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References: 1. UC Davis Health Policy 7509: Hemodialysis/Apheresis Catheters 2. BD PowerFlow Nursing Guide 3. BD PowerFlow Step-by-Step Access Guide				
Review of UC Davis Health Policy 7509: Hemodialysis/Apheresis Catheters				
Review of UC Davis Health Policy 13001: Vascular Access Policy (Adult/Pediatric)				
DEMONSTRATE: Using the following steps, demonstrates one successful PowerFlow access and de-access on a human or simulated patient under the supervision of the vendor educator or UC Davis Health skill verified healthcare provider				
ACCESS:			███████	███████
Locate and identify the port via palpation by identifying the high and low points of the port				
Prepare access materials, including a primed extension set				
Clean and prepare the access site prior to accessing per UC Davis Health policy				
Stabilize the port with non-dominant, sterile gloved hand and palpate the funnel				
Using a shallow angle (30 degrees) of access, insert the needle into the funnel and slide it to the stop				
Separate needle from the IV catheter hub by pulling the needle slightly away				
Advance the IV catheter completely, continuing to pull the needle slightly away as needed				
Withdraw needle and engage safety mechanism				
Immediately attach the extension set, aspirate for blood return, and flush with normal saline				
Securely dress the site per Clinical Policy 13001: Vascular Access Policy (Adult/Pediatric)				

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DE-ACCESS:		
Flush with normal saline to clear line		
Perform locking procedure by withdrawing the IV catheter while flushing continuously with locking solution to reduce potential for blood backflow into the catheter tip (5mL locking solution is recommended)		
After IV catheter removal, apply pressure if bleeding occurs		
Apply dressing per Clinical Policy 13001: Vascular Access Policy (Adult/Pediatric)		

Signature and Printed Name of skill verified personnel who has initialed on this form:		
Initial:	Print Name:	Signature:

PRECEPTEE STATEMENT AND SIGNATURE:

I have read and understand the appropriate UC Davis Health policies and/or equipment operations manual, and I have demonstrated the ability to perform the verified skills as noted

Printed Name	Signature	Date

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