



BARD® Intermittent Catheters

Instructions For Use

Indications For Use: For urological use only.

-  Single-use. Single patient use, do not reuse.  Do not use if package is opened or damaged.

Warnings:

- Visually inspect the product for any imperfections or surface deterioration prior to use.
- Some intermittent catheters may contain or have presence of Phthalates: Di(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (DEHP) is a plasticizer used in some polyvinyl chloride medical devices. DEHP has been shown to produce a range of adverse effects in experimental animals, notably liver toxicity and testicular atrophy. Although the toxic and carcinogenic effects of DEHP have been well established in experimental animals, the ability of this compound to produce adverse effects in humans is controversial. There is no evidence that neonates, infants, pregnant and breast feeding women exposed to DEHP experience any related adverse effects. However, a lack of evidence of causation between DEHP-PVC and any disease or adverse effect does not mean that there are no risks.
- 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 failure, and/or to injury, illness or death of the patient.



Note: 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.

Adverse Reactions

Urinary Tract Infection
Bleeding from the urethra
Irritation of the urethra

Instructions for Intermittent Catheters:

1. Wash your hands thoroughly with soap and water.
2. Remove catheter from the pack.
3. Position yourself comfortably, cleaning the opening of the urethra and surrounding area.
4. Gently insert rounded end of catheter into urethra.
5. When urine stops flowing, remove catheter from urethra.
6. Dispose of catheter in accordance with local rules and regulations.
7. Wash your hands.

Rx_{only} **Caution:** Federal (U.S.A.) laws restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician.



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