

Pre-procedure Equipment List

Procedure: Paracentesis, Diagnostic or Therapeutic

Please arrange the following at the bedside:

- Consent form to read "Paracentesis, **(Diagnostic/Therapeutic)**"
- Diagnostic Peritoneal Lavage Kit (Therapeutic Only)
 - or Thoracentesis kit (Therapeutic Only)
 - or **(14/16)** gauge angiocatheter and #11 blade scalpel
 - or Quincke spinal needle (not recommended)
- Paracentesis Needle
- Blood collection kit
- 2 liter Vacutainer bottles x _____
- 1-liter Vacutainer bottles x _____
- 60ml syringe
- 1% Lidocaine **(with/without)** epinephrine
- Betadine bottle
- Chucks x _____
- 18 gauge needle x _____ (will want at least one for vacutainer puncture)
- 27 gauge needle
- (5ml/10ml)** syringe
- 4x4 pack x _____
- Sterile gloves size **(6.0/ 6.5/ 7.0/ 7.5/ 8.0/ 8.5)** (Protegrity/Other: _____)
- Sterile gown x _____
- face mask **(with/ without)** shield
- (Nylon/ paper)** cap
- Band-Aid
- Sterile towel pack

Note: Universal Precautions dictate Face mask with shield, gown, cap and gloves