

## Enterostomy care: Methods of care SUMMARY

## Emptying the bag of the ostomy device

- 1. Anticipate
- 2. Prepare
- 3. Proceed
- 4. Position your child
- 5. Open the bag
- 6. Empty the bag
- 7. Clean the opening of the bag
- 8. Drain air from the bag
- 9. Close the bag
- 10. Check the seal of the skin barrier
- 11. Recovery

## Changing the collection device

- 1. Anticipate
- 2. Prepare
- 3. Proceed
- 4. Position your child
- 5. Empty the bag
- 6. Remove the collection device
- 7. Clean the stoma and the skin around it
- 8. Examine the stoma and the condition of the skin around it
- 9. Place a temporary absorbent protection over the stoma
- 10. Cut the opening in the skin barrier, if necessary
- 11. Even the cut opening of the skin barrier
- 12. Warm the skin barrier
- 13. Select the placement of the bag (one piece device)
- 14. Remove the plastic covering or the protective paper from the skin barrier
- 15. Protect the skin around the stoma
- 16. Place the skin barrier around the stoma
- 17. Secure the bag (2 piece device)
- 18. Empty air out of the bag
- 19. Close the bag
- 20. Check that the skin barrier is completely sealed to the skin
- 21. Recovery