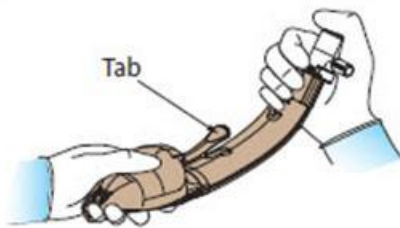




INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Step 1



To ensure integrity of mask, with gloved hands, occlude the airway opening of the connector end of the device with one thumb, hold the mask head with the other hand and place the thumb over the airway opening of the mask to seal. Apply pressure for 5 seconds to confirm there is no leak in the device.

⚠ Do Not use if leak is detected. ⚠

Step 2

Lubricate the entire body of the mask with a water soluble lubricant

Step 3

Keep the head and neck in neutral position with the head on a pillow

Step 4



With the mouth open, **compress the proximal firmer part of the mask** between the thumb and two fingers and push the mask past the front teeth towards the hard palate, avoiding the tongue.

Step 5

The tab should be used only if required to help negotiate the palato-pharyngeal curve. Do not pull the tab until the mask is fully within the mouth and should be released as soon as the tip of the mask passes around the curve. Do not continue to pull the tab after the mask has negotiated the palato-pharyngeal curve.

Step 6

Ensure the mask has been advanced sufficiently until resistance is encountered. In this position the tip of the mask is engaged into the upper end of the oesophagus. The patient's front teeth should approximate to the part of the tube into which the connectors are inserted.

Step 7

If regurgitation is anticipated or is a high risk, suction should be connected to the suction port of the device before insertion and be left running continuously until the mask has been positioned correctly. Suction should also run continuously during removal of the device at the end of the procedure. During the procedure, suction can be applied intermittently as required to clear any fluids or secretions. Maintaining suction continuously throughout the procedure is not recommended as it could predispose to post-operative sore throat due to the drying action of the air flow.

Please note that full high flow, high pressure suction can be applied to the suction outlet of the device.