

IV NEEDLE CATH **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

INDICATION FOR USE:

- These needles are used for the percutaneous placement of catheter. The needle provides an access path into the vasculature.





DESCRIPTION:

- IV safety needle

POTENTIAL COMPLICATIONS:

- Air embolism
- Bleeding
- Device dislodgement
- Needle cannula breakage
- Hematoma
- Infection
- Pain in region
- Perforation/Trauma to vessels

WARNINGS:

- Caution when using this device. Be aware of sharps.
- Do not use if components are damaged, deformed, or missing.
- Do not overtighten. Do not proceed if resistance is felt or interaction between components is failing.
- Federal (USA) law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician.
- Product is sterile in unopened, undamaged package.
- STERILIZED BY ETHYLENE OXIDE 
- Single use only. DO NOT RE-USE. Re-use may lead to infection illness/injury. 
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- Do not resterilize. 

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE:

PREPARATION

- Prepare site according to your facility's policy and procedure.
- Prior to venipuncture, hold catheter hub and rotate barrel 360 degrees.
- Make sure catheter is seated back in the notch to maintain connection.

VENIPUNCTURE

- Hold skin taut.
- Adjust angle of insertion and insert needle tip.
- Observe flashback along the catheter.

ADVANCEMENT

- Upon flashback visualization, lower catheter almost parallel to the skin.
- Before threading, advance entire unit slightly to ensure catheter tip is in the vein.
- Advance catheter into the vein up to the hub, while maintaining skin traction.

NEEDLE REMOVAL

- Before pressing the button to retract needle.
- Release venous pressure.
- Apply digital pressure beyond the catheter tip.
- Stabilize catheter hub.
- Press the white button to retract needle.
- Examine the device after it is removed from the patient to ensure no foreign material remains inside the patient.
- Discard biohazard according to facility protocol.

SECUREMENT

- Secure catheter and apply sterile dressing according to your facility's policy and procedure.

CAUTION REMINDERS

- Do not withdraw needle from catheter hub before pressing the white button.
- Needle should be retracted prior to disposal into a puncture-resistant, leak-proof sharps container per facility protocol.
- Never re-insert needle into the catheter as this could shear the catheter.
- Do not use scissors at or near the insertion site.

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