**BARD** BARDEX I.C. Catheter Comprehensive Care Foley Trays

RELEASING TIME TO CARE FOR PATIENTS

‘All in One’ anti-infective Foley catheterisation kit

**All in One, place, only one price**

- Encourages best practice
- Cost effective
- Provides a sterile environment
- Reduces risk of infection - clinically proven anti-infection technology, a true closed system

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**It’s up to you to make a difference - 80% of all nosocomial UTIs are CAUTIs**

You can make a difference

- Switching from standard catheters to silver alloy-coated catheters significantly reduces the risk of CAUTIs**.

Using the BARD Comprehensive Care Foley Tray ensures all the items you need are together in one convenient pack.

Adopting silver alloy catheters is a proven solution

- Bardex® I.C. Foley Catheters with Bacti-Guard® silver alloy coating and Bacti-Guard** have a level one recommendation from the UK Department of Health** and are recognised by the epic guidelines.

The efficacy of Bardex® I.C. Foley Catheters is supported by a wealth of clinical evidence

- More than 30 studies have shown a reduction in incidence of CAUTIs with Bardex® I.C. Foley Catheters**

**Ordering Information**

**Bardex I.C. Foley Catheters**

- Bacteriologically clean, with back guard®
- Sterile, disposable, no handling
- Minimises the risk of hospital-acquired infection
- The Foley Catheters included in the Bardex I.C. System contain Bacti-Guard®* silver alloy coating, which is licensed from Bactiguard AB. © 2011 C. R. BARD, Inc. All Rights Reserved 0411/2732

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- The occurrence of UTI is 3.7 times greater in patients catheterised with a standard catheter than in patients catheterised with the Bardex I.C. Foley Catheter with Bacti-Guard® Silver Alloy coating and HARG® Hydrogel®
- The rapid review panel to tackle healthcare-associated infections (HCAIs) in the UK recommended for catheterising hospitalised adults short-term reduces the risk of catheter acquired urinary tract infection.

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- The bacterial spectrum of nosocomial UTIs is broad and antibiotic resistance is common
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- Hospital-acquired UTIs cost the NHS £124 million every year
- Every UTI costs an extra £1,327 per patient and blocks a bed for an extra six days
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As a result, Department of Health Guidance now makes the reduction of CAUTIs a priority*.

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This means there is massive scope for both improving the quality of patients’ lives and saving precious healthcare resources by reducing the occurrence of UTIs.

A wide range of clinical studies clearly show the advantages of Bardex I.C. Foley Catheters over conventional catheters.

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The results suggest that the use of silver alloy indwelling catheters for catheterising hospitalised adults short-term reduces the risk of catheter acquired urinary tract infection.***

UTIs CAN BE REDUCED WITH CORRECT CARE & EVIDENCE-BASED TECHNOLOGY