



RE: CLAVE® Compatibility with Glass Filled Syringes

Thank you for your interest in the CLAVE. The CLAVE is approved for use as an accessory to an intravenous system including any vascular access device with peripheral, central, or arterial placement.

The CLAVE Connector is typically not compatible with glass syringes. Previous investigations of glass syringes show these devices to have an internal diameter (ID) of approximately 0.048". The CLAVE requires a minimum of 0.062" ID from the mating luer to accommodate in the CLAVE internal cannula. Luers having an ID smaller than 0.062" such as the glass syringes, may cause damage to the CLAVE spike or obstruct flow.

Thank you again for your interest, if there are further questions or concerns please contact the corporate offices at 949-366-2183 or 800-824-7890.

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