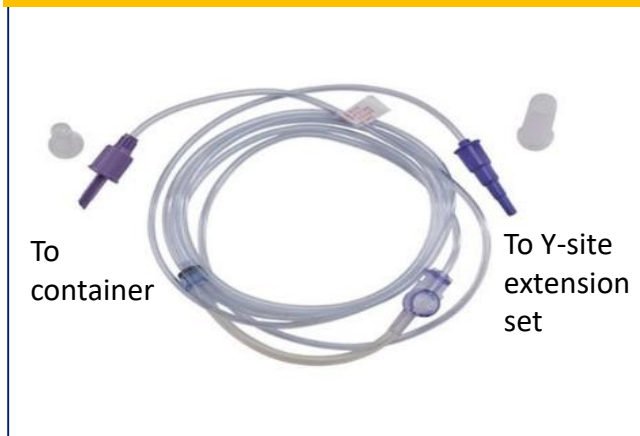


Allows extended use of tubing by maintaining a *closed* system for enteral feeding, irrigation, and enteral medications

Closed Feeding Spike System



Y-site Extension Set



Enteral Feeding Using the Y-site Extension:

1. Attach the spike set securely to the main line of the Y-site connector.
2. Close the flush/medication port cap.
3. Prime the enteral feeding and Y-site extension set.
4. Attach non-IV compatible connection site from the Y-site extension set to the patient's feeding tube.
5. Start pump to begin enteral feeding.
6. When maintaining a closed system, formula can hang for 48 hours. If system is opened, replace formula and entire system after 24 hours.

Irrigation/Enteral Medication Administration Using Y-site Extension Set:

1. Place enteral feeding pump on hold. Keep enteral feeding set connected.
2. Open flush/medication port and insert an oral or catheter tip syringe to administer the water flush and/or medications per hospital policy.
3. Following flush, remove oral or catheter tipped syringe and recap the flush/medication port.
4. Restart the enteral feeding pump.

*Note: Extension set not needed for enteral tubes with y-sites present. Feeding tubes should be flushed with sterile water when feeding is disrupted, when administering ordered water flushes, and for routine irrigation every four hours.