

# Recommended priming procedure for the Alaris® Pump module administration set

## Alaris® System

### Prepare tubing:

- Remove tubing from package
- Remove paper tape from tubing

**Note:** Leave blue sheath in place on the pumping segment until priming is complete

### Prepare the set:

- Close roller clamp
- Spike fluid container and hang the container 20 inches above the Alaris® Pump module

### Priming the set:

- Fill drip chamber 2/3 full
- Open roller clamp and slowly prime tubing. Priming slowly helps to minimize turbulence that can cause air bubbles to form
- Close roller clamp when priming is complete
- Remove blue sheath from pumping segment and discard



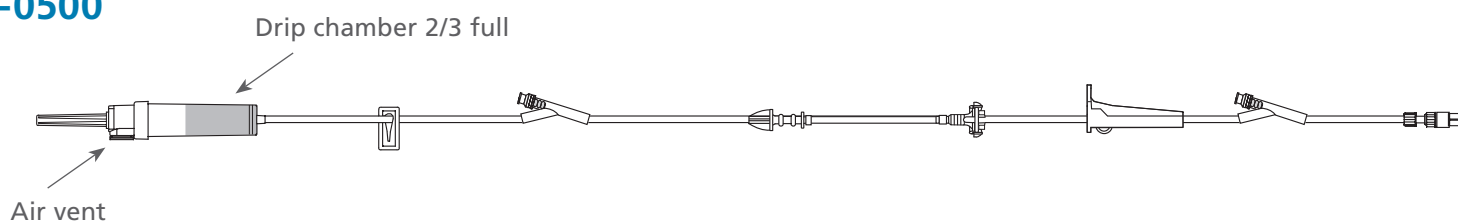
### Notes on priming:

- Ensure that the vent on the drip chamber is closed before the initial and/or subsequent spiking of a bottle. Squeeze the drip chamber while spiking the bottle to prevent the vent from becoming wet. After priming the drip chamber, open the vent cap.
- To remove visible air from the SmartSite® needle-free valve, invert and tap the valve while fluid is passing.
- To remove the 0.04 mL of air present when valve is activated, attach a luer lock syringe to the valve and aspirate the air.

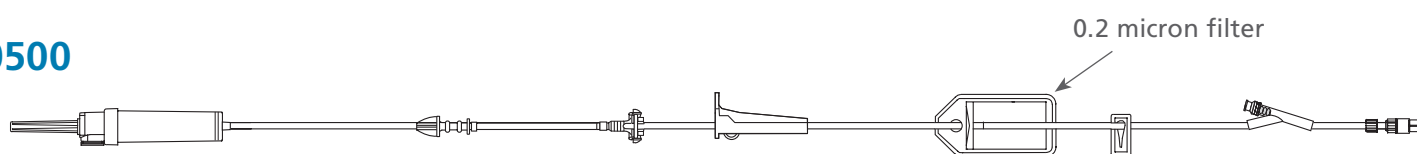
### Notes if using a filter (see sample #2412-0500):

- When priming a filter, hold the filter in the vertical position with inlet port up. Do not invert filter.
- When set is connected to the patient, maintain filter level at or below the vascular access site.

### 2410-0500



### 2412-0500



**Note:** Refer to set *Directions for Use* for full directions, warnings and precautions.

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