

PATIENT & CAREGIVER EDUCATION

Showering While You Have a Central Venous Catheter (CVC)

This video will show you how to put a waterproof cover over your CVC before you shower. It will also teach you how to shower using a 4% chlorhexidine gluconate (CHG) solution antiseptic skin cleanser, such as Hibiclens[®].



Please visit

www.mskcc.org/pe/about_cvc_pediatric to watch this video.

If you have any questions, contact a member of your care team directly. If you're a patient at MSK and you need to reach a provider after 5 p.m., during the weekend, or on a holiday, call 212-639-2000.

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