Instructions for Use

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Antihemophilic Factor (Recombinant)

Read these instructions carefully before using NUWIQ for the first time. You should ensure that you have the appropriate training from your healthcare provider or hemophilia treatment center before attempting a self-infusion of NUWIQ. Always follow the prescribed dose and specific instructions given by your healthcare provider. The general guidelines for mixing and infusing NUWIQ are listed below. If you are unsure of any of these steps, please contact your healthcare provider before using NUWIQ.

Instruction for Mixing NUWIQ

1. Always work on a clean surface and wash your hands before performing the procedure.
2. Allow the vial of NUWIQ and the pre-filled syringe to come to room temperature.
3. Remove the plastic flip-top cap from the NUWIQ vial to expose the rubber stopper. (Figure A).
4. Wipe the top of the vial with an alcohol swab and allow the rubber stopper of the vial to dry.
5. Peel back the paper cover from the vial adapter package revealing the adapter spike without removing the adapter from the package (Figure B).
6. With the vial on an even surface, insert the adapter spike into the rubber stopper. The adapter snaps to the vial when done (Figure C).
7. Peel back the paper cover from the pre-filled syringe package. Connect plunger rod attaching the threaded end of the plunger rod to the solvent syringe, turning clockwise until a slight resistance is felt (Figure D). Avoid contact with the shaft of the plunger rod.
8. Break off the tamper-proof plastic tip from the syringe by snapping the perforation of the cap. Do not touch the inside of the cap or the syringe tip (Figure E).
9. Remove the adapter packaging and connect the syringe to the vial adapter by turning clockwise until resistance is felt (Figure F).
10. Slowly inject all liquid from syringe into the concentrate vial (Figure G).
11. Without removing the syringe, dissolve the concentrate powder in the vial by gently moving or swirling a few times. DO NOT SHAKE. Wait until all the powder dissolves completely.
12. Inspect the final solution for particles. The solution should be clear, colorless, and free from visible particles. Do not use if solution is cloudy or if it has visible particles.
13. Turn the vial and syringe upside down (still attached).
14. Slowly withdraw the solution into the syringe. Make sure that all liquid is transferred to the syringe (Figure H).
15. Detach the filled syringe from the vial adapter by turning counter clockwise.
16. Do not refrigerate the solution after reconstitution. Use the solution within 3 hours after reconstitution. If solution is not used within this time period, close the filled syringe with the tamper-proof plastic tip and discard the syringe.

Instructions for Injecting NUWIQ

For intravenous use after reconstitution only.

1. Inspect the reconstituted NUWIQ solution for visible particulate matter and discoloration prior to administration. Do not use if particles and/or discoloration are observed.
2. Do not administer NUWIQ in the same tubing or container as other medications.
3. Clean the chosen injection site with an alcohol swab.
4. Attach the provided infusion set to the syringe. Insert the needle of the infusion set into the chosen vein.
5. Perform intravenous bolus infusion. The rate of administration should be determined by the patient’s comfort level, at a maximum rate of 4 mL per minute.
6. After infusing NUWIQ, remove and properly discard the infusion set. After the infusion, remove the peel-off label containing the batch number from the factor concentrate vial and place it in the log book for record keeping. Discard the empty vial.

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