

I-170 Central Venous Catheter Management

Purpose

Provide for safe access for administration of IV fluids.

Provide access for blood sampling.

Maintain patency of catheter.

Prevent mixing of medications/solutions which are incompatible.

Applies To

Registered Nurses

Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurses

Other (*Identify*): _____

Related Procedures

The following four procedures relate directly to Central Venous Catheter Management:

Blood sampling: Hickman, Boviac, Intrasil, Hohn, or subclavian catheters.

Blood Sampling: GROSHONG Catheters.

Flushing Procedures: Hickman, Broviac, Intrasil, Hohn, or subclavian catheters.

Flushing procedures: Groshong Catheters.

Sterile Injection Cap Change.

Central Line Dressing Change.

Policy History

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