



Outpatient IV treatment:
What if
self-administration
was not only
possible but **easy**



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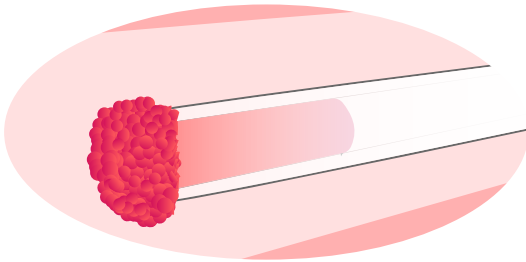


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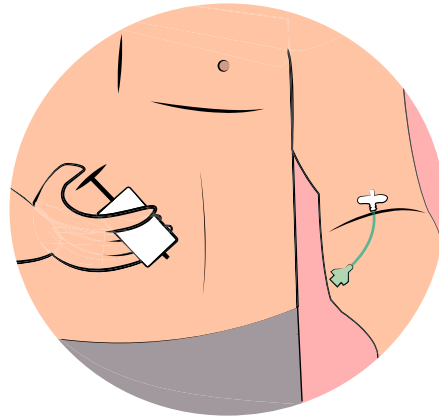
Context

Homecare IV treatments are today more and more developed. Indeed, the pressure put on hospitals to decrease their costs and the duration of bed occupancy led them to privilege outpatient treatments when possible. This option can be considered for a lot of indications, like chronic diseases but also for long-term infections (bone-and-joint infections, skin and soft tissue infections...). This is why OPAT (Outpatient Parenteral Antimicrobial Therapy) is today a common practice in many countries. In order to reduce even more nursing time and associated costs, an innovative trend is emerging in the field of OPAT: the patient-self-administration.

Problems



Increased risk of catheter occlusion / thrombosis, particularly with PICCs and Midlines



Medical devices are not adapted to allow patient self-administration

Solution: **octopus 1 bionector** TKO ref : 5222.838

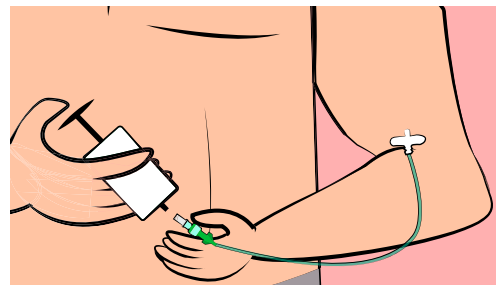


• bionector TKO advantages:



- Can stay up to 7 days
- Needleless Closed System
- TKO anti-occlusion valve preventing blood reflux and catheter occlusion

• Ideal length for the patient to be able to handle it (27cm)



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