







Airway Management • Airway Devices



Airway management has evolved

Introducing the paediatric i-gel®: a revolutionary single use supraglottic airway from Intersurgical.



i-gel® and natural airway management

The i-gel® is a truly unique single use, latex and PVC free airway device, representing the culmination of years of extensive research and development. Based on the original i-gel® design inspired by the physiology of the perilaryngeal framework itself, everything about the paediatric i-gel® has been designed to work in perfect unison with a child's anatomy, and the specific anatomical, physiological and pathological differences that make paediatric anaesthesia particularly challenging.

Paediatrics

i-gel® is available in four paediatric as well as three adult sizes, making it applicable for use with patients from 2kg to 90+kg. The paediatric i-gel® is indicated in securing and maintaining a patent airway in routine and emergency anaesthetics for operations of fasted patients during spontaneous or intermittent positive pressure ventilation (IPPV) and during resuscitation of the unconscious patient, by personnel who are suitably trained and experienced in the use of airway management techniques and devices.

i-gel® mirrors the anatomy

The shape, softness and contours accurately mirror the perilaryngeal anatomy to create the perfect fit. This innovative concept means that no cuff inflation is required. The i-gel® works in harmony with the patient's anatomy so that compression and displacement trauma are significantly reduced or eliminated.

The non-inflatable cuff

i-gel® gets its name from the soft gel-like material from which it is made. It is the innovative application of this material that has enabled the development of a unique non-inflatable cuff. This key feature means insertion of i-gel® is easy, rapid and consistently reliable.

The simple, safe and rapid solution

i-gel® is incredibly easy to use. A proficient user can achieve insertion of the i-gel® in less than 5 seconds. With no inflatable cuff, i-gel® provides a safe and rapid airway management solution.

Accurate and natural positioning

The i-gel® accurately and naturally positions itself over the laryngeal framework, providing a reliable perilaryngeal seal without the need for an inflatable cuff.

Additional information available

An i-gel® User Guide, clinical study material and other support documentation is available to download from the i-gel® website at www.i-gel.com.

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More evidence is available online at www.i-gel.com/evidences

Features and benefits

The i-gel® has a host of features that provide significant benefits to the patient and the clinician.

15mm connector

Reliable connection to any standard catheter mount or connection

Proximal end of gastric channel

Clearly displayed product information

For quick easy reference. Includes confirmation of size and weight guidance



Correct taping technique

It is important that as soon as insertion has been completed, the i-gel® is held until and whilst the device is secured in place.

The i-gel® should be taped in place 'maxilla to maxilla' (upper jaw to upper jaw) as shown.



Gastric channel

The i-gel® incorporates a gastric channel (except size 1). It provides an early warning of regurgitation, allows for the passing of a nasogastric tube to empty stomach contents and facilitates venting

Integral bite block

Reduces the possibility of airway channel occlusion

Buccal cavity stabiliser

Aids insertion and eliminates the potential for rotation

Epiglottic rest

Reduces the possibility of epiglottic 'down folding' and airway obstruction

The non-inflatable cuff

Made from a unique soft gel-like material allowing ease of insertion and reduced trauma

Distal end of gastric channel





Innovative packaging

The paediatric i-gel® supraglottic airway is supplied in a fully recyclable cage pack. This unique packaging protects the i-gel® in transit and ensures that it maintains its anatomical shape. i-gel® is available in four paediatric sizes.



Code	Description	Size		Weight	Box Oty.	
8225000	i-gel®, supraglottic airway	2.5	Large paediatric	25-35kg	10	8
8202000	i-gel®, supraglottic airway	2	Small paediatric	10-25kg	10	8
8215000	i-gel®, supraglottic airway	1.5	Infant	5-12kg	10	8
8201000	i-gel®, supraglottic airway	1	Neonate	2-5kg	10	8

Video available at www.intersurgical.nl



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