

# Careline EasiMT™ Instructions for use



This instruction leaflet provides the details on the safest and easiest way to fit, remove and empty the non-sterile Careline EasiMT™ single use urine drainage bag.

Hygiene is the most important factor. If the patient is fitted with a catheter, then infection can occur by bacteria entering the urinary system via the external surface of the catheter or ascending up the tubing from the bag. It can be minimised by using common sense hygiene measures.

Always wash your hands before and after changing or emptying a bag.

Store drainage bags in a cool, dry place.

Indicated volumes on bag are approximate.

Careline EasiMT™ drainage bag is for single-use only.

# Instructions for use

## Fitting Careline EasiMT™ night bag to a penile sheath

- Always wash your hands before and after emptying or changing a bag.
- Open pack.
- Avoid touching the ends of the connecting tube.
- Remove the cap from Careline EasiMT™ night bag connector.
- Insert the ridged connector of the night bag firmly into the end of the penile sheath.

## Fitting Careline EasiMT™ night bag to a leg bag as part of a link or closed system

- Do not disconnect the leg bag from the catheter or penile sheath.
- Wash hands.
- Using the silicone tube on the leg bag outlet tap, securely connect Careline EasiMT™ night bag to the leg bag, by removing the cap and inserting the ridged connector of the night bag.
- Ensure that the tap on the leg bag is in the "OPEN" position to allow drainage into the night bag.

It is advisable to use a Careline floor stand or bed hanger to support the EasiMT™ night bag.

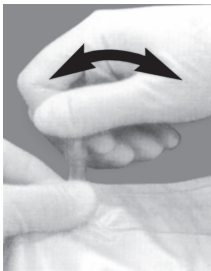
N.B. Before use always check the connections are secure.

## Removal and emptying of Careline EasiMT™ night bag

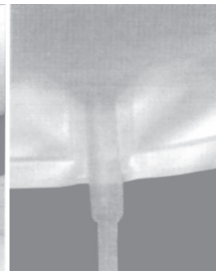
- If connected to a leg bag, close the leg bag tap and disconnect.
- If connected to a penile sheath, disconnect.
- Take the urine bag to the urinal or toilet bowl.

This device is for single-use only and should not be re-used. Re-use may lead to increased risk of infection or cross contamination. Physical properties of the device may no longer be optimal for intended use. 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 to your national authority. After use, this product may be a potential biohazard. Handle and dispose of in accordance with accepted medical practice and applicable local laws and regulations.

Emptying



After bottom section has been fully removed



- EasiMT™ bags have a twist off bottom outlet for ease of emptying. Turn the bag upside down so that the outlet is pointing upwards. Pinch the outlet where it is inside the bag. Fully twist off the external part of the outlet and turn the bag around to drain.

## Disposal of Careline EasiMT™ night bag

Ensure that the bag is empty before disposal.

Dispose of the bottom section of the outlet tap that was twisted off. Some local authorities offer a soiled collection service, contact your GP surgery or local council for details.

If bags are to be disposed of with your household rubbish they must be wrapped in several layers of newspaper or a plastic bag and securely sealed before being put into a dustbin. Used items must not be burned on a domestic fire.

**IMPORTANT: Do not flush used items down the toilet, as this may cause blockage of sewage system.**



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