



Suction

Assisted

Laryngoscopy

Airway

Decontamination

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SALAD Technique

- With suction ON, Hold Large Bore Suction Device with intent in Right Hand, insert Suction Device prior to VL/DL
 - Allows you to manually open the airway & displace tongue with rigid suction device as a tongue depressor/lifter
 - Allows you to decontaminate and not occlude VL camera
- Insert VL/DL with the Left Hand with small motions down the tongue and identify structures until epiglottoscopy, vallecular, and cords visualized
 - While decontaminating the hypopharynx
- Reposition/park the suction device to the Left of the Laryngoscope in the esophagus
 - Allows continuous airway decontamination
- Leave VL/DL in place in order to Advance Bougie and Tube & Make room
 - Keeps the tongue from occluding passage of bougie or tube
- Leave suction device in place in order to facilitate gastric tube placement
- After advancing tube, inflate cuff, & suction with French catheter to decon the trachea
 - Removes aspirated emesis prior to bagging

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