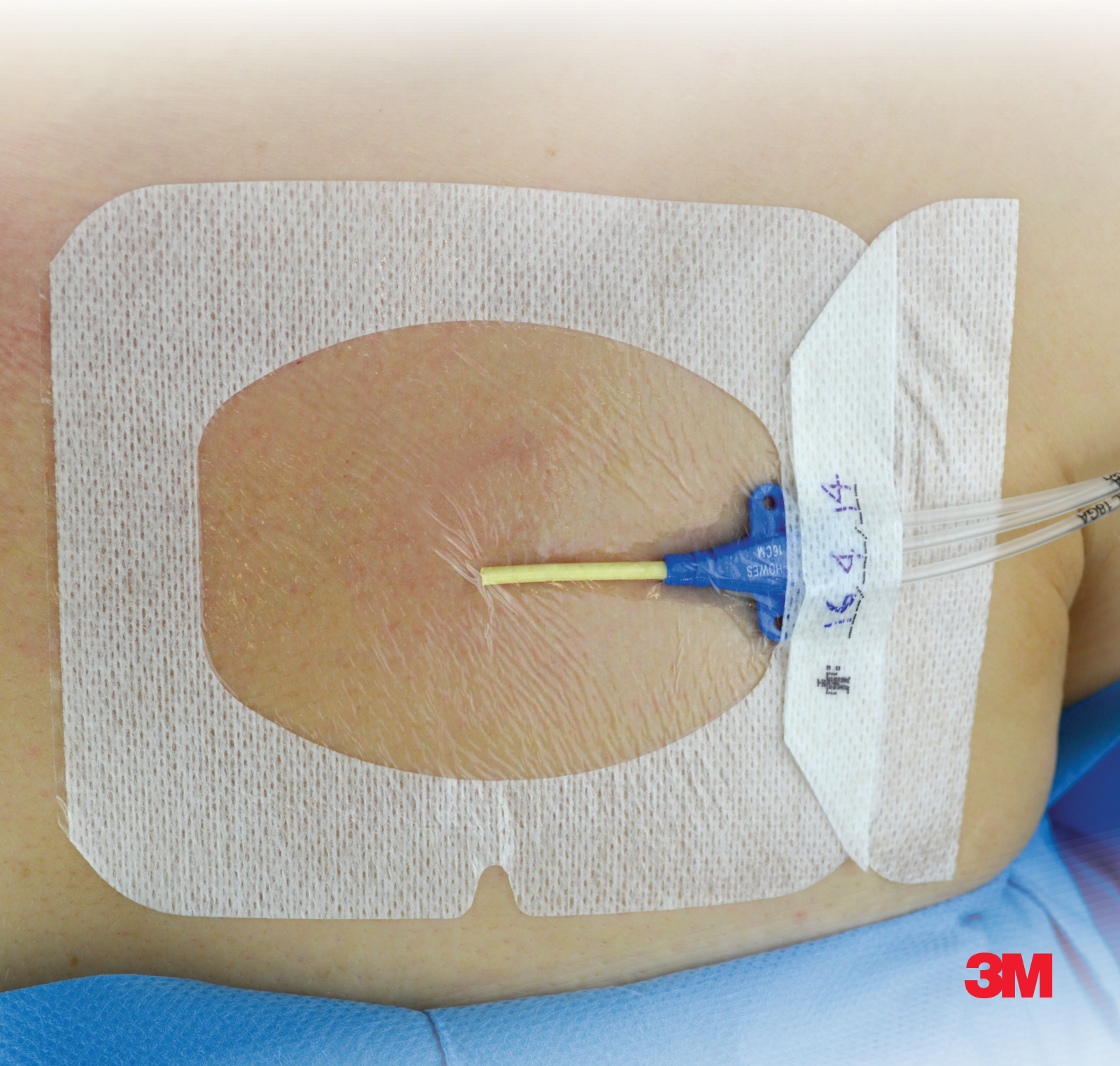




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Application & Removal Guide for Subclavian or PICC Catheters





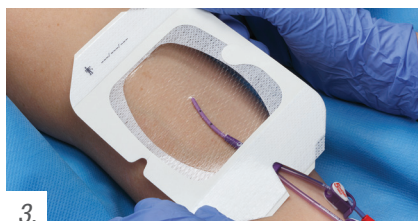
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APPLICATION



1.

Prepare the site according to your facility's protocol. Allow all preps and skin protectants to dry completely. Open package and place dressing onto sterile field.



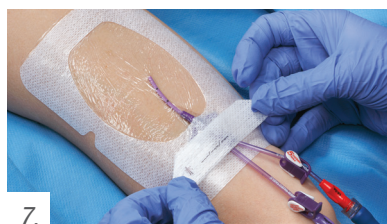
3.

Select preferred orientation of dressing using either of the two notches provided. Position selected notch edge of dressing over catheter hub, placing stabilisation border over catheter hub "wings". Apply dressing to skin (ensure you are not stretching the dressing over the skin surface during application).



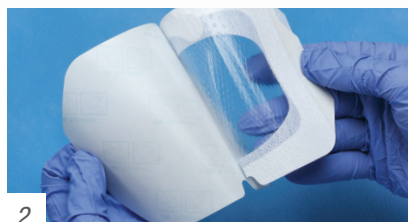
5.

Slowly peel frame away from border edge while simultaneously applying firm pressure to border edge. Smooth entire dressing onto skin to ensure optimal adhesion.



7.

Prepare and apply documentation label over the top of the exposed moulded junction of the catheter. Press the first half of the strip against the junction; then adhere the other side.



2.

Once ready to use, remove the liner to expose adhesive. Flip over dressing so adhesive faces skin.



4.

Pinch film firmly around catheter insertion site and along to the catheter hub. Apply firm, gentle pressure to entire window film area.



6.

Remove securement tape strip with notch from paper frame and apply the tape strip's pre-cut notch completely underneath the catheter's hub area and lumens (but over the top of the dressing). The notch opening should face the insertion site. Smooth the entire tape surface working from the notched area towards the dressing edge.



8.

Apply firm but gentle pressure to entire dressing to ensure optimal adhesion.

REMOVAL



1.

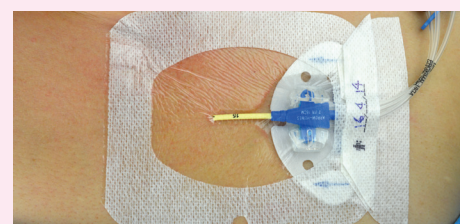
Remove all securement tape strips from dressing.



2.

Grasp border area below notch area and gently start peeling the dressing back toward the catheter insertion site until removed using the low and slow technique.

3. Remove stabilisation device as per facility policy.



Optional-Use with securement device

1. Prepare the site according to your facility's protocol. Allow all preps and skin protectants to dry completely. Open package and place dressing onto sterile field.
2. Place securement device onto patient skin and secure catheter as per hospital policy.
3. Remove dressing liner and ensure dressing is positioned to completely incorporate the securement device.
4. Carry out steps 3 to 8 above.

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