

UR135010 to UR275050

Leg Bags

T-Tap

Silicone Straps or Elastic Straps

INSTRUCTION FOR USE

DESCRIPTION

m|devices Leg Bags are designed to allow greater freedom of movement and comfort whilst being discreetly hidden under clothing when wearing a catheter. They can be secured to your thigh, knee or calf depending on the length of drainage tubing on the Leg Bag, using our elastic or silicone lined straps.

The various volume capacity sizes available in 350mL, 500mL and 750mL with optional tube lengths of 10cm, 30cm or 50cm with bonded stepped connector, cater for all user requirements. T-Tap and non-return valves are inclusive in all Leg Bag codes.

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.

CAUTION

- Single use.
- DO NOT re-sterilise.
- DO NOT store at extreme temperatures and humidity, avoid direct sunlight. Handle with care.
- STERILE (EO), DO NOT use if the package or product has been damaged or contaminated.
- EU Notice: any serious incident that has occurred in relation to the device should be reported to the manufacture and the competent authority of the Member State in which the user and /or patient is established.

STEPS

1. To disconnect or change your drainage bag, pinch the catheter above the drainage bag to stop the flow of urine and disconnect using a twisting motion.
2. Remove blue protective cap from stepped connector on the inlet drainage tube and using aseptic technique, connect directly into the funnel end of the foley catheter. Ensure the connection is secure.
3. To secure your Leg Bag, wrap the two straps on the bag around the thigh, knee, or calf and secure at desired position using the adjustable elastic or silicone straps. Ensure there is some slack in catheter and room to move, so there is no pressure on urethra, however it is secure enough not to move vertically on your leg.
4. After connecting a new leg bag, confirm that urine is flowing freely within the first 15 minutes. If no flow is observed, check all connections for kinks or blockages.
5. To empty the bag (the T-Tap will be in a closed position when removed from the packaging), hold the T-Tap mechanism in your hand, place your thumb on the white capped button and slide across until it sits firmly against the T-piece. Urine will flow out.
6. Once empty, using the same action, slide the blue capped button back across until it sits firmly against the T-piece.

PRECAUTIONS

- Ensure the Leg Bag is never raised higher than the level of the bladder.
- Ensure the Leg Bag tubing is always free from kinks when connected to the catheter.
- Ensure aseptic technique is maintained when handling connecting and disconnecting the Leg Bag from the urinary catheter or other drainage bags.
- Ensure connections are always secure between the foley catheter and drainage tube.
- When replacing a new leg bag, please ensure urine is flowing freely without any blocking after first 15 mins of use. If no urine flow is observed, verify all connections and seek advice from a healthcare professional if necessary
- Empty your Leg Bag at regular intervals to avoid it becoming too full and heavy, which may pull on your catheter.

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