

# Peripheral Venepuncture

## Using Standard-ANTT in a Community Care setting

for the ANTT Practice Framework see: [www.antt.org](http://www.antt.org)



When entering the patient's home disinfect hands



**1 Disinfect Tray**  
as local policy – creating a **General Aseptic Field**



**2 Apply Disposable Apron**



**3 Gather Equipment**  
& place around tray



**4 Disinfect Hands**  
with alcohol hand rub or soap & water



**5 Prepare Equipment**  
protecting **Key-Parts** with non-touch technique (NTT) & **Micro Critical Aseptic Fields**



**6 Place Drape**  
under the patient's arm



**7 Apply Tourniquet**  
(use single-use disposable tourniquet) palpate vein & release tourniquet



**8 Disinfect Hands**  
with alcohol hand rub or soap & water



**9 Apply Gloves**  
(use sterile gloves if **Key-Site** must be touched directly)\* & re-apply tourniquet



**10 Disinfect Skin**  
with a 2% CHG / 70% IPA using friction for 30 seconds. Allow to dry



**11 Access Vein**  
protecting **Key-Parts** & **Key-Sites** using NTT  
*If re-palpation needed, repeat step 10 or use sterile gloves\**

If attempt to draw blood is unsuccessful return to step **7**



**12 Dispose of Sharps**  
and equipment



**13 Disinfect Tray**  
according to local policy



**14 Dispose of Gloves**  
then apron & immediately...



**15 Disinfect Hands**  
with alcohol hand rub or soap & water



**16 Dispose of Waste**  
according to local policy



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