# INNOVATIVE CATHETER DESIGN TO REDUCE CAUTI

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  - \$1.5M Jun 2020

#### **Connected Catheter Animation Video**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C\_nMogem9k0

## **Bottom Line Up Front (BLUF)**

- We have continued to develop and refine a fully-internal, extended-use, wirelessly-controlled, urinary catheter for adult males with Chronic Urinary Retention (CUR).
- We are optimistic that this could reduce CAUTI for both Indwelling and Intermittent Catheter users and offer a new option for adult males who are chronic catheter users.

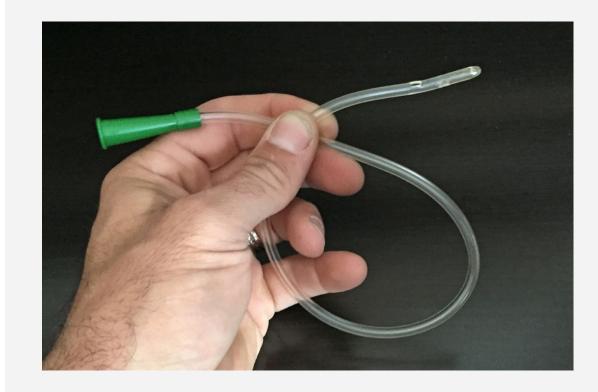
## CHALLENGES WITH EXISTING METHODS OF BLADDER MANAGEMENT



## Intermittent Catheters (IC)

#### Preferred method of care

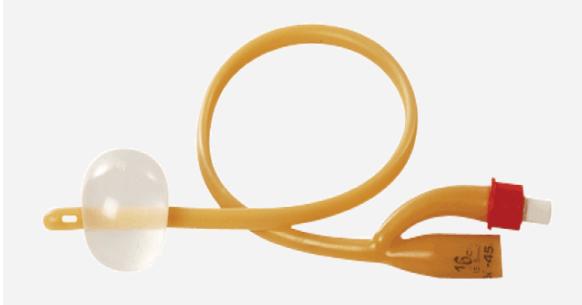
- Does frequency of use increase likelihood of CAUTI?
- Does frequency of use increase likelihood of other complications?
- Less Frequent Catheterization



## **Foley Catheters**

#### Alternative Option to IC

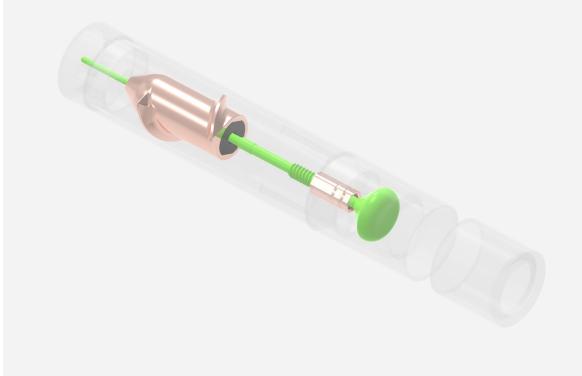
- Does Foley use increase likelihood of CAUTI?
- Does Foley use increase likelihood of other complications?
- Fully Internal



## **Incomplete Emptying**

#### Active Valve-Pump

- Does incomplete emptying increase likelihood of CAUTI?
- Does incomplete emptying increase likelihood of complications?
- Active bladder emptying



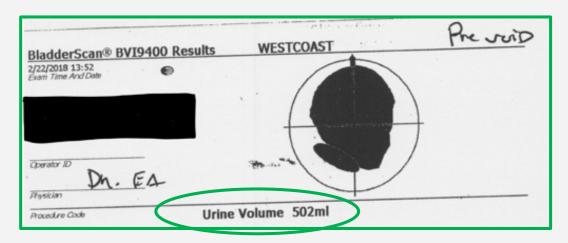
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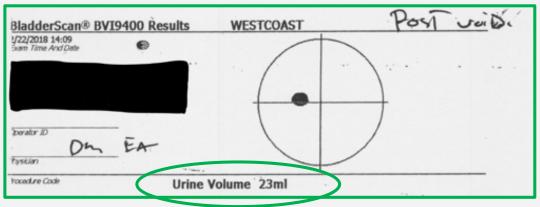


## First in Man Study

#### 2018

- 5 Patients
- 1 Day of use (In Clinic)
- Tested functionality of:
  - Insertion
  - Bladder Emptying
  - Removal





## **Feasibility Study**

#### 2018

- 21 Patients
- 1-90 days of use (Home Use)
- User Needs Human Factors:
  - Patient Training/Support
  - Shorten duration of device use

#### **CASE STUDY 1**

- Male 34 yo
- T6 Complete Paraplegia
- Intermittent Catheter User
- 90 days of device use
- 1 case of Asymptomatic Bacteriuria

#### **CASE STUDY 2**

- Male 82 yo
- TURP
- Failed artificial sphincter
- Foley Catheter User
- Immediate device migration

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### **Evaluation Study**

#### 2019

- Up to 80 Users for 5 weeks of use
- Safety Freedom from GU Injury
- Performance Complete Bladder Emptying (PVR)
- Survey QoL instruments

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## LESS FREQUENT CATHETERIZATION

**FULLY INTERNAL** 

**ACTIVE BLADDER EMPTYING** 

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