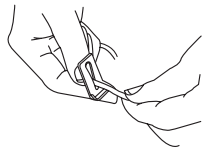


Priming Sets & Loading PCA Vials

MANUALLY PRIME THE SET

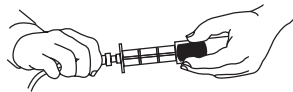
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Perform the following steps to manually prime the Hospira PCA3 vial prior to loading the vial.

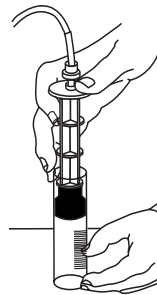
If you are using administration set #6516 with the Y-adapter, manually close the KVO side using the slide clamp.

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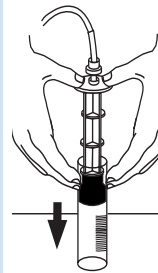
Connect the administration set to an Hospira 30 mL PCA3 vial/injector.

3



Prime the vial and set by holding with two hands, vertically on a flat surface with the administration set extending from the top.

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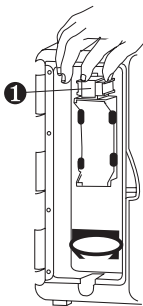


Slowly push down on the injector with two hands, until you see flow in the distal end of the tubing (approximately 2 to 3 mL) which tells you that all air is cleared from the vial and the Hospira PCA3 administration set. Close the slide clamp in the PCA administration set.

WARNING: Failure to use compatible Hospira Vial/Injector and Hospira PCA sets with integral anti-siphon valve may cause an inaccurate dose delivery to the patient.

LOADING THE BARCODED PCA VIAL

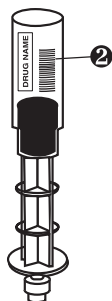
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Squeeze Cradle Release Mechanism together at the top of holder and move to the uppermost position (see 1 at left).

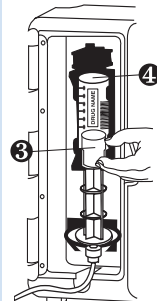
NOTE: Always confirm bar code reader window is clean before inserting vial.

2



Hold the vial with the graduated markings facing the clinician. This will ensure the vial bar code label (see 2 at left) faces the bar code reader on the right side of the vial compartment.

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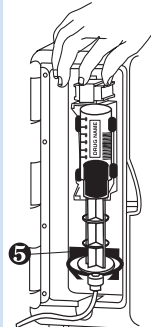


Insert bottom of glass vial into the middle black bracket (see 3 at left).

CAUTION: Do not load vial into upper vial clip first. Vial lip may crack or chip.

Gently press upper end of glass vial into upper black bracket (see 4 at left).

4



Squeeze the top of the Cradle Release Mechanism and move down until the vial injector snaps into the bottom bracket (see 5 at left).

Select **CONTINUE>**. If vial bar code is not read by pump, slowly rotate the vial and position with the bar code on the right until bar code has been read.

WARNING: Cracked vials may not show evidence of leakage until delivery pressure is applied.

NOTE: If the device is OFF, improper loading of syringe will turn ON the device and activate a non-silenceable CHECK SYRINGE alarm within 30 seconds after CONTINUE> is pressed. Proper loading (engaging injector flange) will silence the alarm.