**CAUTION:** Handle all biologic samples and blood collection “sharps” (lancets, needles, luer adapters, and blood collection sets) in accordance with the policies and procedures of your facility. Obtain appropriate medical attention in the event of any exposure to biologic samples (e.g., through a puncture injury) since samples may transmit viral hepatitis, HIV, or other infectious diseases. Utilize any safety-engineered feature if the blood collection device provides one. Discard all blood collection “sharps” in biohazard containers approved for their disposal.

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**BD Vacutainer® Luer-Lok™ Access Device**

**STEP 1a:** Peel off paper backing;

**STEP 1b:** Remove from package;

**STEP 2a:** Insert the tip of the BD Vacutainer® Luer-Lok™ Access Device into the catheter port.

**STEP 2b:** Push and rotate access device clockwise onto the catheter port until it fits securely.

**STEP 3:** To perform your venous blood collection, center the blood collection tube in the holder portion of the access device and push it in.

**STEP 4:** Once the tube is completely filled, remove the blood collection tube from the holder. Invert the tube accordingly.

**STEP 5:** Hold catheter port and remove the BD Vacutainer® Luer-Lok™ Access Device by rotating it counterclockwise.

**STEP 6:** Discard immediately into an approved sharps disposal container.

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**BD Vacutainer® Blood Transfer Device**

**STEP 1a:** Peel off paper backing;

**STEP 1b:** Remove from package;

**STEP 2a:** Insert the syringe tip into the hub of the BD Vacutainer® Blood Transfer Device;

**STEP 2b:** Rotate the syringe clockwise until it fits securely on the hub.

**STEP 3:** With the syringe tip held facing down, center the blood collection tube or BD BACTEC™ Blood Culture Bottle over the holder portion of the BD Vacutainer® Blood Transfer Device and push it in.

**STEP 4:** After removing the last tube or blood culture bottle, discard the entire assembly (the BD Vacutainer® Blood Transfer Device and syringe) in an approved sharps disposal container.

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