



PICC: Just Secure It

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Clinical Image

Securing a pediatric Peripherally Inserted Central Catheter (PICC) properly is crucial to prevent displacement and ensure appropriate hygiene during dressing changes in order to reduce the risk of infection [1]. An accurate placement significantly lowers complications, enhancing overall patient well-being and safety, particularly essential in pediatric care. The introduction of innovative solutions, such as SecurAcath, allows the achievement of these goals. Its position maneuvers and medications are easy and quick, there are different sizes from 3 Fr to 8 Fr depending on the diameter of the chosen PICC. The right placement of a SecurAcath is reported in the picture above (Figure 1). Once positioned it is possible to disinfect all the skin around the insertion site and eventually place an anti-decubitus device under it. This contributes to improving infection control, simplifying care procedures, and last but not least enhancing outcomes for pediatric patients.



Figure 1: PICC fixed with SecurAcath and medicated with a transparent patch and anti-decubitus device.

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