**Peripheral IV Placement**

**Initial Script:** You are taking care of a patient who has tested positive for Ebola and you need to place a peripheral IV. For the purpose of this simulation, please focus on the procedural aspect of the simulation.

**Start**
RN is led to patient bedside and patient greets him/her
“Are you here to place my IV?”

**Preparation Actions:**
1. Prepare his/her materials
   a. Line
   b. Tegaderm or similar
   c. Gauze
2. Place second pair of gloves
3. Place tourniquet
4. Prep area

**IV Placement:**
1. Vein cannulated
2. Needle retracted
3. Luer lock connected
4. Line secured

**Clean up:**
1. Sharps placed in sharps container
2. Appropriate disposal of waste

**End**
After line is connected and materials are cleaned up, SP states “Thank you for doing that, it didn’t hurt a bit.”

**Logistics**

**IV supplies**
1. IV catheters
2. Gauze
3. Connector
4. Tegaderm
5. Alcohol preps
6. Basin
7. Bag
8. IV tubing

**Patient (with IV simulator)**
1. Gown
2. Sheet
3. Stool
4. IV simulator

**Environment**
1. Stool
2. Bedside table
3. Cart
4. Sharps container

**Length:**
10 minutes/sim

**Set up:** Patient in stretcher with gown. A bedside stand is next to the patient with all necessary materials. The patient is prepped with IV simulator. He/she will follow any instructions given by the practitioner.

Note: these supplies in addition to standard PPE for EVD care

**Notes:**

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