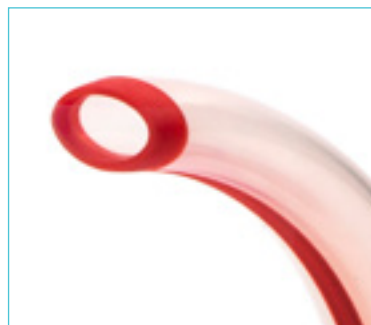




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By using the latest manufacturing technology, there has been a major breakthrough in Guedel airway design.

Combining two materials with very different physical characteristics into one moulding, our One-piece design eliminates the separate bite block found in all conventional Guedel airways.

Loose or detached bite blocks constitute a real threat to patient safety and have been the subject of several hazard notices in the past. Our One-piece design overcomes all of the associated risks.

As well as improved safety, the One-piece Guedel airway also incorporates a soft tip reducing the risk of trauma to the patient. We also offer a sterile option, providing a further choice.

Rigid body
To maintain a patent airway

One-piece design
With no separate inner bite block – safer by design

Nine colour-coded sizes
To meet all patient requirements

Soft tip
Reduces risk of tissue damage

Softer second material
Reduces the potential for dental damage

Clear colour-coding
For easy identification

ISO 5364:2016 – Colour coding guidance

In the most recent version of ISO 5364:2016 Anaesthetic and Respiratory Equipment – Oropharyngeal Airways, a new colour coding requirement was implemented, aiming to improve patient safety and provide consistency across products from different manufacturers.

In order to comply with the colour coding system specified in ISO 5364:2016, it was necessary for to update three sizes of Guedel airways. The sizes that have changed are as follows:

- ISO size 3.5; from Pink to Light Green
- ISO size 6.5; from White to Brown
- ISO size 7.0; from Yellow to White
- ISO size 9.0; from Orange to Yellow

Each department will need to consider locally how this change will be implemented as it may take time for existing stock to be used.



ISO Size 9.0

ISO Size 6.5

ISO Size 3.5

The three sizes of Guedel airways that have had their colours changed to conform to the updated standard.

Product code	ISO size
1000035 (S*)	3.5
1100050 (S*)	5.0
1110055 (S*)	5.5
1111065 (S*)	6.5
1112080 (S*)	8.0
1113090 (S*)	9.0
1114100 (S*)	10.0
1115120 (S*)	12.0

Previous ISO compliant colour	
Pink	
Blue	
Grey	
White	
Green	
Orange	
Red	
Purple	

New ISO compliant colour	
Light Green	NEW
Blue	
Grey	
Brown	NEW
Green	
Yellow	NEW
Red	
Purple	

Softer tip

By continuing to prioritise patient safety, there has been a further increase to the softness of the tip of all Guedel airways.

Guedel airways that utilise hard and rigid materials at the tip represent a significant threat of causing trauma when inserted. By using an even softer material to form the tip of the One-piece Guedel airway, the potential to cause trauma to the patient's airway upon insertion is further reduced.



Code	Description	Size	ISO	Colour
AB1025	AeroBreathe™ Adult One-piece Guedel airway	5	12.0	Purple
AB1004	AeroBreathe™ Adult One-piece Guedel airway	4	10.0	Red
AB1003	AeroBreathe™ Adult One-piece Guedel airway	3	9.0	Yellow
AB1002	AeroBreathe™ Small Adult One-piece Guedel airway	2	8.0	Green
AB1001	AeroBreathe™ Adolescent One-piece Guedel airway	1	6.5	Brown
AB1000	AeroBreathe™ Child One-piece Guedel airway	0	5.5	Grey
AB10000	AeroBreathe™ Infant One-piece Guedel airway	00	5.0	Blue
AB100000	AeroBreathe™ Newborn One-piece Guedel airway	000	3.5	Light Green