INSTRUCTIONS FOR DISCHARGING DRAINS AND DRAIN PROGRESS CHART

Step 1. Using sterile gloves, hold the drain bulb, open bulb by removing the attached plug, dispose of the collected fluid.

Step 2. To reactivate apply pressure-squeeze the drain bulb until compressed then close bulb with attached plug. DRAIN WILL NOT FUNCTION IF NOT COMPRESSED.

Step 3. If drain is clogged, to unclog hold drain from the drain site, milk the drain by stretching and pulling the tubing downward. Repeat - until drainage continues.

DRAIN PROGRESS CHART			
DATE	**DRAIN SITE**	**AMOUNT OF DRAINAGE**	**TIME DRAINED**
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