

# GONAL-F MULTIDOSE **Subcutaneous Injection**

## 1. Gather equipment:

- Vial containing Gonal-F 1200 IU Multi-Dose (white powder)
- Single, prefilled syringe labeled "Bacteriostatic Water" for Injection, USP
- 1ml 27 gauge ½ injection syringe with unit dose markings from .1–1.0
- 1¼ inch needle to give medication
- Alcohol/cotton

## 2. Mix medication:

- Flip off top of Multi-Dose vial.
- Wipe the top of the vial stopper with an alcohol wipe.
- Remove the cap from the needle of the syringe. Twist the needle off the syringe labeled "Bacteriostatic Water" for Injection, USP.
- Puncture the vial. Position the needle of the syringe of water in a straight, upright position over the marked center circle of the rubber stopper on the vial.
- Slowly inject the water into the vial by depressing the syringe plunger.
- Withdraw needle and dispose in biohazard container.

### Preparing your dose: 3.

- Wipe the rubber stopper with an alcohol wipe.
- Insert needle of specialized syringe through the marked center circle of the rubber stopper.
- Keeping the needle in the vial, lift the vial and turn it upside down with the needle pointing toward the ceiling.
- Slowly pull back the plunger until the syringe fills to slightly more than the mark for your prescribed dose.
- Keeping the needle in the vial, slowly adjust plunger to desired dose.
- Remove needle and recap syringe needle.
- Change needle to 1¼ inch needle for administration on abdomen area.

### 4. Injecting your dose:

- Pick your injection site in your abdomen.
- Prepare skin site with rubbing alcohol by rubbing vigorously.
- Insert needle entirely, holding skin taut. Needle should be inserted at 45-90 degree angle.
- Inject medication.
- Remove needle. **DO NOT** recap needle dispense into your needle dispense container.

IMPORTANT: Gonal-F Multi-Dose must be refrigerated after reconstitution.