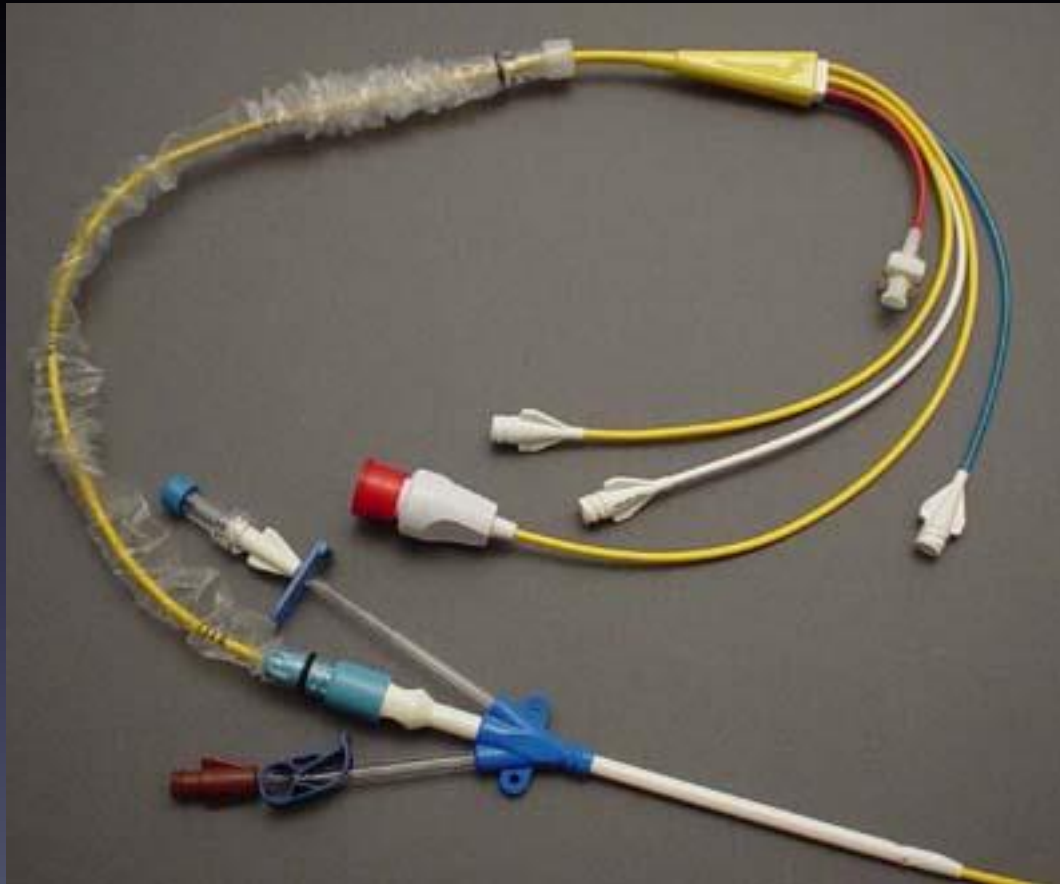


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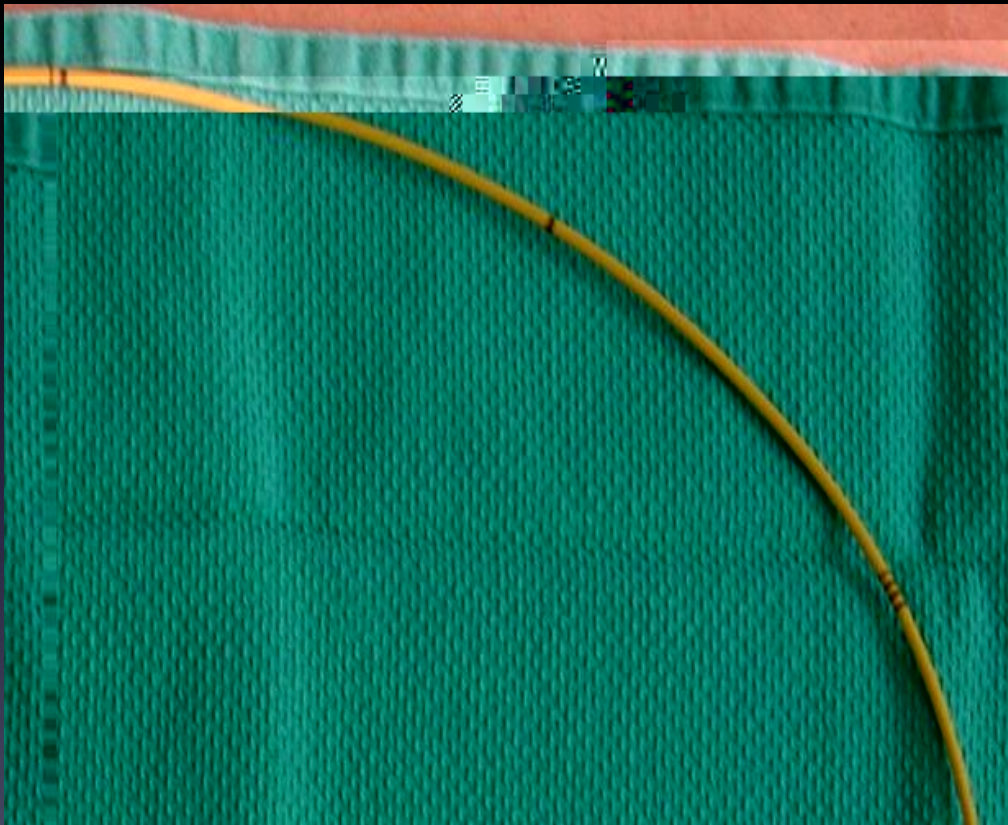


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This catheter is a pulmonary artery catheter
or PA Cath

When assessing a PA cath it is very important
to note the depth of the catheter

PA Cath



Depth is measured in centimeters

Every thin line is 10cm and when 50 cm is reached there is a thick line

So if there is a thick line (50cm) and one thin line (10cm) at the skin level that equals 60cm

PA Cath

Anytime we transport these catheters depth needs to be assessed and documented upon initial assessment and upon turnover to ensure there has not been any catheter migration