SecurAcath PICC Benefits

Dramatically Reduces Catheter Dislodgement
• SecurAcath clinical data publications show catheter dislodgement rates of 0-1.5%1-4
• Adhesive securement devices have published dislodgement rates of 14-20%7-8
• Decreased catheter replacement costs
  - PICC replacement cost is approximately $500 at bedside, $1000 in IR7, $1200 in pediatrics

Decreased Catheter Movement or Migration
• Catheter movement at the insertion site can introduce bacteria beneath the skin10
• Improved stability may promote healing at insertion site which acts as a natural barrier to infection
• May reduce phlebitis, thrombosis and infection

Increased Stability
• SecurAcath secures right at the catheter/skin junction
• Minimizes catheter movement, pistoning and migration

Improved Efficiency
• SecurAcath is much faster to use than adhesive devices
• One SecurAcath secures for the life of the line
• SecurAcath saves nursing time during weekly dressing changes
  - Dressing change can be done 3-5 minutes faster
• SecurAcath allows for easy catheter repositioning

360 Degree Site Cleaning While Secured
• Excellent cleaning access around the entire insertion site
• Catheter remains stable and secure during cleaning
• Improved stability and cleaning may help reduce infections

Decreased skin irritation
• Adhesives can cause skin irritation and breakdown

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