



YourTube

With more EMS systems adding RSI to their list of procedures, the need for a “rescue” airway is becoming commonplace. The feature-packed **Rüsch EasyTube** may be all you need. As with most of the rescue airways on the market, the EasyTube is a blind-insertion device with a distal cuff to seal the trachea or esophagus and a large posterior pharynx cuff to seal the mouth. A 90-degree adaptor on the secondary ventilation port reminds you which one you should check first. The EasyTube is also latex free and comes with an extra-long suction catheter. Read more about this innovative tool at jems.com/extras.



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Sizes: Adult (41F) & pediatric (28F)
Suction catheter: 16 Fr
Syringes: 12 cc, 100 cc
Cost: \$59
800/514-7234
www.rusch.com



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Exterior: 9 1/4" x 12" x 9"
Interior: 7 1/2" x 10 1/2" x 6 1/2"
Weight: 18 lbs.
Color: Gray
PIN codes: 5,000
Power: 12V
Cost: \$925
800/552-5669
www.knoxbox.com

Under Lock & Keypad

Many paramedics remember when they had only two controlled substances in the drug inventory. But, now that new and improved drugs are available, a larger lock box is necessary. The **MedVault Drug Locker** from **Knox Company** is made from heavy aluminum and has a secure electronic keypad. The keypad can be programmed to require one or two PIN codes to gain access, or it can be programmed by time for units that don't operate 24/7. A manual key may be used in the event of power failure. Up to 25,000 opening events are recorded for PC download via a USB port.

Down to the Bone

Adult intraosseous (IO) access has made medication delivery easier, but not every patient has cooperative anatomy. Patients with excess tissue over the IO insertion site, whether from edema, large musculature or obesity, need a longer needle to reach the marrow cavity. The **EZ-IO LD Needle Set** from **Vidacare** includes a 45-mm needle (compared to the 25-mm regular adult needle), and it's designed to accommodate these types of patients. Simply place the needle on the EZ-IO driver as you normally would, insert the needle through the tissue, and make sure one of the 5-mm lines is visible before entering the bone.

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Length: 45 mm
Needle size: 15 gauge
Cost: \$115
866/479-8500
www.vidacare.com



Game-Show Edutainment

The line between educator and entertainer is sometimes blurred. The best educators find unique ways to maintain the attention of the class, thus enhancing retention. **BRAVO!** from **C3 SoftWorks** enables you to introduce, reinforce or review any topic through a variety of fun games: “Quiz Show” follows the format of *Jeopardy!*, “Billionaire” is akin to *Who wants to be a Millionaire*, “Showdown” follows *Family Feud*, and “Spin Off” is like *Wheel of Fortune*. **BRAVO!** allows you to create individualized cartoon characters (avatars) to let your personality come through on screen. Some of the games are upgrades from previous C3 SoftWorks titles that now use vector graphics and run much faster. Check out these cool ways to make learning more fun!



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Programs: 4
System requirements: Windows XP or newer
Cost: Call for pricing
800/906-7056
www.c3softworks.com