

# UR074014 - UR074024

2-Way Foley Catheter Open Ended



#### **DESCRIPTION**

mldevices 2-Way Foley Catheter Open Ended indicated for both urethral and suprapubic catheterisation. The symmetrical balloon expands equally to ensure reliable and correct positioning in the bladder. After deflation, the balloon minimises potential ridging.

The catheter length is suitable for both females and males.

FOR USE BY A QUALIFIED CLINICIAN. THE BELOW IS ONLY A SUGGESTION AND FACILITY PROTOCOL MUST BE FOLLOWED FOR ALL CLINICAL PROCEDURES WHERE THIS PRODUCT IS USED.

### **A** CAUTION

- DO NOT use with petroleum based ointments or lubricants.
- Use immediately after opening packaging. Discard catheter after use according to hospital protocol.
- DO NOT re-sterilise or reuse, single use only
- DO NOT use if packaging or product has been damaged or contaminated.
- DO NOT store at extreme temperatures and humidity, avoid direct sunlight.

#### STEPS:

- Select the smallest catheter size that will allow adequate access and drainage for the clinical indication.
- Maintaining its sterility, the catheter is removed from packaging and plastic sleeve and is placed onto the open catheter insertion setup trolley or if used intraoperatively, is aseptically opened to the scrub purse.
- 3. Lubricate the distal tip with a waterbased lubricant and Insert 2-Way Open Ended Foley Catheter as per facility/Hospital protocol using aseptic technique.
- 4. Once the catheter is in the correct position in the bladder indicated by urine flow, inflate the balloon with the indicated volume of sterile water as stated on the catheter.
- 5. Gently withdraw the catheter until resistance is
- 6. Connect the catheter to the drainage bag and secure the catheter using a securement device.
- 7. To remove the catheter; using a syringe attached to the non-return valve, withdrawal the sterile water to deflate the balloon completely and then carefully pull the catheter out.

#### PRECAUTIONS:

- Maximum indwelling time 8 weeks\*
  \*As per laboratory-based testing results and validation against requirements of ISO 20696.
- Ensure the drainage bag is positioned below the level of the bladder and is off the floor.
- The security of all connections should be checked once the catheter is connected to the drainage bag and also monitored during use to prevent disconnection.
- Ensure the catheter is stored in the box and is not coiled or folded when stored.

- Ensure the catheter is secured to the patient immediately after insertion using a dedicated urinary catheter securement device.
- When deflating the balloon, once the syringe is connected to the non-return valve, allow the syringe to fill independently until the balloon volume is contained in the syringe.

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