

# Shiley™ **Intubating Stylet**

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Instructions For Use



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This product cannot be adequately cleaned and/or sterilized by the user in order to facilitate safe reuse, and is therefore intended for single use. Attempts to clean or sterilize these devices may result in a bioincompatibility, infection or product failure risks to the patient.

This product is not made with natural rubber latex or DEHP.

### DESCRIPTION

The Shiley™ Intubating Stylet is a sterile, single-use device available in 10, and 14 Fr. sizes. All sizes are lubricated to facilitate ease of passage through the tracheal tubes. The rigid shaft of the device is formed from aluminum wire. The entire device is sheathed in polyvinyl chloride.

The Intubating Stylet is intended for use in facilitating intubation of tracheal tubes. Applicability of stylet size to tracheal tube I.D. is detailed in the chart below.

Stylet Size	Tracheal Tube Size
10 Fr.	4.0 mm - 6.0 mm I.D.
14 Fr.	5.0 mm - 10.0 mm l.D.

# CONTRAINDICATIONS

There are no known contraindications.

- · Care should be taken not to abrade the plastic sheath on the edges of the 15 mm connector during the insertion and removal of the stylet.
- · This device must not be cut to length by the user.
- Extension of the stylet tip beyond the distal tip of the tracheal tube could result in tissue trauma.

### **ADVERSE REACTIONS**

The following adverse reactions may be associated with the use of intubating stylets. The order of listing is alphabetical and does not indicate frequency or severity.

Adverse reaction include: accidental extubation; aspiration of detached tip or sheared plastic sheath; damage to pyriform fossa, cricothyroid membrane, or cricopharyngeal membrane with resulting subcutaneous emphysema, mediastinitis or pneumothorax; lacerations of trachea or larynx; and tissue

### SUGGESTED DIRECTIONS FOR USE

- 1. If needed, pre-cut the tracheal tube. Reinsert and seat the 15 mm tracheal tube connector.
- 2. Remove Satin Slip Intubating Stylet from its protective package.
- 3. Shape the stylet to the configuration which will best facilitate intubation and insert into the tracheal tube. The stylet must not extend beyond the distal tip of the tracheal tube.
- 4. Perform intubation and withdraw stylet following currently accepted medical techniques.
- 5. Discard stylet after single use.

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