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Occlusion Management Guidelines for CVADs: A Home Care Perspective

DESCRIPTION:

Occlusions of central venous access devices (CVADs) are the most common CVAD complication in home care, with significant negative patient, process and economical outcomes. The Canadian Vascular Access Association (CVAA) has developed a national Occlusion Management Guideline. The purpose of this presentation is to review the assessment, management and prevention of CVAD occlusions, as presented in the Guideline. Clinical practice tools and templates that support the application of this guideline will be discussed to ensure safe and effective management of CVAD occlusions.



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