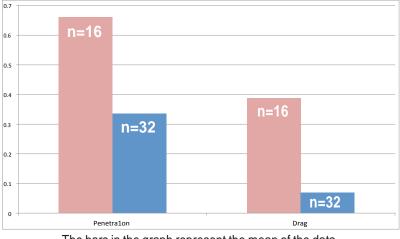
SAFESTEP® HUBER NEEDLE SET BENEFITS



FEATURES OF SAFESTEP®

- · Low profile
- · Small, thin pad
- · Small footprint
- Siliconized needle
- · Angled, flexible tubing

THE DIFFERENCES OF A SILICONIZED SAFESTEP[®] NEEDLE ARE CLEAR!



The bars in the graph represent the mean of the data

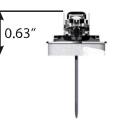
SafeStep[®] has a siliconized Huber needle which reduced the penetration and drag forces during simulated comparison testing with non-lubricating Huber needles. SafeStep® Gripper Plus™ SafeStep HUBER NEEDLE SE

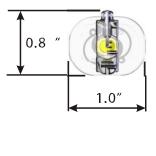
SIZE COMPARISON

SafeStep

Gripper Plus™





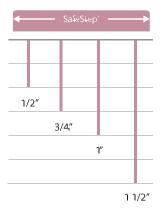




SafeStep® has a lower profile and smaller footprint than Gripper Plus™.

NEEDLE LENGTH RANGES

SafeStep® offers a wide range of needle lengths to accommodate a diverse patient population.



SafeStep[®] 25/case

BARD

Gripper Plus[™] 12/box

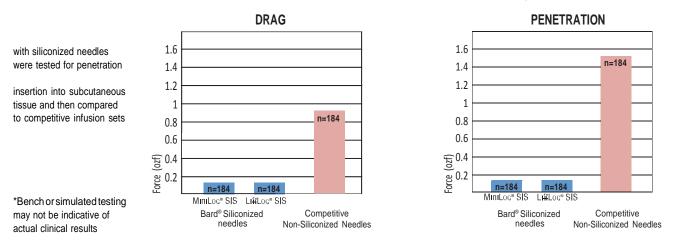
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The Right Step for You and Your Patient

WHAT TYPE OF NEEDLE DO YOU USE?

SILICONIZED OR NON-SILICONIZED HUBER NEEDLE?

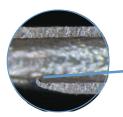
Siliconized medical needles can be inserted with less penetration force and less drag force when compared to non-siliconized needles. Because patients can receive multiple needle accesses over the life of each port, needle insertion is benefitted by low Penetration and Drag.



NON-CORING OR CORING

Non-coring needles are manufactured using a specific process that prevents the needle from coring. The 'heel' of a port access needle is well recognized as a crucial design parameter in non-coring needles. Ensuring that the edges of the 'heel' are appropriately modified is critical to ensuring that the needle is non-coring.

As a market leader, Bard* Huber needles have been tested and proven to be NON-CORING.



Close up of Bard® needle



The result of a coring needle is a piece of cored port septum in needle

Close up of the Competitor needle







Indications For Use:

The SafeStep Huber Needle Set is a device intended for insertion into the septum of a subcutaneously implanted port and for the infusion of fluids into the port. The SafeStep Huber Needle safety feature is manually activated during needle removal, and is designed to aid in the prevention of accidental needle stick.

Warnings:

- Failure to use the device correctly, when removing needle from port site could result in the needle tip re-emerging from the base, resulting in an accidental needle stick with a contaminated needle. A needle stick with a contaminated needle may cause infectious disease.
- Handle and discard in accordance with accepted medical practice and all applicable regulations. After use, this product is a potential biohazard.
- Intended for single use. DO NOT REUSE. Reuse and/or repackaging may create a risk of patient or user infection, compromise the structural integrity and/or essential material and design characteristics of the device, which may lead to device failure, and/or lead to injury, illness or death of the patient.

16.3.2 Comparison of siliconized Huber needles to non-siliconized Huber needles – Bench Testing Summary, MiniLoc Safety Infusion Set 510 (k) submission.

Please consult product labels and inserts for any indications, contraindications, hazards, warnings, cautions and instructions for use.



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