

Points to Practise

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Disinfect

- Disinfect the silicone septum with an appropriate antiseptic solution.
- Disinfect prior to each access.
- Allow to dry.

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Access

Syringe:

- Access the BD Q-Syte device with an ISO luer lock or luer slip syringe.
- Connect ensuring vertical alignment.



Administration Set:

- When using an administration set insert the luer slip tip into the BD Q-Syte device, then secure the connection.

Note: Do not use needles or blunt cannula with the BD Q-Syte device.

Blood Withdrawal:

- Use ISO syringe or BD Luer-Lok™ access device.



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Flush

- Flush according to facility policy or until device is clear.
- To minimise reflux of blood into the vascular access device it is recommended to keep pressure on the syringe plunger upon clamping and disconnecting.
- When disconnecting, hold the BD Q-Syte device firmly to the hub to prevent accidental removal.

Be aware that oral syringes can be misconnected to some needleless devices.

The BD Q-Syte™ Device is a closed system to help prevent micro-organisms entering the fluid pathway.



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