



## Selected products to reduce the risk of tubing misconnection

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This is a selected list of products under contract that can be utilized to reduce the risk of tubing misconnections. These products are included because they are either designed to prevent misconnection or to be used in place of other devices to reduce risk. Detailed information on products in each category is provided in Premier's electronic catalog, [Supply Chain Advisor](#). Suppliers may also be contacted for complete product information.

To suggest a contracted product to be added to this list, please contact the Safety Institute at 704.733.5865 or [safety\\_institute@premierinc.com](mailto:safety_institute@premierinc.com).

Supplier	Contract number	Product(s)	Comments
<b>CORPAK Med Systems (fka: Viasys Healthcare, Inc.)</b>	<b>PP-DI-348</b>	Corflo® Anti-IV enteral feeding tube and administration set	This system includes a feeding tube, extension tubing and oral syringe with unique connectors that are incompatible with IV lines for administration of tube feedings to NICU and pediatric patients.
<b>Covidien (fka: Tyco Healthcare Group)</b>	<b>PP-DI-349</b>	Enteral feeding tube and administration sets with enteral-only connections	Includes feeding and medication ports that are incompatible with luer-lock or IV connections. Administration sets with threaded spike design compatible with Nestlé SpikeRight™ containers.
<b>Nestle Clinical Nutrition</b>	<b>PP-DI-357</b>	Ready-to-hang enteral feeding bags with SpikeRight™ design	Enteral formula containers that can only be accessed with a threaded spike design feeding set and are incompatible with IV spike sets so formula cannot be inadvertently misconnected to an IV line.
<b>Baxa Corporation</b>	<b>PP-PH9BXA01</b>	Oral syringes designed specifically for oral or enteral (GI) administration	A standard medication syringe with a luer tip should never be used for oral/enteral administration because they can be inadvertently misconnected to an IV line.

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<b>Becton Dickinson and Company</b>	<b>PP-NS-460</b>	Oral syringes designed specifically for oral or enteral (GI) administration	A standard medication syringe with a luer tip should never be used for oral/enteral administration because they can be inadvertently misconnected to an IV line.
<b>Covidien (fka: Tyco Healthcare Group)</b>	<b>PP-NS-462</b>	Oral syringes designed specifically for oral or enteral (GI) administration	A standard medication syringe with a luer tip should never be used for oral/enteral administration because they can be inadvertently misconnected to an IV line.
<b>Children's Medical Ventures</b>	<b>PP-WC-019</b>	Enteral-only extension sets	Extension sets for use in syringe pump delivery of enteral feedings. Features to reduce risk include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• tip incompatible with IVs, connects only to feeding tubes</li> <li>• Orange striping to identify as enteral</li> <li>• "Enteral Only" tag</li> </ul>
<b>B. Braun Medical, Inc.</b>	<b>PP-NS-123 PP-IV-012</b>	Epidural-only pumps and administration sets	Pumps and administration sets with visual cues (e.g. labeling, color) and other design features to reduce risk, but still include luer connectors.
<b>Baxter Healthcare Corporation</b>	<b>PP-NS-112 PP-IV-013</b>	Epidural-only administration sets	Epidural administration sets with visual cues (e.g. labeling, color) and other design features to reduce risk, but still include luer connectors.
<b>Baxter Healthcare Corporation</b>	<b>PP-NS-116 PP-IV-013</b>	Epidural-only administration sets	Epidural administration sets with visual cues (e.g. labeling, color) and other design features to reduce risk, but still include luer connectors.
<b>Cardinal Health Alaris Products</b>	<b>PP-NS-130 PP-IV-010</b>	Epidural-only administration sets	Epidural administration sets with visual cues (e.g. labeling, color) and other design features to reduce risk, but still include luer connectors.

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<b>Hospira, Inc.</b>	<b>PP-NS-378 PP-IV-015</b>	Epidural-only pumps and administration sets	Pumps and administration sets with visual cues (e.g. labeling, color) and other design features to reduce risk, but still include luer connectors.
<b>Smiths Medical MD, Inc.</b>	<b>PP-NS-343</b>	Epidural-only pumps and administration sets	Pumps and administration sets with visual cues (e.g. labeling, color) and other design features to reduce risk, but still include luer connectors.
<b>GE Medical Systems Information Technologies Inc.</b>	<b>PP-NS-364</b>	Blood pressure cuffs with non-luer connectors	Non-invasive blood pressure monitoring cuffs available with “screw” or “bayonet” connectors reduce the risk of connection to IV lines.
<b>Trimline Medical Products Corp.</b>	<b>PP-NS-365</b>	Blood pressure cuffs with non-luer connectors	Non-invasive blood pressure monitoring cuffs available with “screw” or “bayonet” connectors reduce the risk of connection to IV lines.
<b>Welch Allyn Inc.</b>	<b>PP-NS-366</b>	Blood pressure cuffs with non-luer connectors	Non-invasive blood pressure monitoring cuffs available with “screw” or “bayonet” connectors reduce the risk of connection to IV lines.