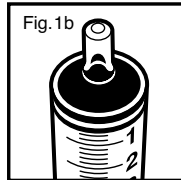
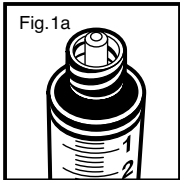


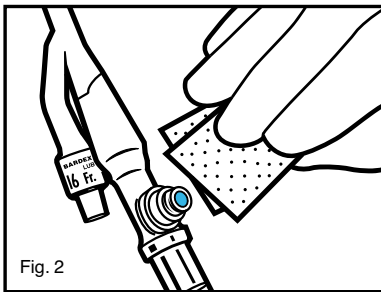
EZ-LOK[®]

SAMPLING PORT

Guidelines For Use

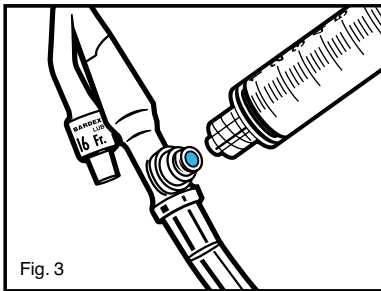


Bard EZ-Lok[®] Sampling Port (indicated by the blue stem in the port) accepts luer-lock (Fig. 1a) or slip tip syringes (Fig. 1b).



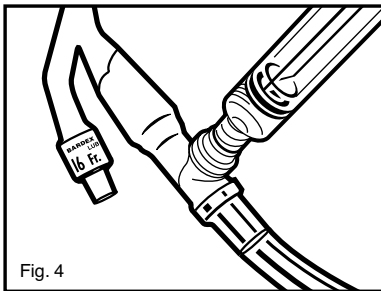
1. Occlude drainage tubing a minimum of 3 inches below the sampling port by kinking the tubing until urine is visible under the access site.

2. Swab surface of Bard EZ-Lok[®] Sampling Port with antiseptic wipe. (Fig. 2)



3. Using aseptic technique, position the syringe in the center of the sampling port. The syringe should be held perpendicular to the surface of the sampling port (at approximately 80 - 100 degree angle). Press the syringe firmly and twist gently to access the sampling port*. (Fig. 3)

4. Slowly aspirate urine sample into syringe and remove syringe from sample port. (Fig. 4)



5. Unkink tubing and transfer urine specimen into specimen cup or follow hospital protocol. Discard syringe according to hospital protocol.

6. Follow established hospital protocol for specimen labeling and transport to lab.

***Note:**
Improper penetration technique could cause formation of a drop of urine on the surface of the sample port. Periodic inspection of the sample port is recommended.

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Protocol Notes:
