

introducing TevaGuard[®]

what is TevaGuard

TevaGuard is a transparent protective cover that is applied over our drug vials after decontamination and inspection of the vials. It is a solution offered by Teva to minimize the risks associated with handling of hazardous drugs.

why TevaGuard

Health care professionals involved in preparation and administration of hazardous drugs are concerned about exposure to these drugs and the potential adverse health effects resulting. Although safety precautions like the use of protective clothing and strict adherence to protocols on handling of hazardous drugs are common, environmental contamination with and exposure to such drugs is still observed.⁽³⁾

Hospital workers handling hazardous drugs demand that these drugs come in vials that are free from outside contamination.

An important step in the production of oncology drugs at Teva is the decontamination of the outside of the filled and closed vials by a washing process.

Now, Teva has added another important step to further reduce the risk of exposure to potential outside contamination on drug vials: TevaGuard.

how does TevaGuard minimize risks

Any potential contamination that may have remained on the outside of our vials after our careful filling and decontamination process will be enclosed under the Tevanguard cover. This minimizes the risk of exposure to potential outside contamination of the vial.

the benefits of TevaGuard:

safe • TevaGuard is a transparent protective cover that is applied over our vials to minimize exposure to any potential outside contamination • TevaGuard is fully transparent. This allows for unhindered visual inspection of the contents of the vial.

easy • No extra packaging, vial handling is unchanged • No new instructions for opening the vials, no new instructions for use of spikes.

cost effective • The tightly fitted TevaGuard does not add any bulky and thus costly hospital waste in disposing of your empty vials • The space saving solution does not require any extra storage space for your drug vials • TevaGuard is offered at no extra cost for you.

