

The No-Bite V™ is primarily a suction catheter introducer for oral pharyngeal and oral tracheal suctioning. Especially useful in patients where the nasal route of suctioning is either difficult or contraindicated.

Secondarily the No-Bite V may be used as a suctioning assist device for oral cleaning, oral suctioning, oral medicated swabs, and oral assessment. The No-Bite V is especially useful in patients that are biting down during oral care procedures.

#### Indications for Use

**Pharyngeal & Tracheal Suctioning:** The No-Bite V is indicated in patients where the nasal route of inserting suction catheters has proven to be difficult or contraindicated. The No-Bite V is indicated in patients that are experiencing nasal pain, nasal trauma, nasal bleeding, nasal blockage, deviated septum, history of nasal fracture, sinus surgery, basal skull fracture or transsphenoidal surgery.

**Oral Hygiene:** The No-Bite V is indicated in situations where the patient is biting down on oral hygiene equipment and not allowing for proper oral care and oral assessment.

(see sections below)

#### Oral Cleaning and Oral Suctioning

Insert the No-Bite V into the mouth, turn on the light for oral assessment and begin Oral Cleaning and Oral Suctioning. If the patient bites down, they will bite down on the No-Bite V and not your oral care devices, allowing you to safely perform your duties.

#### Pharyngeal & Tracheal Suctioning (Non-Intubated Patient)

Have your supplies ready. If patient's condition appropriate, remove your patient's pillow and tilt the head back to facilitate opening of the airway. (Patient does not have to lay flat, may be sitting up in bed or chair position) Put on your gloves and mask with facial shield for your protection. Depending on your preference, you can either face the patient or stand at the head of the bed.

1. Pre-load suction catheter into the No-Bite V, and hold the device like a pen, making sure to pinch the catheter in place with your finger against the device. This assures the weight of catheter will not slip out of device.
2. Insert the No-Bite V into the patient's mouth with the light turned on
3. Depress the tongue to facilitate opening of the airway.
4. Insert the Tracheal Suction Catheter through the No-Bite V tunnel guide until desired depth of the pharyngeal or tracheal area is reached.
5. Suction out secretions and remove No-Bite V.
6. If patient is uncooperative, use a 2-person technique. This technique and more are shown on our "Tips & Techniques Video" at our website: [www.NJRMedical.com](http://www.NJRMedical.com)

This method allows you to successfully pharyngeal & tracheal suction your patient by preventing coiling of the suction catheter. It also prevents the patient from biting down and damaging the suction catheter.

Due to the variance of patient airway anatomy and caregiver technique, NJR Medical does not guarantee that suction catheter guidance with the No-Bite V™ will always lead to proper placement in trachea.

Suctioning above the cuff of Endotracheal Tube or Tracheostomy Tube (Laryngopharyngeal Area) Have your supplies ready. If patient's condition appropriate, remove your patient's pillow and tilt the head back to facilitate opening of the airway. (Patient does not have to lay flat, may be sitting up in bed or chair position) Put on your gloves and a mask with facial shield for your protection.

1. Pre-load suction catheter into the No-Bite V, and hold the device like a pen, making sure to pinch the catheter in place with your finger against the device. This assures the weight of catheter will not slip out of device.
2. Insert the No-Bite V into the patient's mouth with the light turned on
3. Depress the tongue to facilitate opening of the airway.
4. Insert the suction catheter through the No-Bite V tunnel guide until desired depth of the laryngopharyngeal area is reached.
5. Suction out secretions and remove No-Bite V.
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This method allows you to suction above the cuff of endotracheal tube and tracheostomy tube by preventing the patient from biting down and also prevents coiling of the suction catheter. Due to the variance of patient airway anatomy and caregiver technique, NJR Medical does not guarantee that suction catheter guidance with the No-Bite V™ will always lead to proper placement above the cuff of endotracheal tube and tracheostomy tube.

#### Contraindications

Epiglottitis or croup (absolute), Acute head, facial, or neck injury, Coagulopathy or bleeding disorder, Laryngospasm, Irritable airway, Upper respiratory tract infection, Tracheal surgery Gastric surgery with high anastomosis, Myocardial infarction, Bronchospasm

#### Potential Complications

Mechanical trauma (oral, dental, pharyngeal), Tracheitis, Mucosal hemorrhage, Uvular edema, Hypoxia/hypoxemia, Cardiac dysrhythmias/arrest, Bradycardia, Increase in blood pressure, Hypotension Respiratory arrest, Uncontrolled coughing, Gagging/vomiting, Laryngospasm, Bronchoconstriction/bronchospasm, Discomfort and pain, Nosocomial infection, Atelectasis, Misdirection of catheter, Increased intracranial pressure (ICP), Intraventricular hemorrhage, Exacerbation of cerebral edema Pneumothorax

#### Precautions

Do not use on patients with moderate to severe dental/gum disease, or recent surgery or trauma to dental, oral, maxillofacial, tracheal and/or laryngopharyngeal areas.

Do not advance or remove The No-Bite V while patient is biting down. Wait for the patient to relax jaw and continue.






Never apply angled leverage to the teeth. Never use device in a crow bar-like manner.

Do not use before consulting with physician.

Never twist No-Bite V in patient's mouth, when patient is biting on device.

Caregiver should never allow patient to bite on handle portion of device. Handle portion of device is the area of the push button switch to the midpoint insertion hole of suction catheter.

Caregiver should keep hands and fingers on handle portion of device at all times, caregiver's fingers should never be placed beyond the suction catheter insertion hole because this area may be inserted into the mouth.

THE <b>NO-BITE V™</b>	
Part No. NBV-100	
	Latex Free
	Single Patient Use
	Do Not Re-Sterilize
	Avoid Freezing and Excessive Heat
	Attention: See Instructions for Use
	Sterilized Using Irradiation

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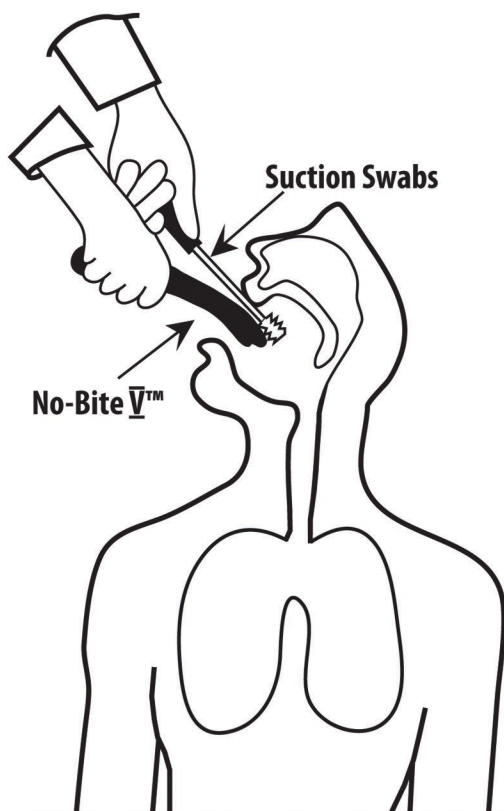
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Prior To Use

THE **NO-BITE V™**  
**Suctioning Assist Device**  
"Helping Medicine Help People"

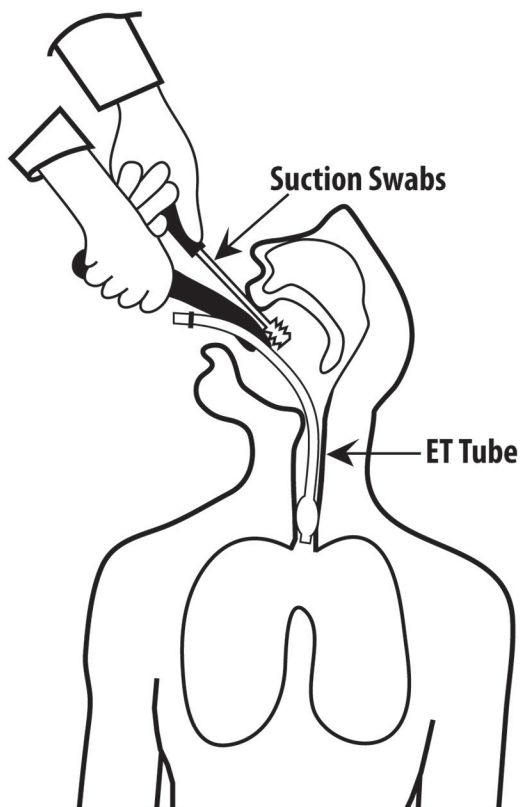
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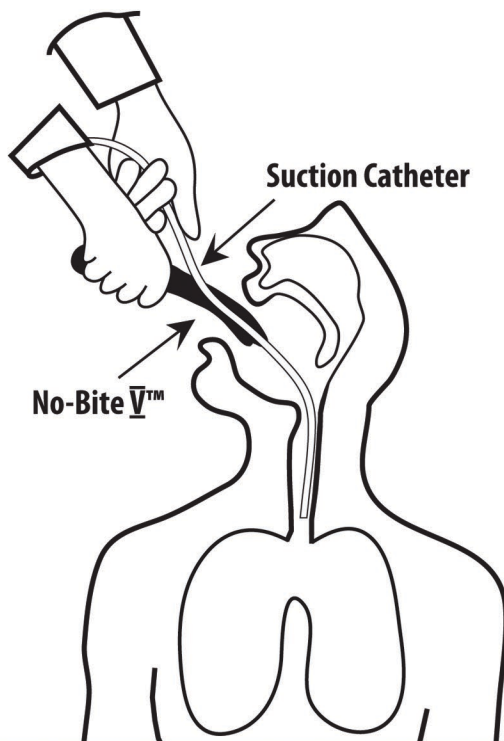
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Tracheal Suctioning (Non-Intubated Patient)



Suctioning Above the ET Tube Cuff

