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Dear Customer:

Subject: IV Sets tubing Material for Alaris® System/GEMINI Series Pumps, Alaris SE Pumps, MedSystem III® Infusion Pumps, Gravity, Secondary and Extension Sets

Dear Customer:

This letter is in response to your inquiry regarding the tubing material of our IV Sets.

A majority of our sets are made with **PVC** (polyvinyl chloride) tubing. Some sets contain **DEHP** (diethyl hexyl phthalate). DEHP is a chemical commonly used in PVC tubing; used to yield clarity and soft pliable tubing. IV sets that **DO NOT** contain DEHP are identified in our IV sets and accessories catalog as "DEHP-free."

Select sets are identified as **low sorbing**. These sets are polyethylene lined, (inert internal surface), with a PVC-free fluid path. They are designed to minimize absorption of drugs (for example nitroglycerin) into the matrix of tubing materials.

Please feel free to reference the CareFusion IV sets and accessories catalog, located on our website for a comprehensive listing of our IV Sets portfolio.

If further assistance is required, please contact our Customer Advocacy Department at 888.812.3266

Best Regards,

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