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/EINPresswire.com/ -- "The [intermittent
catheters market](#) has experienced

notable growth in recent years, reflecting increasing medical needs and technological progress. As the prevalence of urinary disorders rises and healthcare evolves, this market is set for continued expansion in the coming years. Below is a detailed overview of the market's size, key growth drivers, leading regions, and evolving trends.



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Strong Market Growth Expected for Intermittent Catheters Between 2025 and 2030

The intermittent catheters market has shown robust expansion, with its size projected to increase from \$2.65 billion in 2025 to \$2.83 billion in 2026, representing a compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 6.9%. This positive trend during the historical period is largely driven by growing cases of urinary disorders, rising spinal cord

injury instances, a surge in urological procedures, an aging population, and greater availability of disposable catheter options. Looking ahead, the market is expected to continue its ascent, reaching \$3.75 billion by 2030, with an accelerated CAGR of 7.3%. Factors contributing to this forecasted growth include the increasing use of self-catheterization, heightened demand for designs that reduce infections, expansion of home healthcare, a stronger focus on patient-centered urological care, and technological innovations in catheter materials. Key emerging trends include the rising popularity of hydrophilic coated catheters, preference for single-use intermittent catheters, adoption of antimicrobial coatings, growth in home-based catheterization, and a sharper focus on patient comfort and ease of use.

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Understanding Intermittent Catheters and Their Purpose

Intermittent catheters are small, flexible, and soft tubes inserted through the urethra into the bladder. Their primary function is to drain urine when the bladder cannot empty fully on its own or when a surgically created channel connects the bladder to the abdominal surface. These devices play a crucial role in managing urinary retention and improving patient well-being.

How Rising Healthcare Spending Fuels the Intermittent Catheters Market Growth

One of the most significant factors propelling the intermittent catheters market is the steady increase in healthcare expenditure. This term refers to the total financial resources devoted to healthcare goods and services within a country's health system. Growing investments in hospital infrastructure, enhanced patient care services, and procurement of vital medical devices directly support the expansion of the intermittent catheters market. For example, in June 2025, the U.S. federal agency Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services projected that the national health expenditure would rise by 8.2% in 2024, compared to 7.5% in 2023, reflecting an acceleration in healthcare spending. This increased funding translates into better access, wider clinical use, and stronger patient support for bladder management solutions, thereby boosting market growth.

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The Impact of an Aging Population on the Intermittent Catheters Market

The expanding elderly population is another key driver encouraging the growth of the intermittent catheters market. Defined as individuals aged 65 and older, this demographic often faces health and functional challenges associated with aging, including urinary retention. The rise in life expectancy due to advances in healthcare, nutrition, and living standards means more people are living longer, increasing the need for effective bladder management solutions. Intermittent catheters provide this population with a safe, efficient way to maintain independence and improve quality of life. For instance, in July 2024, data from the UK Parliament's House of Commons Library showed that in 2022, there were 12.7 million people aged 65 or above in the UK, making up 19% of the total population. This figure is expected to grow to 22.1 million by 2072, representing 27% of the population. Such demographic changes are directly stimulating demand for intermittent catheters.

North America Leads the Intermittent Catheters Market

In 2025, North America held the position as the largest regional market for intermittent catheters. The market report covers several key regions including Asia-Pacific, South East Asia, Western Europe, Eastern Europe, South America, the Middle East, and Africa, providing a comprehensive look at the global landscape and regional market dynamics.

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