

BALLARD* RESTORE2

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR USE

Indications for use:

The BALLARD* Restore2 is indicated for the cleaning of adult endotracheal tubes sized 7mm to 8.5mm

Clinical Scenarios for Suggested Use:

- 1 Progressive difficulty suctioning
- 2 Thick and tenacious secretions
- 3 Hemoptysis
- 4 Ventilatory changes suggesting obstruction of the airway (increasing peak airway pressures and/or increasing airway resistance)
- 5 Sawtooth pattern in the air flow tracing on the ventilator
- 6 Crackles heard over the trachea that do not clear with suctioning
- 7 Visible secretions in the ET Tube after suctioning
- 8 Acute change in a patient's respiratory status to rule out obstruction of the airway as a possible cause
- 9 At the time of an intubated patient transfer into the ICU from an outside facility as part of the initial assessment of the airway to assure maximum patency

Caution:

- Perform all procedures according to the IFU
 - Only trained personnel should perform procedures
- 10 Prior to tracheostomy to maximize the lumen of the tube around the scope during performance of the percutaneous tracheostomy
 - 11 Prior to fiberoptic bronchoscopy to avoid distal seeding of colonized secretions within the endotracheal tube and to maximize the residual lumen around the bronchoscope during the procedure
 - 12 Prior to blind bronchoalveolar lavage to avoid distal seeding of colonized secretions within the endotracheal tube and to maximize the residual lumen around the BAL catheter during the procedure
 - 13 Patients intubated longer than 24 hours as part of a regular maintenance program to minimize airway resistance and patient work of breathing, and to minimize microbial colonization and biofilm formation within the ET Tube