

# Epi-Pen<sup>®</sup> alternative: **Epinephrine ampules** for Anaphylaxis Treatment

**0.3mg IM for adults**

0.15mg for pediatric patients

Break ampule; use FILTER needle to draw up 0.3 mg (0.3 mL) for adult dose.

Remove filter needle; attach needle for intramuscular administration in middle third of the thigh.

Call 9-1-1

Draw up the medication, holding syringe with needle up, expel any air from syringe.

Use a filter straw (filter needle) to draw up the medication from the ampule. The filter traps any glass particles.



# Emergency Medication Kit Contents

- Diphenhydramine 50 mg capsule
- Diphenhydramine 50 mg vial
  - Syringe, 1-mL Luer-lock
  - Needle, 23 gauge, 1 inch
  - Needle, 23 gauge, 1.5 inch
  - Alcohol pads
- EPINEPHrine Kit
  - EPINEPHrine 1 mg / 1 mL ampule
  - Filter needle
  - Syringe, 1-mL Luer-lock
  - Needle, 23 gauge, 1 inch
  - Needle, 23 gauge, 1.5 inch
  - Alcohol pads
  - Dose instructions