

Care at home

Liquick® Base

Instructions for use

Intermittent catheter

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Intermittierender Katheter

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Sonde pour sondage intermittent

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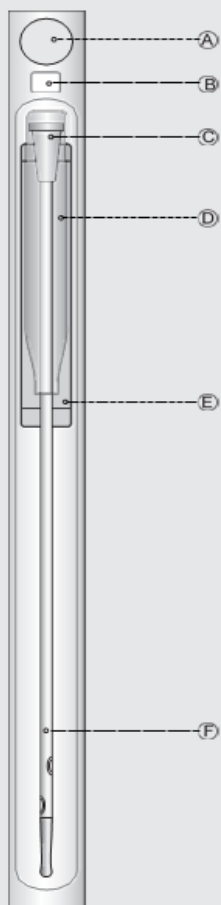


Fig.1

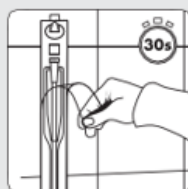


Fig.2



Warning

Read all packages insert warnings, precautions, and instructions prior to use. Failure to do so may result in severe patient injury or death.

Intended Use

For intermittent single catheterization of the bladder.

Indication For Use

These catheters are indicated for the routine drainage of urine from the bladder. These catheters are not intended or designed for indwelling use.

Device Description

Liquick® Base consists of a hydrophilic coated intermittent catheter with blue protective sleeve and a sachet filled with 0.9% sterile saline solution for activation contained within a sterile barrier.

Contraindications

The use of the device is contraindicated in patients with:

- Damage to the urethra
- Bleeding from the urethra
- Acute inflammation of the urethra
- Difficulty in insertion through the urethra, the urethral sphincter, the prostate or the neck of the bladder.

Target Population

Adults and pediatric.

Side effects

- Damage to the urethra
- Bleeding from the urethra
- Inflammation of the urethra

Application notes

- Intermittent Catheterization (IC) should only be carried out under medical or nursing guidance (also including the hygienic measures necessary).
- Before IC is performed for the first time, a medical examination should be made to exclude any contraindications.
- If using Tiemann catheter, insert the catheter with the tip facing up. There is raised knob or nub on the funnel (distal) end of the catheter that lines up with Tiemann tip to indicate the upward direction of the Tiemann tip. This nub should be facing up during the entire insertion to keep the Tiemann tip oriented correctly.

Storage recommendations

This product should be stored in its original box in a dry place, away from direct and indirect sources of light and heat.



Warning



Re-processing of medical devices intended for single use only may result in degraded performance or a loss of functionality. Re-use of single use only medical devices may result in exposure to viral, bacterial, fungal or prionic pathogens. Validated cleaning and sterilization methods and instructions for reprocessing to original specifications are not available for these medical devices. This product is not designed to be cleaned, disinfected or re-sterilized.

The product must not be used if any damages to it are visible.

Catheters for intermittent catheterization are not suitable for urine drainage over several hours (e.g as an “overnight catheter”)



Caution

Self-catheterization or catheterization by a lay person, can only be performed by those who have been trained by medical professionals in the placement techniques and equipment normally used to place these devices.

The patient should be routinely monitored by physician or other suitably qualified medical personnel who are familiar with the use of such catheters and the potential complications connected with their placement in accordance with accepted procedures. If the catheter comes into contact with a non-sterile object or surface, that catheter must be disposed of. Use a new catheter.

For a patient/user/third party in the European Union and in countries with identical regulatory regime (Regulation 2017/745/EU on Medical Devices); if, during the use of this device or as a result of its use, a serious incident has occurred, please report it to the manufacturer and/or its authorized representative and to your national authority. The contacts of national competent authorities (Vigilance Contact Points) and further information can be found on the following European Commission website:

https://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/medical/devices/contacts_en

Explanation

- (A) Grip hole
- (B) Adhesive tab
- (C) Funnel for connecting to a collecting bag
- (D) Protective sleeve
- (E) Sachet containing sterile saline solution 0.9%
- (F) Catheter with Soft Cat Eyes

Instruction for use

Have the necessary materials at hand:

- **Liquick® Base**
- Antiseptic (Not included)
- Sterile pads (Not included)

Wash your hands thoroughly before use. Perform catheterization under aseptic conditions. Touch the catheter according to instructions with the aid of the protective sleeve.

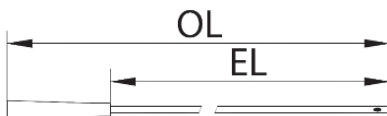
- 1 Hold the system vertically. Applying light pressure opens the closure of the Saline water sachet, allowing fluid to enter the catheter channel. Gently rock the catheter packing back and forth to completely activate the hydrophilic coating (Fig.1).
- 2 Hang up the package by the grip hole in the funnel area or with the self-adhesive tab. Wait 30 sec. until the catheter is lubricated. In order to ensure that insert ability is constantly optimal – as well as for easy and safe removal of the catheter from the urethra – it is essential to wait a minimum contact time of 30 sec (Fig.2).
- 3 Open the package near the funnel.
- 4 Disinfect the genital area using the antiseptic and the sterile pads. A spray bottle can be used for disinfecting.
- 5 Remove the catheter using the blue protective sleeve.
- 6 Move the blue protective sleeve up towards the catheter head. Introduce the catheter into the urethra without directly touching it with the hands.
- 6a **Female**
After disinfecting the genital area, keep the labia apart with one hand. With the other hand, carefully insert the catheter through the urethra into the bladder until the urine flows.
- 6b **Male**
Hold the penis with one hand. With the other hand, carefully insert the catheter through the urethra into the bladder until the urine flows.
- 7 Once the flow of urine has ceased, carefully withdraw the catheter from the urethra.
- 8 Place the catheter back into the outer packaging.

Disposal















This device should be disposed of according to applicable national and local waste disposal regulations.

Contacting the manufacturer

For the manufacturer's address, see the product label or packaging or visit www.teleflex.com IFU and Patient Information Web Address: www.teleflex.com/IFU



IFU and Label
Symbology(See
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	Catalogue Number
QTY	Quantity
	Expiration Date
	Batch Code
	Sterilized Using Ethylene Oxide
	Manufacturer
	Caution
	Consult Instructions for Use
	Do Not Use if Packaging is Damaged
	Keep Dry
	Keep Away From Sunlight
	Do Not Reuse
	Do Not Re-sterilize
	Single sterile barrier system
	Medical Device
OL	Overall Length
EL	Effective Length

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