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<u>Title:</u> Condom Catheter Application	Original Approval: 12/17
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Statement/ Purpose:

To provide guidance on the application of condom catheters.

Authority:

Application:

All SCDPH CHHA RNs

Terminology:

Responsible Party:

Training and Quality Improvement Coordinator

Cross-Reference:

Hand Hygiene

Procedure:

1. Verify provider's order.
2. Explain the purpose and procedure to the patient. The purpose is to promote non-invasive patent urinary flow.
3. Perform hand hygiene
4. Don non-sterile gloves
5. Instruct or assist patient to wash genitalia with soap and water. Rinse well. Dry.
6. Assess shaft of penis and scrotum for irritation, swelling, or excretions.
7. Roll condom catheter over the penis, leaving approximately one inch between the end of the penis and the catheter.
8. Assess for a snug but not tight fit.
9. Secure condom catheter according to manufacturer's guidelines.
10. Connect the adapter to tubing/ bag.
11. Instruct patient/ caregiver to:
 - a. Empty bag
 - b. Switch leg and night bags
 - c. Remove condom catheter daily to clean penis
 - d. Assess penis frequently for swelling or discoloration
 - e. Remove condom catheter for swelling, discoloration or pain.
12. Remove gloves and perform hand hygiene.
13. Document procedure, including the following in the patient's clinical record:
 - a. Condition of the penis

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- b. Reaction of the patient
- c. Color and amount of urine
- d. Instructions/ teaching provided to patient/ caregiver.