

URINARY BED BAG AND LEG BAG, EMPTYING CLOSED

EQUIPMENT:

1. Gloves.
2. Measuring Container labeled with resident's name.

EMPTYING PROCEDURE:

URINARY BED BAG:

1. Wash hands and apply appropriate PPE.
2. Place measuring container under the outlet tubing.
3. Remove outlet tubing from the storage pouch.
4. Open clamp and drain the urine into the measuring container; avoid touching the outlet tubing to the container.
5. Close the clamp and tuck the tubing into the storage pouch.
6. Observe the amount, color and odor of the urine.
7. Empty the measuring container, rinse, and spray with disinfectant, and replace it in the storage area.
8. Wash hands and record output.
9. Repeat procedure for each bag to be emptied.

WASH HANDS BETWEEN RESIDENTS, BEFORE AND AFTER HANDLING EACH DRAINAGE BAG.

LEG BAG:

EMPTY WHEN HALF FULL

1. Wash and glove hands.
2. Loosen the leg strap.
3. Place the measuring container under the drainage outlet.
4. While blocking the inner opening remove the cap, set on a paper towel.
5. Drain urine into a measuring container; avoid touching the outlet to the container.
6. Replace the cap on the end of the drainage outlet.
7. Follow steps 6-9 as outlined above.