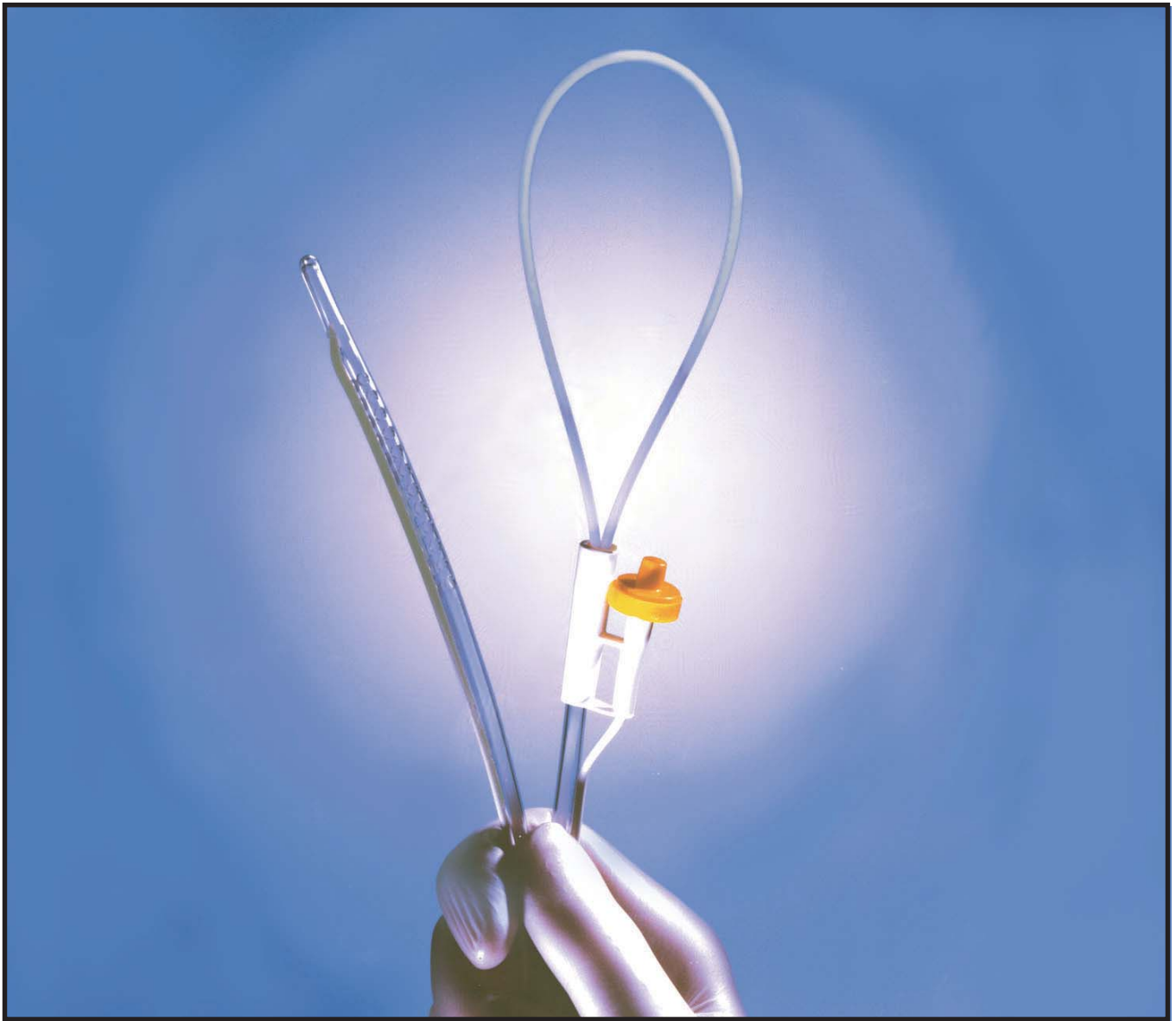


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Nasogastric Tubes with Stylet

The only Nasogastric Tube with a plastic stylet - easily intubate the anesthetized patient, then remove the stylet for enhanced patient comfort!

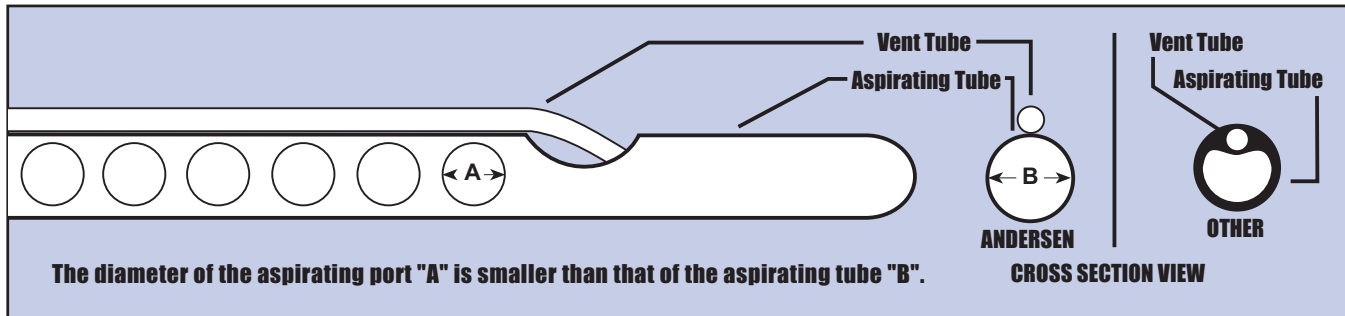


Andersen Tubes with stylets offer all the benefits of the original Andersen Tube...

- Engineered for reliability and patient comfort.
- Double-lumen construction prevents vacuum ulceration of gastric mucosa.
- Anti-reflux filter eliminates soiled pillows and bed clothes.
- Uniquely configured aspiration ports reduce maintenance irrigation.
- Provides visible proof of effective operation. **If it's Bubbling, It's Working!**

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Engineered for Reliability and Patient Comfort



Placement Stylet

The intubation stylet greatly facilitates passage in the anesthetized patient. By preparing the nasal cavity with aqueous jelly, intubation can be performed in a normal manner, without removing the plastic stylet from the gastric tube. Once proper placement is confirmed, the stylet may be removed by grasping the stylet loop.

Anti-Reflux Filter

The air vent in all Andersen Nasogastric Tubes is now equipped with a unique non-wettable filter that acts to prevent vent-tube reflux.

Double-Lumen Construction

The configuration of Andersen Nasogastric Tubes maintains the vacuum in the aspirating tube within a range (to -24 inches H₂O) that will not damage delicate gastric mucosa. Because the vent tube is attached to the outside of the aspirating tube, and not recessed in it, the inside of the aspirating tube is perfectly round and can pass a greater volume of aspirant than other tubes of the same French size.

24 Aspiration Ports

Andersen Nasogastric Tubes are less likely to block than other gastric tubes because their aspirating ports are perfectly round and have a smaller diameter than the cross section of the aspirating lumen. Thus particles too large to pass through the aspirating ports cannot pass into the aspirating tube. Moreover, the aspirating ports are polished to remove any burs that might trap mucous or particulate matter.

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Patient Comfort

Andersen Nasogastric Tubes are extruded from a particularly soft, medical grade vinyl and their distal end is molded into a gently rounded tip to assure atraumatic passage and extended patient tolerance.

Ease of Placement

Andersen Nasogastric Tubes have marks at 40, 50, 60, and 70cm from the most proximal from the aspiration port. These marks encourage correct placement, in the average adult, of the aspirating tip of the tube in the cardia of the stomach. Pediatric models of Andersen Nasogastric Tubes have multiple markings to facilitate placement in children.

Reliability

A glance from across the room will assure you that the Andersen Nasogastric Tube is functioning properly. The need for routine irrigation, and routine checks for tube patency or pump function are eliminated because — **If It's Bubbling, It's Working!**

Andersen Nasogastric Tubes, Sterile Packed, Radio - Opaque, 10/box

ORDER #	DESCRIPTION
AN10S	16 Fr. tube with stylet
AN11S	10 Fr. Pediatric tube marked at 20,30,40, and 50 cm with stylet
AN10	16 Fr. Soft tube without stylet
AN11	Same as AN11S without stylet
AN11.5	Pediatric Extra Short 24"(60cm)

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