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X 3. Inform consumer what you are about to do.
X 4. Provide privacy.
X 5. Put gloves on.
X 6. Loosen clothing to view the entire bag & stoma (site). Observe skin around stoma for changes in color, excessive bleeding, swelling, or any other changes.
X 7. Unroll the bottom of bag and empty into designated container.
X 8. Wipe drainage edge of bag to clean any excess stool off.
X 9. Add odor drops if have them.
X 10. Roll bottom edge up and secure with attached Velcro or Colostomy clip.
X 11.Empty contents from container into toilet after measuring if required.
X 12.Then rinse and spray container with disinfectant after each use.
X 13. Remove gloves & wash hands.
X 14. Document/Record as needed.

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