IV PUSH MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION (PRE-FILLED MEDICATION SYRINGE)

Properly administering your medication via IV Push at home is important to your safety. Please call 1-800-755-4704 if you have any questions or concerns at all while administering the medication. We are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. In the event of an emergency, always call 911.

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SUPPLIES:

- IV Medication syringe
- (2) Sodium Chloride (Saline) prefilled syringes
- (1) Heparin prefilled syringe (if indicated)
- Alcohol or antiseptic wipes

SASH FLUSH PROCEDURE:

S	Saline	ml

- A Administer medication as instructed by your nurse
- S Saline ___ ml
- **H** Heparin ____ ml (if required)

PROCEDURE:

- 1. Gather supplies. Clean work area. Wash hands thoroughly for at least 20 seconds.
- Check medication labels for name, drug, frequency, and expiration. Inspect the medication syringe for any cracks, leaks, particulate matter, and clarity of medication. Contact Chartwell for any discrepancies or concerns.
- 3. Prepare your prefilled syringes for flushing your IV catheter as instructed by your nurse.
- 4. Clean the injection cap on the end of your IV catheter with an alcohol/antiseptic wipe vigorously for 30 seconds and let air dry for 60 seconds.
- 5. Attach a prefilled Sodium Chloride/Saline syringe to the injection cap of your IV catheter and flush the IV catheter as instructed by your nurse.

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- 6. Disconnect the syringe from the injection cap of your IV catheter and discard.
- 7. Clean the injection cap on the end of your IV catheter with an alcohol/antiseptic wipe vigorously for 30 seconds and let air dry for 60 seconds.
- 8. Attach the medication syringe to the end of the injection cap of your IV catheter.
- 9. Administer the medication as directed per your Chartwell Plan of Treatment.
- 10. Disconnect the medication syringe from the injection cap of your IV catheter and discard.
- 11. Clean the injection cap on the end of your IV catheter with an alcohol/antiseptic wipe vigorously for 30 seconds and let air dry for 60 seconds.
- 12. Attach a prefilled Sodium Chloride/Saline syringe to the injection cap of your IV catheter and flush the IV catheter as instructed by your nurse.
- 13. Disconnect the syringe from the injection cap of your IV catheter and discard.

If your catheter requires the Use of Heparin: Complete steps 14-16, otherwise, skip to 17.

- 14. Clean the injection cap on the end of your IV catheter with an alcohol/antiseptic wipe vigorously for 30 seconds and let air dry for 60 seconds.
- 15. Attach a prefilled Heparin syringe to the injection cap of your IV catheter and flush the IV catheter as instructed by your nurse.
- 16. Disconnect the syringe from the injection cap of your IV catheter and discard.
- 17. Flush any additional lumens as directed in your plan of treatment.
- 18. Wash hands thoroughly, for at least 20 seconds.

All Supplies and waste can be double bagged and disposed of with your household garbage

