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Information

Subcutaneous immunoglobulin (SCIg) therapy

Preparing the infusion set and inserting the Neria® Device

The Neria® device:



- 1. Preparing the Neria[®] device:
- a. Attach the tubing from the Neria[®] device to the tip of the syringe. Check that it is secure. Take care not to touch the end connection of the tubing as you remove the Neria[®] device from the packet.



b. To remove air bubbles and prime the line, keep the syringe upright and push the plunger of the syringe until the fluid fills the line.



If possible try to prime the line just up to the base of the needle. Keeping the needle "dry" may make needle insertion more comfortable.

2. Inserting the Needle

- a. Wipe away numbing (anaesthetic) cream from the skin at the injection site (if used).
- b. Wash and dry your hands.
- c. Hold the wings of the infusion set. Remove the adhesive backing and the protective cap.







d. Gently pinch the skin and insert the needle at a 90 degrees angle. Ensure the needle is flush with the skin, and secure the adhesive dressing. Tape excess tubing in place, leaving some 'give' in case the tubing is pulled.



PINCHING THE SKIN IS IMPORTANT TO ENSURE THE NEEDLE GOES INTO SUBCUTANEOUS (FATTY) TISSUE and NOT INTO MUSCLE Remember always pinch an inch!

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