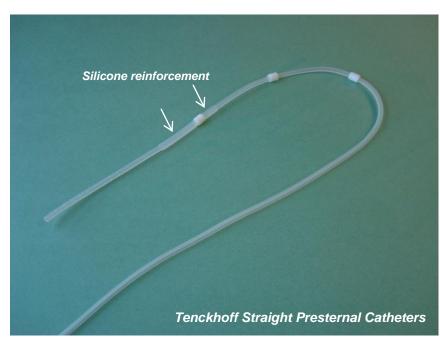
Presternal PD Catheters





- The presternal catheter is composed of two segments, distal and proximal, trimmed to size for the patient, and joined with a titanium connector in the subcutaneous tunnel at the time of implantation.
- The proximal segment comes in a two cuff swan neck configuration while the distal segment is generally a coiled configuration.
- Presternal catheters are indicated for patients with a more active lifestyle. As the exit site is located on the upper chest wall instead of at the belt line, this catheter is ideal for those patients who enjoy wading in a pool or soaking in a tub.
- Presternal catheter is particularly useful for obese patients who may have difficulty manipulating a catheter at the belt line and those with abdominal ostomies. The catheter exit location in the chest is preferred by some patients for psychological/body image reasons.
- Clinical results achieved with presternal catheters show excellent outcomes with decreased frequency of exit/tunnel infection. Such outcomes possibly result from more effective immobilization of the catheter on the chest, less trauma, longer subcutaneous tunnel and avoidance of submersion in stagnant water.

Tenckhoff Straight 2 or 3 cuff long Presternal Catheters do not require a titanium extender.

Silicone reinforcement next to the peritoneal cuff provides better cuff anchorage and stabilizes catheter abdomen segment.

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Cat No.	Tip - Cuff	Cuff	Cuff	External	Total
		1 - 2	2 - 3		Length
2 cuff					
SA-12806PR	155mm	60mm	-	565mm	800mm
SA-12808PR	155mm	80mm	-	545mm	800mm
SA-12800PR	155mm	100mm	-	525mm	800mm
SA-12656PR	155mm	60mm	-	415mm	650mm
SA-12658PR	155mm	80mm	-	395mm	650mm
SA-12650PR	155mm	100mm	-	375mm	650mm
3 cuff					
SA-13806PR	155mm	60mm	60mm	495mm	800mm
SA-13808PR	155mm	80mm	80mm	455mm	800mm
SA-13800PR	155mm	100mm	100mm	415mm	800mm
SA-13656PR	155mm	60mm	60mm	345mm	650mm
SA-13658PR	155mm	80mm	80mm	305mm	650mm
SA-13650PR	155mm	100mm	100mm	265mm	650mm



