

# FOLEY ANCHOR

Urinary Catheter Securement Device



Designed for maximum patient comfort and safety, the Centurion Foley Anchor is a urinary catheter securement device that removes the frustration factor often experienced by caregivers and patients attempting to keep a Foley Catheter securely in place.

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#### BENEFITS FOR CAREGIVERS, HOSPITALS AND PATIENTS

- Easy to apply and remove
- Fits virtually any size catheter
- Long wear time reduces nursing time
- Prevents catheter dislodgement, reducing risk of Catheter Associated Urinary Tract Infection (CAUTI)
- Comfortable and safe

- Patient-friendly, gentle adhesive
- Prevents catheter movement and discomfort from tugging
- Stays firmly in place, allowing for easy patient movement

#### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Cleanse and degrease adequate surface area larger than the surface area of the Foley Anchor with Alcohol Prep or per hospital protocol. Allow to dry completely.

Optional: Apply Skin Protectant Prep according to package directions. Allow to dry completely.

Position Foley Anchor under catheter at desired location (Figure A).

Locate arrow on base of device. Holding catheter in place, pull tab on opposite side from arrow out to create an opening in the slit. Push the tab next to arrow into this opening (Figure B).

Grasp both tabs and pull them in opposite directions until the first tab pulls completely through the slit and locks into place (Figure C).

While holding catheter in place, peel off one side of paper backing. Press to adhere to skin (Figure D). Repeat on other side.

Optional: Position Foley Anchor at the access valve side of the tubing bifurcation (Figure E).

#### REMOVAL INSTRUCTIONS (not shown)

While pulling gently on tab closest to arrow, push the opposing tab through the slit, reversing the application process. If desired, Alcohol may be used to help break down adhesive.

Peel the device slowly off skin.





The Centurion Foley Anchor meets SHEA (Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America) recommendations for the prevention of CAUTI (catheter associated urinary tract infections). The recommendation for "Appropriate management of indwelling catheters" is to "properly secure indwelling catheters after insertion to prevent movement and urethral traction."\*

\* Lo, E; Nicolle, L; Classen, E; et al. SHEA / IDSA Practice Recommendation: Strategies to Prevent

Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections in Acute Care Hospitals. Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology, October 2008, Vol. 29, Supplement 1, pp. S41-S50. Refer to the Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America/Infectious Diseases Society of America "Compendium of Strategies to Prevent Healthcare-Associated Infections" Executive Summary and Introduction for additional discussion.











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"The Foley Anchor made the catheter tube feel secure and in place, eliminating the uncomfortable feeling of it shifting and pulling down when moving around during the day and moving around while sleeping."

- Surgical Patient, University Hospital

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