# Introcan Safety® 2

# Closed IV Catheter

PRESCRIPTION

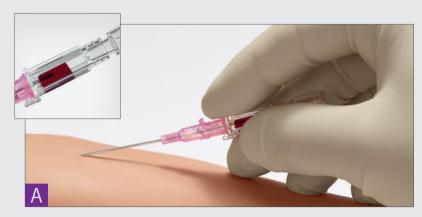
PATIENT ACCESS

**PREPARATION** 

**APPLICATION** 

DISCHARGE MANAGEMENT





#### **PREPARATION**

- Confirm all items are accessible for IVC insertion and stabilization
- Select and prepare site per institutional protocol
- Apply tourniquet

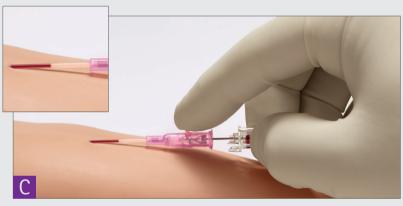
#### INSERT & OBSERVE

- Anchor the vessel with gentle skin traction
- Adjust angle of insertion and access vessel
- Observe blood return in flashback chamber to confirm vessel entry



#### LOWER AND ADVANCE SLIGHTLY

 Lower and advance the catheter and needle unit slightly to ensure catheter tip is in vessel



## ADVANCE CATHETER

- Use the push-off plate to advance the catheter off the needle slightly (approximately 1/8" or 3 mm)
- Observe second flashback of blood (catheter flash) between needle and catheter to confirm catheter is in the vessel
- After confirmation, continue advancing catheter off the needle and into the vessel
- Release tourniquet



## REMOVE NEEDLE

- Stabilize the catheter hub to prevent catheter dislodgement during needle removal
- Withdraw the needle straight back with a controlled and continuous motion. The safety shield will automatically attach to needle tip as needle tip exits catheter hub
- Blood flow from the catheter hub is restricted after needle removal
- Dispose shielded needle immediately into sharp-proof container



# STABILIZATION

- Immediately connect to infusion line or accessory device
- Cover the puncture site with a sterile and transparent dressing



# COMPONENTS

- 1 | Flashback Chamber
- 3 | Catheter Hub
- 2 | Push-Off Plate
- 4 | Safety Shield

**CAUTION:** Do not bend the catheter and/or needle during insertion, advancement, or removal of the needle.

Never reinsert needle into catheter, catheter shearing may occur, causing an embolism.

Care should be taken not to have the catheter hub open without connecting to an accessory device.

Refer to packaging insert for complete instructions for use.