

## 286 All-Silicone Foley Catheter 3 Way 18fr 5cc Instructions

Single use only. Do not reuse.

Do not resterilize. For urological use only.

**Recommended Inflation Capacities:** 5cc Balloon: use 10cc sterile water

### **To deflate catheter balloon:**

- Gently insert a luer slip tip syringe in the catheter valve.
- Never use more force than is required to make the syringe “stick” in the valve.  
If you notice slow or no deflation, re-seat the syringe gently.
- Allow the balloon to deflate slowly on its own.
- Do not aspirate or manually accelerate the deflation of the balloon.
- If permitted by hospital protocol, the valve arm may be severed.
- If this fails, contact adequately trained professional for assistance, as directed by hospital protocol.
- Should balloon rupture occur, care should be taken to assure that all balloon fragments have been removed from the patient.
- Inspect the product for any imperfections or surface deterioration prior to use.

### **Warnings:**

- After use, this product may be a potential biohazard. Handle and dispose of in accordance with applicable local, state, and federal laws and regulations.
- On catheter, do not use ointments or lubricants having petrolatum base. They will damage silicone and may cause the balloon to burst.

**Caution:** Do not aspirate urine through drainage funnel wall.

**Storage:** Store catheters at room temperature away from direct exposure to light, preferably in the original box.