Help Us Keep You Safe!

Keep your access in plain sight! Don’t hide it under a blanket!

Your needles must be taped well to keep them from coming out.

If you move around a lot or if you fall asleep and forget where you are, your venous needle can accidentally get pulled out of the vein without making the dialysis machine alarm.

You can lose a lot of blood very quickly if your needle comes out of your access.

Your nurses and technicians need to be able to see your access at all times to help protect you from danger: loss of a large amount of blood!

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