

## INSTRUCTION SHEET SECURLINK BLOOD BAND

### The Securlink Blood Band System

The Securlink Blood Band System links the patient, transfused blood, and all related paperwork for accurate and complete blood transfusion. The system includes an ID wristband with insert card, a sheet of 16 pre-numbered labels, and a specimen tube label. The wristband is made of soft vinyl, and features a tamperproof SecurSnap® fastener:



### To Be Completed At **Bedside:**

1. Verify patient's name and Medical Record Number or Date of Birth.
2. Fill out the insert card at the bottom of the labels sheet with patient's name and Medical Record Number, tear off and insert into the blood band. (Do not remove paper backing from the insert card.) Apply blood band to the patient's wrist.
3. Collect blood sample.
4. Write the patient's name on small labels and apply to all blood sample tubes.
5. Write the patient's name on the one remaining label and apply to the "Request for Transfusion of Blood Components Form"