**ENFit® Cleaning Procedures**

**Low Profile Feeding Tubes Extension Sets**

**Tips for keeping ENFit feeding tube ports clean. Inspect before you connect!**
- **Priming Feeding Sets** - Stop priming before fluid reaches the end of the tube.
- **ENFit Syringe Draw Up** - Wipe medication and nutrition from tip/outer threads, keep fluids out of dead space before connecting to feeding tube.

*For best results, follow these instructions to clean tubes at least once a day or whenever material is visible.*

**Tube Cleaning Supplies & Terms**

- Cup of clean water
- Syringe
- Gauze
- Brush* or ENFit specific cleaning tool
- ENFit Extension Set

**Note:** Use a disposable brush or follow manufacturer’s instructions if using ENFit specific cleaning brush.

1. Wash hands with soap and water. Rinse brush with tap water.
2. Disconnect extension set, soak in clean water or rinse under faucet for at least one minute.
3. Wet toothbrush and rotate in bottom of moat and grooves of cap for 15 seconds.
4. Fill syringe then flush or rinse with clean tap water.
5. Wipe feeding tube port and cap dry with gauze. Clean supplies and allow to air dry.

* A manual toothbrush is regulated as a medical device intended to remove debris from the teeth in some jurisdictions. Consult your licensed healthcare provider or Risk Manager regarding recommended use for cleaning feeding tube ports. Dispose of single use devices as instructed. Cleaning procedures courtesy of Children’s Mercy Kansas City.

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