LESSON 2

What is Uniject™?

Uniject is a trademark of BD.
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Learning objectives

• Explain what Uniject is and how it works.
• Name the parts of a Uniject.
• Explain the expected benefits of Uniject.
What is Uniject?

An injection system that is:

- Single-dose
- Prefilled
- Easy to use
- Not reusable
- Small in size
Names of the parts of Uniject

**Reservoir**
- Will be 3/4 full
- Large air bubble is normal

**Valve**
- Prevents re-use

**Port**
- Hold Uniject here to prepare and inject

**Needle**
- 9.5 mm for Sayana Press

**Needle shield**
Expected benefits of Uniject

- Allows more women to receive injectable contraceptives:
  - Community-based providers can reach women in the community.
  - Easier and quicker to use.
  - Less waste to dispose of.
- Helps the injection to be safe:
  - Prefilled with correct dose.
  - Assures sterile injection.
- Clients may prefer the smaller needle.
LESSON 2 QUIZ

What have you learned about Uniject?

1. Where should you hold the Uniject while you are preparing it and injecting it?

2. Is it normal to see a large air bubble in the Uniject reservoir?

3. How is the length of the Uniject needle for Sayana Press different from a needle for depo-IM?

4. What are some of the expected benefits of Uniject?