

Rocket Seldinger Chest Drainage Sets & Ward Procedure Trays

The **Rocket® Seldinger Chest Drainage Kit** combines the benefits of small bore catheterisation with the ease and reliability of the Seldinger approach whether under direct vision, x-ray screening or ultrasound guidance. Small bore catheters have been shown to be as effective as larger drains without the disadvantage of patient discomfort^{1,2}

For percutaneous insertion of a chest tube for pleural drainage of fluid and air and is particularly suitable for:³

- Pneumothorax, spontaneous or iatrogenic
- Effusions, benign or malignant, except those with high protein content.
- Low viscosity empyema.

In response to concerns and advice from *British Thoracic Society* members, the **Rocket Seldinger Chest Drainage Set** now contains shorter (10cm) dilators with secondary safety stops. These help to minimise the risks of over-insertion associated with the traditional 20cm dilator.

References:

1. *Catheters smaller than 24 French gauge can be used for chest drains*

Taylor PM. BMJ (1997) 315:186

2. *Management of Malignant Pleural Effusions*
Antunes G, Neville E, Thorax (2000) 55:981-983

3. *Clinical Evaluation of Seldinger Drainage Kit.*

Beaumont A C et al Proceedings of Intensive Care Society Meeting, December 1999.



Ordering Information	Size	Code
Rocket® Seldinger Chest Drainage Set Skin knife, Tuohy type insertion needle, guidewire, 10cm dilators with safety stops, 30cm catheter, radiopaque stripe and tip, syringe, wide bore stopcock, fir-tree and wide-bore luer connectors Sterile, for single patient use in cartons of 10 units.	12FG	R54544-12-00
	18FG	R54544-18-00
Rocket® Seldinger Chest Drainage Set with Safety Guards Skin knife, Tuohy type insertion needle, guidewire, 10cm dilators with Safety Guards, 30cm catheter with radiopaque stripe and tip, syringe, stopcock, fir-tree & wide-bore luer connectors, for single patient use in cartons of 5 units.	12FG	R54544-12-SG
	18FG	R54544-18-SG
Rocket® Seldinger Chest Drainage Tray – Complete Ward Procedure Set Skin knife, Tuohy type insertion needle, guidewire, 10cm dilators with Safety Guards, 30cm catheter with radiopaque stripe and tip, syringe, stopcock, fir-tree & wide-bore luer connectors, skin fixation set, ward procedure pack including drapes, swabs, sponges, 10ml syringes, gallipot. Sterile, for single patient use in cartons of 5 units.	12FG	R54544-12-PK
	16FG	R54549-16-PK
	18FG	R54544-18-PK
	20FG	R54549-20-PK
Rocket® Seldinger Chest Drainage Training DVD A clinician's guide to the safe insertion and connection of Rocket® Seldinger Chest Drainage Sets.		R54544-DVD

