Introducing v-gel® advanced
the next generation of veterinary supraglottic airway devices

anaesthesia – safer with v-gel®
What is a v-gel® Supraglottic Airway Device?

Supraglottic Airway Devices (SGADs) are widely used during human anaesthesia and resuscitation. An SGAD is an alternative to an endotracheal tube, used to deliver anaesthetic gases and/or oxygen to anaesthetised patients. Designed to sit in the pharynx, they avoid many of the problems caused by ET tubes such as laryngeal and tracheal trauma. They are also quick and easy to place and are useful for emergency resuscitation. v-gel® devices are the first veterinary species-specific SGADs, currently used all over the world in cats and rabbits.

v-gel® devices are suitable for a wide variety of procedures, including dental work.

Key features of v-gel® advanced devices

1. Low dead space connector – for connection to circuit or via capnograph
2. Ridges – enable device to be safely tied in place (to back of head)
3. Shoulders – to sit device snugly in place
4. Bowl – fits around larynx
5. Oesophageal plug
Same great benefits of the original v-gel® cat and v-gel® rabbit devices – but BETTER!

NEW to v-gel® advanced

• Improved design thanks to years of extra research by our R&D team and customer feedback
• Single use – human medicine standards of hygiene

Plus original features of v-gel® cat and v-gel® rabbit devices

• Anatomical matching features combined with a soft material to give a high quality pressure seal
• Suited to ventilated as well as spontaneously breathing patients
• Avoids laryngeal and tracheal trauma, which means safer anaesthetics and comfortable patient recoveries
• Fast, easy, safe and stress-free insertions
• No post-operative coughing or gagging
• Low airway resistance due to the large airway channel within the device
• High quality pressure seal restricting leakage of volatile anaesthetic agents, thus improving health and safety for staff
• Tip inserts into the upper oesophagus to help prevent and manage regurgitation of stomach contents
• Safer, smoother recoveries
• Ideal for safer dental procedures
• Suitable for all patients including brachycephalics
Sizing Guides

**CAT v-gel® Sizing Guide**

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**RABBIT v-gel® Sizing Guide**

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**Also available**

**d-grip® tube holder**

For support of anaesthetic circuit to prevent drag on the v-gel® or other airway device.

*Product code: J1352*

**VetLube® Lubricant**

A water-based sterile lubricant spray for veterinary use to assist in insertion or placement of v-gel® supraglottic airway and other medical devices.

*Product code: J1353S*

PLEASE NOTE – These instructions are for guidance only. They are not intended to supersede best clinical practice employed by individual veterinary professionals.