Urinary Catheter Passport

A guide to looking after a urinary catheter (for service users and healthcare workers)

Objective: To ensure catheterised service users receive the optimum standard of care by improving communication between hospital, community and the service user.

Overview: The Catheter Passport should be issued after insertion of a urinary catheter and should be taken to all GP or hospital appointments.

The 40 page A6 Passport has 3 sections which contain:

- Advice and guidance for service users
- Advice and guidance for healthcare workers on the management of urinary catheters
- A section for completion by healthcare workers to record the service user’s catheterisation history and MRSA positive results
- The Catheter Passport also contains medical alert notices for MRSA to help with antibiotic prophylactic prescribing.