

Bivona Fome 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. The cuff has auto-expanding foam which fills and conforms to the unique contours of the patient's trachea.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

3-Way Tap Readily Available
Self-Inflating Cuff

IMPORTANT

The cuff is self-inflating, to remove or insert the tube; the cuff must be deflated and 'held' by turning off the three-way tap. DO NOT attempt to remove or insert the tube without deflating and turning off the tap

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 tube

Contact NP/ENT if the port is cut

RED CUFF

Danger

"Care

for this

tube with

Caution"



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

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

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

TWO IV Syringes

A Three-Way Tap

Spare Fome Tube – Same Size (Paed/Neo- is available) – Not in box – for Elective Changes