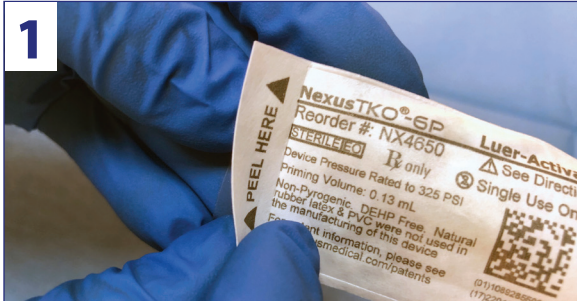


# NEXUS TKO<sup>®</sup>-6P

## ANTI-REFLUX NEEDLELESS CONNECTOR



### TKO TIPS FOR USE:

- 1. WASH HANDS** prior to use. **USE ASEPTIC TECHNIQUE** to minimize possible touch contamination when opening the pouch. Swab according to your protocol.
- 2. THREAD COMPLETELY** or you may experience slower than normal fluid flow and/or resistance upon aspiration.  
**NOTE:** If the rotating collar on the pump tubing set is not pushed all the way to the tip of the slip luer before connection, it will not be completely threaded.  
**NOTE:** Make sure all connections are fully threaded onto the TKO prior to use or the fluid path may not be open.  
**NOTE: AVOID** overtightening once fully threaded.
- 3. BE SURE TO FLUSH TKO BEFORE** use to properly set the TKO diaphragm, prime all air and **AFTER** all blood draws to clear the line. Do not use a gravity set to flush the TKO.  
**NOTE:** When drawing blood, especially if done too quickly, you may feel a slight resistance when first pulling back on the syringe plunger due to the diaphragm design. Once open for aspiration, the TKO diaphragm creates NO resistance.
- 4. BEFORE** disconnecting syringe from TKO after a blood draw, **RELEASE** hand from syringe plunger to allow pressure to equalize. This mitigates blood splatter from vacuum pressure in the syringe.  
**NOTE:** Residual blood can remain on top of septum from the syringe luer tip if equalization does not occur prior to disconnection.
- 5. ALWAYS** clean septum with alcohol prep pad prior to each connection.  
**NOTE:** Not swabbing to remove excess blood from top of septum can result in blood going in between housing and septum.



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