

COVID CRITICAL OPERATIONS BULLETIN

Original Date: Monday, 11/16/20
Updated Version: Monday, 11/23/20

SUBJECT: NON MEDICAL MASKS IN CENTRAL LINE KITS

TO: Chief Nurse Executives and Chief Medical Officers; **please forward to your EDs, Critical Care teams, IV Therapy, Infusion Teams, Oncology Infusion, Vascular Access Teams including staff involved in Central Line management. Please refer to attached Dept list.**

FR: Supply Chain Services, Andy Hamilton – hamiltonad@multicare.org

SITUATION: Alerting you that Medline distributed non-medical masks in central line kits. Situational awareness. See photo.

ACTION: Recommended - Scan Kits for presence of non-medical masks, remove for return to SC. Use another mask.

- Central Line Kit otherwise safe for use.
- Immediate communication in Safety Huddles to create situational awareness and removal, use of alternative mask.
 - Lawson Number: MM054316
 - Description: Tray Central Line
- Please review the attached spreadsheet to see a full count by location.
 - ADC = Auburn
 - GSDC = Good Samaritan
 - MDC = Tacoma General

ASSESSMENT: These current non-medical masks in the kits create a potential safety risk for Users/caregivers.

FOLLOW UP: Supply Chain immediately contacted Medline and is awaiting a response to see if Central Line kits without the masks are available. Also requested number of kits distributed and to identify impacted departments.

NEXT UPDATE EXPECTED: Follow up communication once the resolution from Medline is received.



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The mask within this kit is not a medical mask and is not intended for occupational use.

CENTRAL LINE KIT

Single use only. Not made with Natural Rubber Latex.

CAUTION: Federal (U.S.A.) law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician. Sterile. Sterilized by EO. Do not resterilize.

Sterile in unopened, undamaged package.

DIRECTIONS: Follow recommended procedure as well as the component and pharmaceutical manufacturer's directions for use. Avoid excessive heat and shield from direct light.

Contents of foil packets, bottles or ampules have not been terminally sterilized by the kit packer.

⚠️ To reduce the risk of fire: Solution contains alcohol and gives off flammable vapor while drying. Do not use with electro-cautery procedure until the prep is completely dry. Do not allow solution to pool. Remove solution-soaked material from prep area.

CONTENTS:

- 2 MASK, NON-MEDICAL
- 1 PAIR OF GLOVES
- 1 TOWEL
- 1 VIAL ADHESIVE
- 4 GAUZE SPONGE 2.00" x 2.00"
- 1 MEDICAL TAPE
- 1 ANTISEPTIC APPLICATOR <073>

- 1 ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL
- 1 SKIN PROTECTANT
- 1 TRANSPARENT FILM DRESSING
- 1 MEASURING DEVICE
- 1 GAUZE SPONGE 4.00" x 4.00"
- 1 TOWEL

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