

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

Patient Education Adult Tracheostomy Care Manikin

LF01168



5 Year Warranty

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Instructions for Use

The Patient Education

Tracheostomy Care Adult Manikin is ideal for teaching patients and caregivers the skills they will need to perform at home.

The adult manikin includes oral and nasal passages, the pharynx, epiglottis, trachea, esophagus, tracheostomy site, and cricoid cartilage. The mouth and jaw are flexible to allow oral suctioning. The trachea branches into the left and right bronchial trees. Students can practice suctioning techniques, proper cuff inflation, dressing changes, and other techniques. Cleansing and maintenance of the external tracheal site can be performed just as on an actual patient.

List of Components

- Adult Tracheostomy Care Manikin
- Adult Tracheostomy Tube
- Carrying/Storage Case
- Lubricant

General Information About the Manikin

The manikin may be used in all methods of tracheostomy care. Individual methods and procedures may differ; Therefore, this booklet does not propose to outline a particular procedure to be followed. Rather, it is recommended that a procedural manual and instructor's directions be followed. This will eliminate confusion and best serve the individual instructor and curriculum.

Procedures That May Be Performed on the Manikin

- Oral-pharyngeal suctioning
- Nasal tracheal suctioning
- Tracheal suctioning via tracheostomy
- Dressing changes
- Stoma cleansing
- Changing of tracheostomy tube
- Cuff inflation
- Changing tracheostomy ties

Anatomy Present on the Manikin

- Oral Passages
- Nasal Passages
- Pharynx
- Epiglottis
- Trachea
- Esophagus
- Stoma
- Right and Left Bronchi

Care of the Simulator

Normal surface soil can be removed with a mild soap and lukewarm water.

Use Nasco Cleaner (LF09919) to remove stubborn stains. Simply apply the Nasco Cleaner to the soiled area and wipe with a clean, soft paper towel.

Cautions

- 1.** Do not cleanse the stoma area with Betadine® or any other similar, colored disinfectant. NEVER place the trainer on any kind of printed paper or plastic. These materials, as well as ball-point pens, will transfer indelible stains. Do not use any cosmetics on the simulator.
- 2.** With repeated use, the suctioning catheter will become soft and pliable, making it difficult to insert. You must either use a new catheter, or place the old one in a refrigerator or on ice for a few minutes to stiffen it.
- 3.** Heavy lubrication must be used while practicing procedures. The manikin will not function properly unless heavy lubrication is used. Use Lubricant only. Do not use a water soluble lubricant.
- 4.** Exercise the same care with this manikin as would be used with an actual patient. Excessive pressure and abuse will damage and shorten the unit's life.

Supplies/Replacement Parts for the Patient Education Adult Tracheostomy Care Manikin

LF09919 Nasco Cleaner

LF00985 Lubricant Kit

LF01170 Adult Tracheostomy Tube



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