



Express and save every precious drop

For most new mothers breastfeeding is something which is expected to happen as a natural result of childbirth. How does a mother of a premature baby ensure that every drop of precious breast milk is saved to nourish her baby?

With a premature baby it is usual to express breast milk until the infant is mature enough for direct breastfeeding. Now there is a product that could prove invaluable for collecting breast milk that may otherwise have been wasted.

Milkies Milk-Saver is easy to use and clean – just rinse with warm water and air dry. It is slim, portable and BPA and phthalate-free.

The mother simply slips the discreet

pad into her bra-cup on the non-nursing side before expression and it collects breast milk that may otherwise have gone to waste. Once feeding is finished on one side, the pad is simply moved to the other breast.

Milkies milk-saver is an alternative to disposable products, reducing the need for disposable nursing pads and packaging. It has also been rigorously tested to ensure zero chemical leaching.

Breast milk is especially valuable to premature babies and at £24.96 Milkies Milk Saver helps mothers to save every drop.

Buy online at www.breastpumps.co.uk



First electronic stethoscope with Bluetooth technology

3M, manufacturer of Littmann stethoscopes, has introduced models 3200 and 3100 of the Littmann electronic stethoscope. Both build on the established benefits of 24 x sound amplification and patented ambient noise reduction technology, making them ideal for NICUs and SCBUs.

The next-generation model 3200 is the first to feature seamless two-way Bluetooth transfer of heart, lung and other body sounds to software for storage and further analysis.

With a flat diaphragm for stability and a small centred 15mm sound sensor, both models are well-sized for neonatal and paediatric auscultation.

3M has partnered with Zargis Medical Corp, a leader in advanced diagnostic decision support products, to develop exclusive complementary software packages, including StethAssist. Included with the Model 3200, StethAssist allows the visualisation, manipulation and slowing down of auscultated sounds to allow focus on an area of special interest or concern.

For further information or to request a free trial, visit www.littmann.co.uk or call 3M on 01509 613584

adhesive removers have arguably revolutionised the process of safe and effective removal of medical adhesive products and are invaluable for epidermolysis bullosa patient care.”

Niltac™ now has its own dedicated website, designed to be easy to use for busy healthcare professionals and providing comprehensive answers to many questions.

Niltac™ is distributed exclusively in the UK by Bullen Healthcare.

Visit www.niltac.com or freephone Bullen Healthcare on 0800 888 501



Atraumatic removal of adhesive dressings

Removing adhesive dressings from the skin can strip cells from the outer protective layer – the stratum corneum – particularly in neonates whose skin is extremely delicate. The effects can cause pain and extend the healing process.

Until recent developments in silicone technology the only option was to use an alcohol or oil-based adhesive remover. However these products have the potential to cause problems, such as a stinging sensation on healthy and unbroken skin, a reaction with hydrocolloids and a residue formed on the skin after use.

In contrast Niltac™ is 100% silicone and has none of these negative effects. It evaporates completely and quickly so that the next dressing can be applied without the need to remove a sticky residue and it is completely inert.

Niltac™ was introduced to the EB (epidermolysis bullosa) community during 2008 and since then it has been adopted for patients in 34 countries.

Jackie Denyer, Senior Clinical EB Nurse Specialist at Great Ormond Street Hospital for sick children, was one of the first nurses to use Niltac™. She commented: “Silicone medical