

Contraceptive Implant Checklist



Manufacturer: Organon

Brand Name: Nexplanon, 68 mg etonogestrel

SUPPLIES FOR INSERTION:

- Urine pregnancy tests to be [reasonably sure patient is not pregnant](#).
- Surgical marker for incision mark and guiding mark. Measuring tape/ruler.

SUPPLIES FOR INSERTION AND REMOVAL:

- Informed consent form (can use health center specific consent or develop one).
- Sterile gloves, alcohol wipes, and cotton swabs.
- Chux for under arm placement or optional sterile drape for procedures.
- Providone iodine/betadine or chlorhexidine (if iodine allergy), sterile swabs or plastic cup.
- Lidocaine 1% or 2% , 2-5 cc syringe and 1.5 inch needle: 18 G for drawing up, 25 G for numbing.
- Sterile 4 x 4 gauze, steri-strips/bandaid, and adhesive bandage to wrap arm (*Coban*).
- Surgical tape and scissors.

SUPPLIES FOR REMOVAL:

- Sterile straight scalpel (#11-#15) and small , straight and curved mosquito forceps/hemostats.

PROVIDER TRAINING

Identify clinical providers who regularly see patients of reproductive age, are comfortable with procedures, and are interesting in providing both insertion and removal procedures. Consider patient demand and practice location for providers who want to offer this service.

All healthcare providers placing contraceptive implants must have completed an FDA-mandated and controlled, manufacturer sponsored training program (~2 hours with Organon) for placement, removal and re-insertion. Didactic training may be helpful for providers who routinely counsel but don't plan to be proficient in procedures. Proficiency sign off generally requires five independent placements post-didactic training approved by your clinical trainer but varies based on your site leadership.

Include implant proficiency in onboarding hire, privilege packets, and proctoring protocols.

ORDERING DEVICES: BUY & BILL

Purchasing devices and tracking inventory should be consistent with processes for obtaining other 340b medications. Create an account with either vendor below to begin ordering. You will need to apply for an account or get a line of credit.

- [CuraScript SD](#): 1-877-599-7748.
- [Theracom](#): 1-866-318-3492.

Review [Medicaid Billing](#) and use the "UD" modifier with 340b products. Implants (and IUDs) are carved out of the encounter rate allowing you to bill separately from the encounter visit. Start small (perhaps 5 implants) at each clinic that will have a trained provider.

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