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Application & Removal Guide for P.I.V.





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PPLICATION



Prepare the site according to your facility's protocol. Allow all preps and skin protectants to dry completely.



Remove sterile dressing from packaging and remove the liner to expose adhesive. Hold the dressing with one hand, using the large non adhesive handle section.



Remove securement tape strip from dressing.



Orient clear portion of dressing over the insertion site with notch ends of dressing (the "fingers" of the dressing) pointing toward the patient's fingers.



Apply the dressing to the skin, positioning dressing with the *notch lined up with the connection point of the catheter hub and IV tubing.*



Ensuring the catheter is stabilised before removing the dressing, gently grasp the cloth border edges below the keyhole notched area of dressing and peel them backwards.



Pinch dressing firmly around the catheter and tubing connection, then gently lift tubing connection and press the notched ends of the dressing firmly under the catheter hub. Apply firm pressure.



Slowly peel frame away from border edge whilst simultaneously applying firm pressure to border edge. Apply firm pressure over rest of dressing area to ensure optimal adhesion.



Peel dressing toward catheter insertion site 180° back on itself (in a "low and slow" manner).



Peel the large securement strip from carrier frame and apply onto the top of the dressing, aligning the securement strip with lower dressing edge. Pinch the strip around the cannula and press firmly along the remainder of the strip.



Prepare and apply documentation tape strip. Tape strip may be used as a second securement strip if wanting to create J loop with IV extension tubing.

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