



Airway Management • Airway Devices





Quality, innovation and choice





## The i-gel® Plus

The i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus represents one of the most significant advances in the design of supraglottic airways since the original i-gel<sup>®</sup> was introduced in 2007. It combines all the features and benefits of standard i-gel<sup>®</sup> and the i-gel<sup>®</sup> O<sub>2</sub> with a number of key product enhancements, to help improve performance and safety and optimise ease of use.

The original i-gel<sup>®</sup> not only changed the perception of what a supraglottic airway should look like, but also what could be expected in terms of performance.

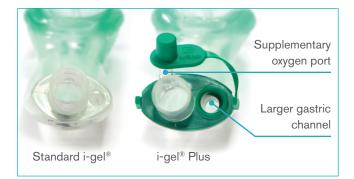
i-gel® Plus – product improvements

### Larger gastric channel to enhance patient safety

The diameter of the gastric channel has been increased to allow for the insertion of a larger gastric tube and to help optimise management of regurgitant fluid, thereby potentially reducing the risk of aspiration and increasing patient safety.

The maximum size of gastric tube that can be passed down the gastric channel for each size of i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus in comparison to standard i-gel<sup>®</sup> is shown in the chart below.

Size of device	Standard i-gel <sup>®</sup>	i-gel <sup>®</sup> Plus
3	12FG	16FG
4	12FG	18FG
5	14FG	18FG



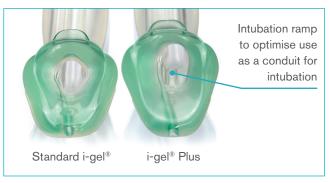
The device also includes features already incorporated into the i-gel<sup>®</sup>  $O_2$  supraglottic airway. A supplementary oxygen port for the delivery of passive oxygenation as part of a cardio-cerebral resuscitation (CCR) protocol and a hook ring for use with a specially designed airway support strap (available separately) to provide an alternative method for securing the device.

No longer is it necessary to compromise. i-gel<sup>®</sup> provides superior seal pressures, low post-operative complications and high first time insertion success, all in a device that many believe is simpler and easier to insert and use. In addition, it incorporates a gastric channel as standard (except size 1).

This was usually the preserve of more specialised devices, whereas i-gel<sup>®</sup> was designed as an everyday device for routine use, providing the increased safety of a gastric channel for every patient. The i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus builds on the improvements of the original i-gel<sup>®</sup> to provide the airway practitioner with an even more advanced supraglottic airway.

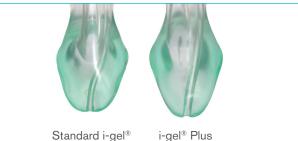
# New intubation ramp to optimise use as a conduit for intubation

An intubation ramp is provided in the airway channel where the channel exits in to the bowl of the non-inflatable cuff, helping to ensure that when the device is used as a conduit for intubation (with fibreoptic guidance), the tracheal tube exits the i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus at the optimal angle to allow reliable and safe passage through the vocal cords and into the trachea.



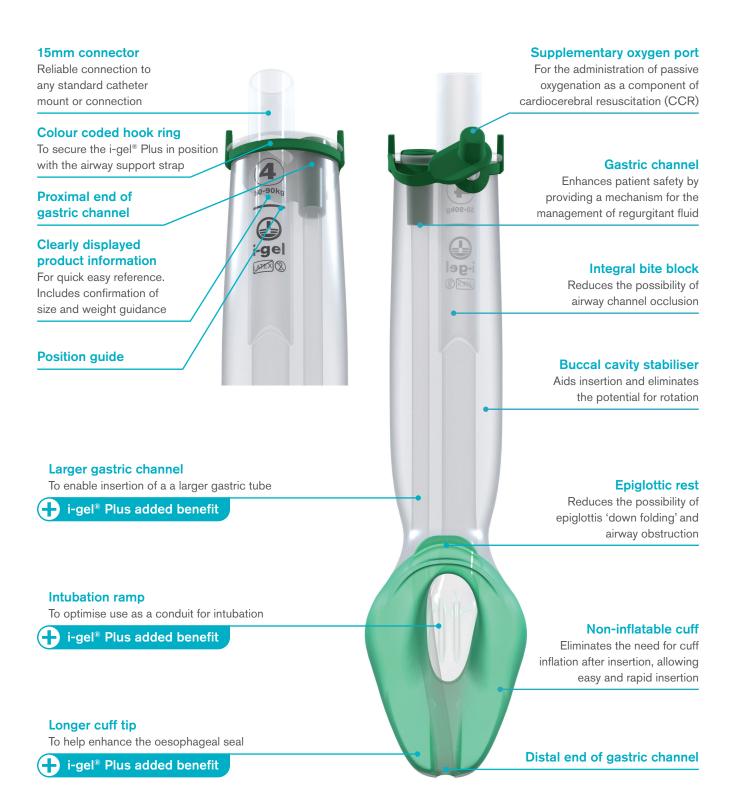
# Longer cuff tip to enhance the oesophageal seal

i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus incorporates a small increase in the length of the cuff tip. This may help to increase the oesophageal seal and in combination with the larger gastric channel, provide improved protection against aspiration.



Extended tip to help increase the oesophageal seal

# i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus — features & benefits





### Airway innovation since 2007

The original i-gel<sup>®</sup> device, launched in 2007, is the innovative second generation supraglottic airway device from Intersurgical with a non-inflatable cuff. The first major development since the laryngeal mask airway, the i-gel<sup>®</sup> changed the face of airway management and is now widely used in anaesthesia and resuscitation around the world. The i-gel<sup>®</sup> gets its name from the innovative soft, gel-like material from which it is made. It is the innovative application of this material that enabled the development of a unique non-inflatable cuff. This meant there was no need for cuff deflation prior to insertion and no cuff inflation after placement to secure a seal, shortening and simplifying the preparation and insertion procedure. i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus is the latest addition to the i-gel<sup>®</sup> range and perhaps one of the most advanced supraglottic airways ever developed.

### i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus

- Larger gastric channel allows for the insertion of a larger gastric tube
- Intubation ramp optimises use as a conduit for intubation
- Longer cuff tip to help improve the oesophageal seal

### **Ordering information**

i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus is available in three adult sizes. Each device is supplied sterile in a clear rigid pack. This unique design ensures protection of the device both in transit and storage. i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus is supplied in boxes of 10 units.





Code	Description	Colour	Size	e	Weight	Box Qty.	
8605000	i-gel <sup>®</sup> Plus, supraglottic airway		5	Large adult	90+kg	10	8
8604000	i-gel <sup>®</sup> Plus, supraglottic airway		4	Medium adult	50-90kg	10	8
8603000	i-gel <sup>®</sup> Plus, supraglottic airway	•	3	Small adult	30–60kg	10	8

#### **Airway Support Strap**

The Intersurgical i-gel<sup>®</sup> Airway Support Strap was designed for use as an alternative or additional method for securing the i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus or i-gel<sup>®</sup>  $O_2$  (devices with an integrated hook ring). An Airway Support Strap is included in the i-gel<sup>®</sup>  $O_2$  Resus Pack and can be purchased separately for use with the i-gel<sup>®</sup> Plus in boxes of 10 units.

Code	Description	Size	Box Qty.
8800000	Airway Support Strap	Adult	10

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