IV PUSH MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION
(PRE-FILLED MEDICATION SYRINGE)

Properly administering your medication via IV Push at home is important to your safety. Please call (262) 532-5124 if you have any questions or concerns at all while administering the medication. We are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. In the event of an emergency, always call 911.

SUPPLIES:

- IV Medication syringe
- (2) Sodium Chloride (Saline) prefilled syringes
- (1) Heparin prefilled syringe (if indicated)
- Alcohol or antiseptic wipes

SASH FLUSH PROCEDURE:

S  Saline 10 ml
A  Administer medication as instructed by your nurse
S  Saline 10 ml
H  Heparin 5 ml (if required)

PROCEDURE:

1. Gather supplies. Clean work area. Wash hands thoroughly for at least 20 seconds.
2. Prepare your prefilled syringes for flushing your IV catheter as instructed by your nurse.
3. Check medication labels for name, drug, frequency, and expiration. Inspect the medication syringe for any cracks, leaks, particulate matter, and clarity of medication. Contact us for any discrepancies or concerns.
4. Attach a prefilled Sodium Chloride/Saline syringe to the injection cap of your IV catheter and flush the IV catheter as instructed by your nurse.
5. Disconnect the syringe from the injection cap of your IV catheter and discard.
6. Clean the injection cap on the end of your IV catheter with an alcohol/antiseptic wipe vigorously for 30 seconds and let air dry for 60 seconds.
7. Attach the medication syringe to the end of the injection cap of your IV catheter.
8. Administer the medication as directed per your Plan of Treatment.
9. Disconnect the medication syringe from the injection cap of your IV catheter and discard.
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10. Clean the injection cap on the end of your IV catheter with an alcohol/antiseptic wipe vigorously for 30 seconds and let air dry for 60 seconds.

11. Attach a prefilled Sodium Chloride/Saline syringe to the injection cap of your IV catheter and flush the IV catheter as instructed by your nurse.

12. Disconnect the syringe from the injection cap of your IV catheter and discard.

**If your catheter requires the Use of Heparin:** Complete steps 13-15, otherwise, skip.

13. Clean the injection cap on the end of your IV catheter with an alcohol/antiseptic wipe vigorously for 30 seconds and let air dry for 60 seconds.

14. Attach a prefilled Heparin syringe to the injection cap of your IV catheter and flush the IV catheter as instructed by your nurse.

15. Disconnect the syringe from the injection cap of your IV catheter and discard.

16. Flush any additional lumens as directed in your plan of treatment.

17. Wash hands thoroughly, for at least 20 seconds.

**All supplies & waste can be bagged & disposed of with your household garbage.**

Notes:

The information included in this document is intended for informational and educational purposes only. It is not intended to replace medical advice offered by a physician or other qualified health provider. Reliance on any information provided by CarepathRx is solely at your own risk. If you think you may have a medical emergency, call your doctor, go to the emergency department, or call 911 immediately.

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