

Prosys® Catheter Valve

Instructions for Use

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

Warning

This product should not be used without a prior evaluation of the users bladder function by an appropriately qualified healthcare professional

It is best practice to ensure that each **Prosys® Catheter Valve** is discarded once every 5-7days and replaced with a new valve using the instructions given below

Contraindications

For use with an indwelling urinary catheter to allow urine drainage

Use this valve with CAUTION if you have;

- Reduced Bladder Capacity
- Cognitive impairment
- Lack of bladder sensation
- Inadequate manual dexterity required to operate valve
- Recently had surgery on the bladder
- Have a low bladder capacity
- Taken diuretics (water tablets) for heart/ blood pressure problems
- Been confirmed as at risk of autonomic dysreflexia (spinal injury patients)

Please Remember

When the **Prosys® Catheter Valve** is connected to a catheter, empty the bladder at intervals recommended by your doctor or nurse

Instructions

- 1 Wash your hands thoroughly
- 2 Attach the stepped inlet of **Prosys® Catheter Valve** to the indwelling catheter outlet making sure you avoid touching the end of the catheter and the valve connector



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- 3 To open the **Prosys® Catheter Valve** and allow urine to drain, push the lever fully down until the OPEN symbol is facing upwards



OPEN →

- 4 To close the **Prosys® Catheter Valve**, pull the lever up so it sits flush with the catheter and the CLOSED symbol is facing upwards



CLOSED ←

- 5 Wash your hands thoroughly again

Attaching a Night Drainage Bag

- 1 Wash your hands thoroughly
- 2 Ensure the **Prosys® Catheter Valve** Lever is in a closed position and ensure the night drainage bag tap is also closed
- 3 Remove the cap from the top of the night drainage bag
- 4 Connect the tubing at the top of the night drainage bag to the drainage tube at the bottom of the **Prosys® Catheter Valve** ensuring the connection is secure

- 5 Once securely connected open the **Prosys® Catheter Valve** and leave in an open position and allow urine to drain into the night drainage bag

Please Remember

Empty the bladder at intervals recommended by your doctor or nurse

IMPORTANT INFORMATION



Reuse Precaution:

This item is a single use device. Do not re-sterilise, reuse or repackaging may create a risk of patient or user infection.

STERILE EO

Sterilized using Ethylene Oxide

LATEX FREE



Contains or presence of Phthalates:

This product contains the phthalate DEHP. Phthalates are widely used as plasticizers in medical products and have undergone extensive testing. However when using the device, it should be taken into consideration that a lack of evidence regarding DEHP and any disease or adverse effect does not mean that there are no risks.

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