

# **CENTESIS & DRAINAGE**



Discover a comprehensive solution to meet your drainage needs.

## Simple, accurate insertion. Enhanced patient comfort.

Cook offers an extensive line of drainage catheters for removing both air and fluid from the pleural and pericardial space. Available in a variety of sizes and design configurations, these products provide treatment options that are significantly less invasive than traditional drainage techniques.

### **Advantages of Seldinger Placement**

- Allows for a smaller incision and therefore a tighter seal around the drain, which helps prevent tube dislodgement.<sup>1</sup>
- Facilitates controlled, minimally invasive catheter introduction.
- Reduces patient discomfort during and after the procedure.<sup>2</sup>
- Minimizes the risk of hemorrhage when unknown coagulopathy may exist.<sup>3</sup>
- Reduces the risk of contamination since physician does not have to insert a finger to feel for adhesions.

## Wayne Pneumothorax Catheter

Intended Use: relief of simple, spontaneous, iatrogenic and

tension pneumothorax

Usage Locations: OR, ER, ICU, Prehospital

#### EchoTip® echogenic introducer needle

included with select sets and trays improves needle tip visibility during insertion and maximizes the benefits of ultrasound.



**Enlarged sideports** improve catheter's ability to drain greater quantities of air.

#### Radiopaque Ultrathane® material

enhances x-ray visualization and is kink resistant, allowing catheter to conform back to its original shape after manipulation.

**Pigtail design** helps prevent trauma to internal structures.

"Narrow bore chest drains that are quick, safe, and easy to insert by a Seldinger technique. . .are now widely available and are very effective."<sup>4</sup>

#### **Thal-Quick Chest Tube**

Intended Use: percutaneous introduction of a chest tube for pleural fluid drainage

Usage Locations: OR, ER, ICU



"Our experience with this tube. . . has been very gratifying. Discomfort of the patients has been reduced to a minimum, and the chest tubes have been uniformly and safely placed in the desired position."<sup>2</sup>

## Fuhrman Pleural/Pneumopericardial Drainage Catheter

**Intended Use:** evacuation of air from the pericardial sac or to drain air or fluid from the pleural space

Usage Locations: OR, ICU

**Sideports** positioned within catheter pigtail to prevent them from becoming occluded when pressed against the pleura.



**Radiopaque** to enhance x-ray visualization.

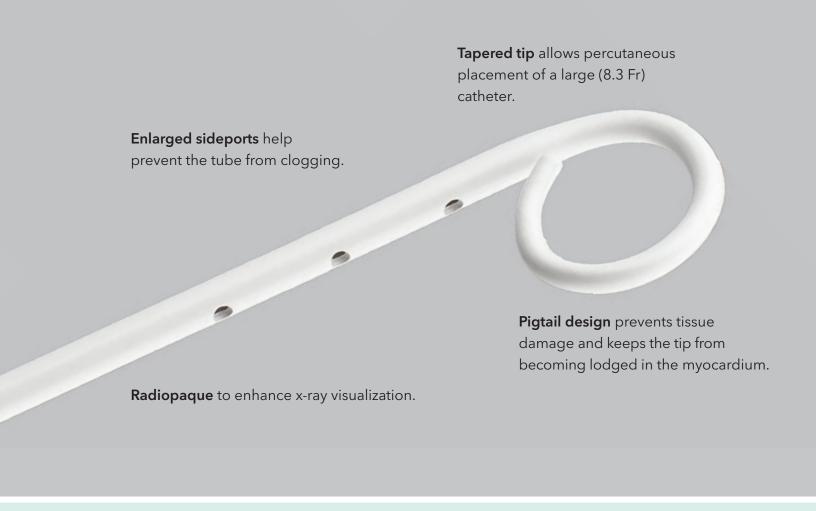
**Soft polyurethane material** helps to minimize patient discomfort.

"[The Fuhrman catheter] was safe and had high short- and long-term success rates. It also preserved patients' comfort and mobility, allowing early discharge."<sup>5</sup>

### Lock Pericardiocentesis Set

**Intended Use:** drainage of fluid from the pericardial sac

Usage Locations: OR, ICU



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