

BEFORE THE INJECTION: DRAWING UP THE INSULIN

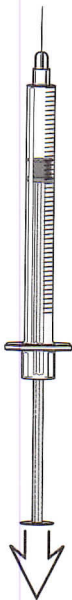


Figure 1.1

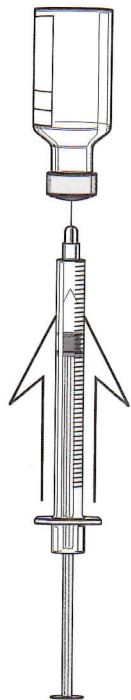


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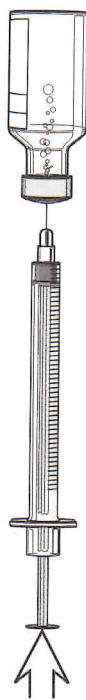


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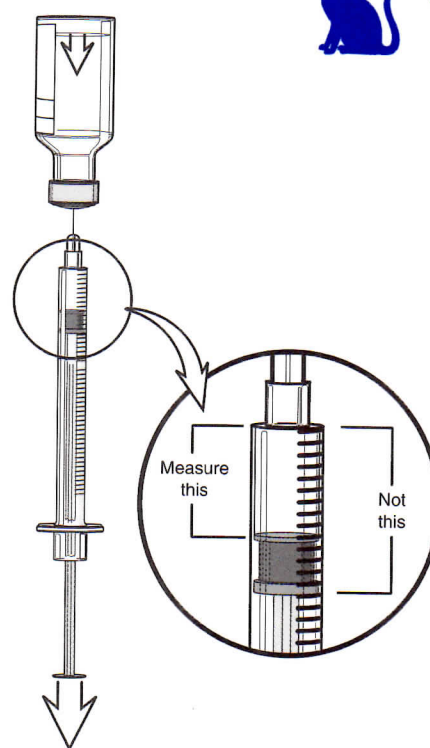


Figure 1.4

Figure 1.5

1. Set out the syringe, needle and insulin bottle and have the pet ready.
2. Remove the needle guard and draw back the plunger to the desired dose level. (See *Figure 1.1*)
3. Inject the air in the syringe into the bottle. (See *Figures 1.2 and 1.3*)
4. Withdraw the plunger, filling the syringe with the correct amount of insulin. (See *Figure 1.4*)
5. Check if there are air bubbles in the syringe. If you see an air bubble, draw up slightly more insulin than the exact dose. Withdraw the needle from the bottle and tap the syringe barrel with your finger to move the air bubble to the nozzle of the syringe. Then gently expel the air bubble by pushing the plunger upwards. (See *Figure 2*)
6. Check to see if you have the correct amount of insulin in the syringe. The correct dose is measured from the needle end, or "0" on the syringe barrel, to the end of the plunger nearest the needle. (See *Figure 1.5*)

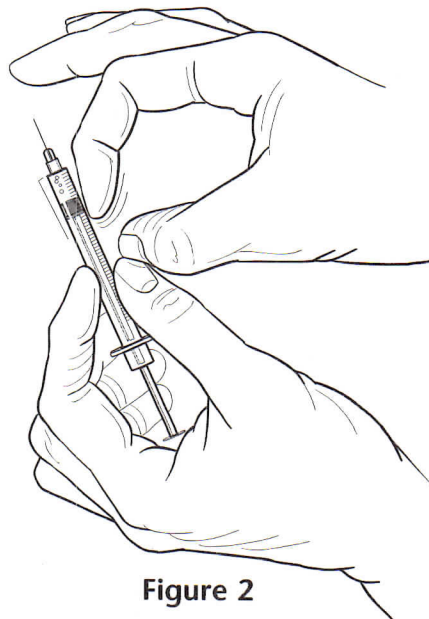


Figure 2

