SAFETY AND PERFORMANCE INFORMATION

Nasal Adapter, Pediatric Nasal Adapter YG-125T, YG-135T

General

The YG-125T nasal adapter and YG-135T pediatric nasal adapter attach over the patient's face to capture nasal and oral expired air.

Safety Information

A warning alerts the user to the possible injury or death associated with the use or misuse of the instrument.
A caution alerts the user to possible injury or problems with the instrument associated with its use or misuse such as instrument malfunction, instrument failure, damage to the instrument, or damage to other property.

Pay attention to all safety information in the Operator's Manual or Installation Guide.

When using the YG-125T or YG-135T nasal adapter on a patient with low ventilatory volume, check the ventilation taking into consideration the 1.2 mL dead space of the nasal adapter. If that dead space is too much for this patient, appropriate ventilation might be impossible. The CO₂ may mix in the inspiration due to the nasal adapter's dead space, resulting in inaccurate measured value or difficulty in detecting no breath.

The YG-125T/YG-135T nasal adapter is for diagnostic purpose only. If the nasal adapter is used as an apnea monitor or life supporting or life sustaining situation, the performance of the nasal adapter cannot be guaranteed and it may cause the wrong diagnosis of the physician.

Only use the specified nasal adapter. Otherwise, the maximum performance cannot be guaranteed due to larger dead space volume.

The nasal adapter is non-sterilized and disposable. Use only for a single patient and single use. Failure to follow this instruction causes cross infection.

▲ CAUTION

Do not use the nasal adapter for a neonate because the dead space volume of the nasal adapter is about 1.2 mL.

Do not use a nasal adapter which is past the expiration date.

Failure to follow the instructions below degrades the anti-fogging ability of the transparent film and results in incorrect measurement.

- Replace the nasal adapter with a new one every 24 hours.
- · Replace the nasal adapter with a new one if blood, sputum or mucus adheres to the transparent film.
- Do not damage the transparent film. Do not let dust or detergent contact the transparent film. Do not touch, wipe or clean the transparent film with fingers or cleaners.

Do not let the patient bite or swallow the CO₂ sensor or nasal adapter.

When using the YG-125T or YG-135T nasal adapter on a patient, observe the patient condition all the time. The mouth guide touches the mouth and may cause pressure sores.

Dispose of Nihon Kohden products according to your local laws and your facility's guidelines for waste disposal. Otherwise, it may affect the environment. If there is a possibility that the product may have been contaminated with infection, dispose of it as medical waste according to your local laws and your facility's guidelines for medical waste. Otherwise, it may cause infection.

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