



Reference Guide for MicroClave™ Neutral Displacement Connector



Disinfect to Protect

- › When placing a new MicroClave on a catheter, disinfect the catheter hub and prime the MicroClave.
- › Before accessing a MicroClave, always disinfect the injection site with the approved antiseptic per facility protocol.
- › Scrub the injection site in accordance with facility protocol for appropriate scrubbing and dry times.



Administer or Aspirate

- › Attach IV tubing, syringe or blood tube holder to MicroClave by inserting the luer and twisting until a friction fit is achieved.
- › Do not over-tighten a luer beyond the friction fit as this may damage both the luer and the MicroClave.



Flush After Each Use

- › Flush the MicroClave with normal saline or in accordance with facility protocol. After blood use, the MicroClave can be flushed clean and does not require change-out.
- › Use routine flushing in accordance with facility protocol in order to maintain catheter patency.
- › Change MicroClave in accordance with facility protocol and CDC Guidelines.

Functional Attributes

- › Lipid and Blood Compatible
- › Radiographic Imaging Compatible (CT Compatible)
- › Contains No Latex, Phthalate's (DEHP) or Metal Components, MRI Compatible

Tips:

- › To disconnect, grasp MicroClave and then twist mating luer away from MicroClave until loose.
- › Do not hold catheter hub during disconnect as this may cause accidental removal of MicroClave from hub.



MicroClave saline flush option is designed to help reduce the risk of Heparin Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT).

Warning: Clave connectors may be incompatible with some male-luer connectors including prefilled glass syringes. To avoid damage to the Clave or syringes or male luers which may result in delays of medication administration and possible serious adverse events, users should confirm mating luers or syringes have an internal diameter range of 0.062" to 0.110". Check the internal diameter of the male-luer connector of the mating syringe prior to using it to access the Clave. Products outside of these dimensional tolerances should not be used.