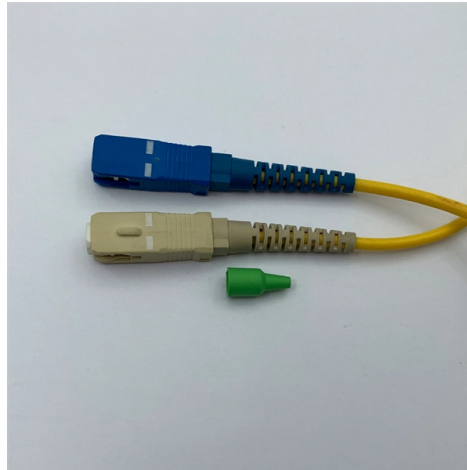


Pigtail straightening



AI Overview

Pigtail straightening is a medical technique used to temporarily straighten the curled end of pigtail catheters or stents to facilitate insertion, replacement, or drainage. Overview Pigtail catheters and stents have a curled distal end (the "pigtail") designed to anchor the device in place within a body cavity, ureter, or bile duct. Straightening the pigtail is often necessary during placement, replacement, or removal to allow smooth passage through a guidewire, catheter, or body lumen without causing trauma or misplacement. Techniques and Devices Guidewire-Assisted Straightening A small angled guidewire (e.g., 0.025-inch) is inserted into the lumen of the pigtail portion. Rotational torque is applied to advance the guidewire into the target duct or cavity. A snare or catheter is then used to grasp the tip of the pigtail and pull it into a straightened configuration for safe insertion or replacement. Pigtail Straightening Sleeves Some drainage catheters include a pigtail straightening sleeve, which moves axially along the catheter. The sleeve has a lip at its distal end that, when positioned, straightens the pigtail loop, allowing a rigid member (like a cannula or trocar) to be inserted into the catheter lumen. Ureteral Stent Straighteners Certain ureteral stents, such as the InLay Optima™, come with a pigtail straightener as part of the kit. The straightener is advanced over the pigtail coil to temporarily straighten it for insertion over a guidewire or push catheter. Once the stent is in place, the straightener is removed, allowing the pigtail to reform and anchor the stent. Manual Straightening During Drainage Procedures For drainage catheters, the straightener can be advanced carefully over the curvature of the catheter while holding the pigtail with fingers. After insertion into the cavity, the stiffener is removed, and the pigtail reforms to secure the catheter in place. Clinical Applications Biliary Stents: Used in malignant hilar biliary obstruction to replace or convert stents safely. Ureteral Stents: Relieve obstruction in ureters due to benign, malignant, or post-traumatic condition...

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The radiopaque polyurethane material is kink resistant, and the catheter features multiple sideports to maximize drainage capabilities. The small-bore pigtail catheter design helps reduce trauma to

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ARTICLE 1 (REVIEW) In 2013, a paper published in Clinics in Chest Medicine aimed to generalise the use of small-bore catheters for drainage procedures, including in pleural infection. In "Straightening

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