

Bivona Hyperflex Tracheostomy Tube

Tube Contains Metal

Great Ormond Street
Hospital for Children
NHS Foundation Trust



Made from opaque white silicone PVC. The silicone is reinforced with wire, producing a flexible tube that conforms to the shape of the trachea, and has a fixed flange which is kink resistant.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Ferromagnetic coil precludes use during MRI

ADJUSTABLE FLANGE PERMITTING ALTERATION OF TUBE LENGTH

UNSAFE holding clip, therefore check the length does not alter (not for home use). Not recommended for longterm use. Must customise a fixed flange tube ASAP using customisation sheet.

Changed

– Monthly or PRN

The latex free-hydrophobic tube hinders protein adhesion thereby limiting secretion build up and bacterial colonisation

Tube can be sterilised in HSDU and re-used (5 times)

Ensure introducer is kept with the tube



STOMA CARE

Daily/PRN tape changes must be carried out.

Use of cotton tapes and Trachi-Dress

Correction tension – one finger space between tapes and child's neck

Tube size fg NEO/PAED (delete as appropriate)

Suction Length cm Catheter Size fg

Last Tube Change .../.../...

Contact Jo Cooke ANP bleep 0712 or ENT On Call bleep 1020 if you have any concerns

Emergency Box

Tube of the same size (Paed/Neo)

Tube ½ size smaller (Shiley)

Suction Catheter

(same size as suctioning)

KY Jelly

Tracheostomy Tapes

Round Ended Scissors

Depends on length - may keep a spare standard Bivona tube available ask NP/ENT