer slip tip syringe. Do not use needle.

**Recommended Inflation Capacities** 5ml Balloon: use 5ml sterile water 10ml Balloon: use 10ml sterile water 30ml Balloon: use 35ml sterile water

Do not exceed recommended capacities.

Caution: Federal (U.S A.) law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician.

Storage: Store catheters at room temperature away from direct exposure to light, preferably in the original box.

Caution: Do not aspirate urine through drainage funnel wall.

Warning: On catheter, do not use ointments or lubricants having a petrolatum base. They will damage latex and may cause balloon to burst.

After use, this product may be a potential biohazard. Handle and dispose of in accordance with accepted medical practice and applicable local, state and federal laws and regulations.

CAUTION: This Product Contains Natural Rubber Latex Which May Cause Allergic Reactions.

Sterile unless package is opened or damaged. Do not use if package is damaged.



Recommended indwelling time not to exceed 28 days.

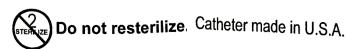
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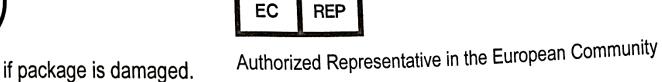
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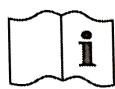
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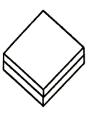
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Contains or presence of natural rubber latex.



Consult instructions for use.



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