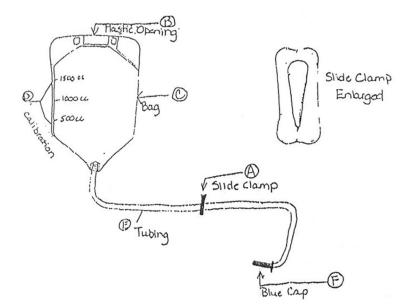
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Enema Instructions

- 1. Close Slide clamp (A): slide the clamp to the right or left so it pinches the tubing off. Make sure the clamp is about 12 inches from the blue cap.
- Open the top of the bag: separate the plastic opening by holding the two edges of firm plastic
 (B) between your forefinger and thumb and bringing your thumb and finger closer together.
- 3. Fill the bag with warm (NOT HOT!) tap water: pour water into the opening you have created at the top of the bag approximately 1 to 1 ½ quarts (1000-1500 cc (D))
- 4. Hang the bag or have someone hold the bag at least 18 inches above where your rectum will be
- 5. once you are ready to insert the tubing. (Tip: This can be done by putting the bag on a hanger and hanging it on a door knob or hook)

6. REMOVE THE BLUE CAP (F).

- 7. <u>LYING ON YOUR LEFT SIDE</u>, insert the lubricated tip of the tubing gently into your rectum approximately 6 inches. Hold tubing in place
- 8. Open the slide clamp (A)
- 9. Let as much water as you can go into your rectum; at least 1 quart (1000cc) It is important to try and hold as much of the water as possible to help cleanse the entire colon.
- 10. Close slide clamp and replace blue cap.
- 10. Hold the water in your colon 1-2 minutes
- 11. Sit on the toilet to eliminate the water
- 12. Do not flush the toilet until you look at what has come out. Note the color.
- 13. Repeat the process until the fluid coming out is clear and without solid material.