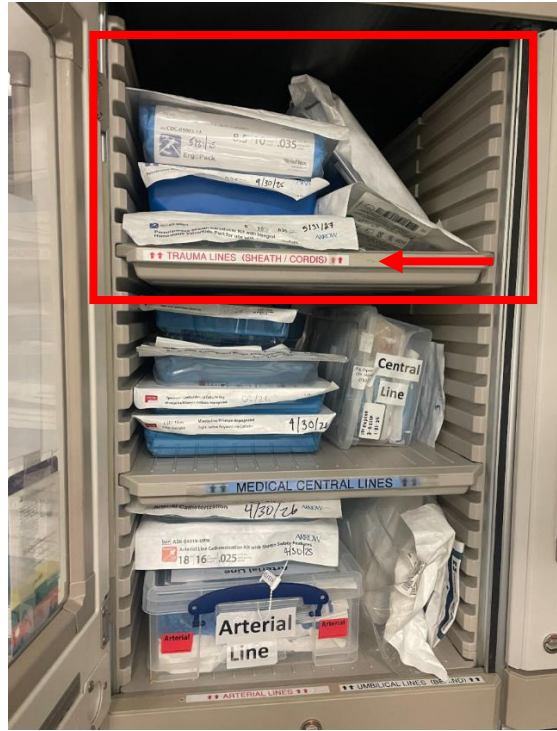
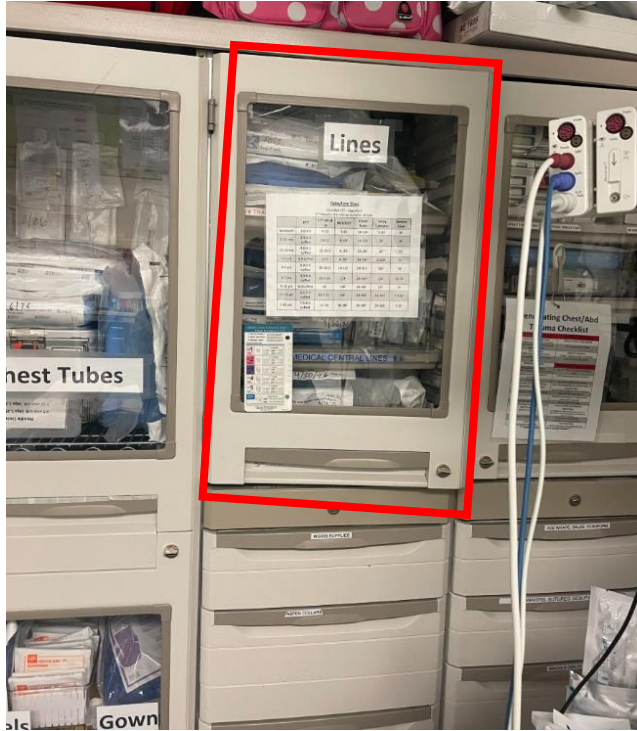
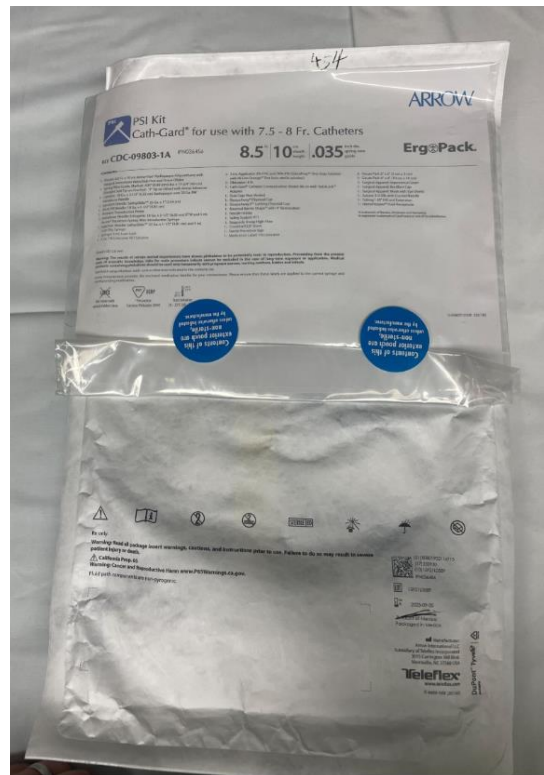
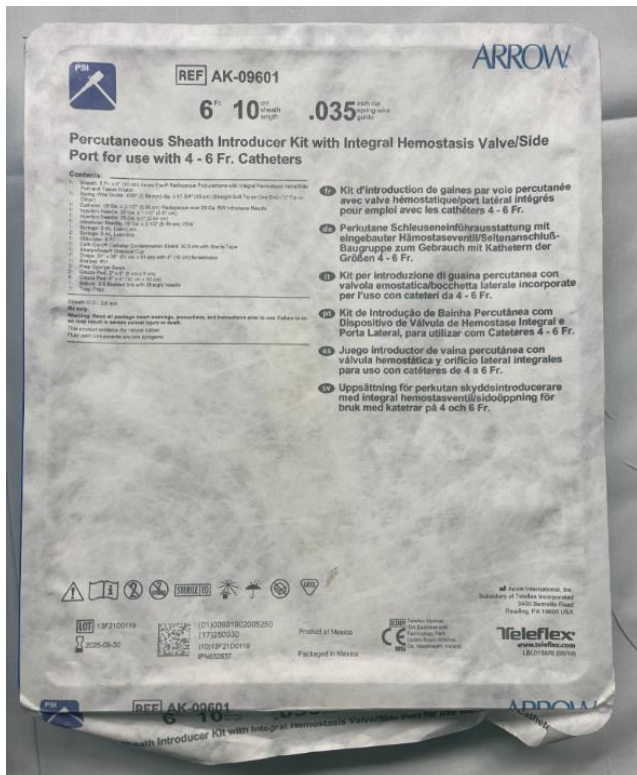


# PERCUTANEOUS SHEATH INTRODUCER (CORDIS/ARROW TRAUMA LINES)

## LOCATION IN THE BAYS:



## SIZES: 6FR 10CM OR 8FR 10 CM



## SUPPLIES NEEDED:

- Correct size (6Fr. Or 8Fr.) Sheath/"Cordis" Kit
- Central Line Supplies box
  - Adapter
  - Sterile flushes
  - Chlorhexidine (one also comes in the sheath kit)
  - Sterile Probe cover for ultrasound
  - Transparent dressing
- Ultrasound

## NURSING/MEDIC RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Provide kit for the provider
- Once kit is open, drop the sterile adapter into kit (if not planning to immediately connect for blood)
- Maintaining sterility, pour two 10mL flushes into the 20mL cartridge in the sheath kit



- **After insertion:** treat the line as a CVL. The open line may be directly connected to the Belmont or blood tubing. Once blood is no longer needed, place an adapter on the end to seal the line.

## PLACEMENT SITES:

- Subclavian
- Femoral
  - ➡ Contraindicated with penetrating abdominal trauma d/t potential for vascular injury

## BENEFITS OF A PERCUTANEOUS SHEATH/"CORDIS"

- ✓ Placed for patients with difficulty obtaining access
- ✓ A double or triple lumen can be "threaded" in its place for longer-term access
- ✓ Can be connected directly to the Belmont or blood tubing
- ✓ Can pull blood off the line
- ✓ Large Bore for more rapid blood administration

