HIGH HUMIDITY TRACH

Setup Instructions

This system is designed to supply the necessary humidification to patients with tracheostomies. Supplemental oxygen may be supplied in-line if prescribed by your physician.

Ensure that all tubing is properly connected and that all settings are adjusted properly, as set by the medical service technician.
Turn on the compressor and attach the trach mask to the patient. The in-line drain bag will need to be emptied periodically (when it is approximately half full). This bag should always be at the lowest point of the tubing to function properly.

Cleaning Instructions

The **FOAM AIR FILTER** must be cleaned weekly and as needed.
To do so:

1. Remove the filter from the front of the compressor.
2. Wash the filter in warm water and mild detergent.
3. Rinse the filter thoroughly.
4. Dry the filter well with a towel or paper towel to remove excess water.
5. Replace the filter back in the compressor.

a. Some compressors do not have a washable filter but instead a replaceable filter that should be replaced every 3 to 6 months or as needed. Call your technician for replacement

6. Corrugated tubing, trach mask, hi-mist neb bottle, drainage bag can be changed monthly

DISPOSABLE ITEMS: CLEANED WEEKLY includes both pieces of large bore tubing, and the drainage bag.

To do so:

1. Disassemble all of the parts.
2. Wash all of the parts in warm water and a mild detergent.
3. Rinse the parts thoroughly.
4. Soak the parts in a solution of 1 part vinegar to 3 parts water overnight.
5. Rinse the vinegar solution off thoroughly.
6. Allow the parts to air dry.

TRACHEOSTOMY MASK & HI-MIST NEB BOTTLE must be cleaned and disinfected **daily:**

1. Remove the mask from the tubing (you may wash the attached elastic strap with the mask).
2. Wash the mask in warm water and a mild detergent.
3. Rinse the mask thoroughly.
4. Soak the mask in a solution of 1 part vinegar to 3 parts water overnight.
5. Rinse the vinegar solution off thoroughly.
6. Allow the mask to air dry.
7. Alternate masks daily.

Things To Do If Your Compressor Fails

1. Make sure that the **COMPRESSOR** is **PLUGGED IN**.
2. Make sure that the on/off switch is **ON**.
3. Make sure that the wall outlet the compressor is **plugged in & HAS POWER**.
4. If the circuit breaker has popped out (blown), push it back in until it clicks into place.
5. Make sure the tubing is **SECURELY CONNECTED**.
6. Make sure that the inlet filter is clean and unblocked. Wash or replace it as needed.
7. Make sure the cooling fan is **UNBLOCKED** and that a free flow of air is available.
8. If the compressor still fails to operate, **CALL ENOS OXYGEN** for service.