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Primary Response Kit



Primary Response Kit & Drug/IV Kit Information Booklet

Please read prior to using the PRK or warranty may be void
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Fabric

All fabrics used in the Neann PRK & Drug Kit are designed to comply with the Australian Standards of Laundry Practice (AS 4146-1194).

Vironfrei

The standard kit is made from Vironfrei fabric. The advantage of this new material offers simple wipe off cleaning capability and can be dried in minutes. This ensures a short turnaround time for returning kits to active service rather than long drying times. Vironfrei is relatively stain resistant to dirt, dust and other substances likely to be encountered within the pre-hospital environment.

Warranty

NEANN™ has built a reputation for designing and manufacturing "bombproof" equipment using only the highest quality materials and a detailed manufacturing process. Our commitment to quality means that the NEANN™ range of medical bags is not necessarily the cheapest, in fact they nearly always cost a little more, but we are committed to quality and detail and that doesn't come from short cuts and cheap materials. In fact with over 25 years of experience in the bag manufacturing market, we are so confident in the quality of our products, that NEANN™ bags are guaranteed against faulty workmanship for the life of the product (excluding fair wear and tear).

Cleaning Instructions

All fabrics used in the PRK and Drug Kit are designed to comply with the Australian Standards of Laundry Practice (AS 4146-1994) for the removal and killing of HIV, Hepatitis B and Vegetative Organisms.

A cleaning program that complies with the Australian Standards is available directly from RAPP Australia for cleaning blood, vomit and other substances off the kit. For those wishing to undertake in-house cleaning (at your own risk, including risk to warranty) some basic guidelines are listed below:

- The cleaner in keeping with normal practices should put on personal protection barrier equipment such as gloves, safety glasses, face masks etc.
- **Small areas of contamination:**
 - **Blood**
Soak by placing a wet sponge on stain immediately after contact.
If available, an antibacterial solution (Milton's) should be added to the water. Repeat as necessary then gently clean off residual stains with light spray of Nifty. Allow to dry thoroughly before use.
 - **Vomit**
Gently sponge with hot water immediately after contact. If available, an antibacterial solution (Milton's) should be added to the water. Repeat as necessary then gently clean off residual stains with light spray of Nifty. Allow to dry thoroughly before use.
- **Larger areas of contamination:**

Initially remove resuscitator components carefully. Remove stiffening corflute from affected panels.

 - **Blood**
Soak by placing affected panels in cold water. An antibacterial solution (Milton's) should be added to the water. Let affected part soak for 20 minutes. Using Nifty, gently sponge the residual stains. Allow to dry thoroughly before use.
 - **Vomit**
Soak by placing in hot water. An antibacterial solution (Milton's) should be added to the water. Using Nifty, gently sponge the residual stains. Allow to dry thoroughly before use.

In very heavy saturation, the bag can be dismantled, soaked in cold water with an antibacterial solution (eg. Milton's) for 2 hours, rinsed and then emersed again, brought up to a temperature of 90 degrees Celsius and maintained for 10 minutes. Using Nifty, gently sponge the residual stains. Dry thoroughly before reassembly and use.

Important Notice



This Information Booklet is a users guide to using the Neann Primary Response Kit (PRK) and Drug Kit.

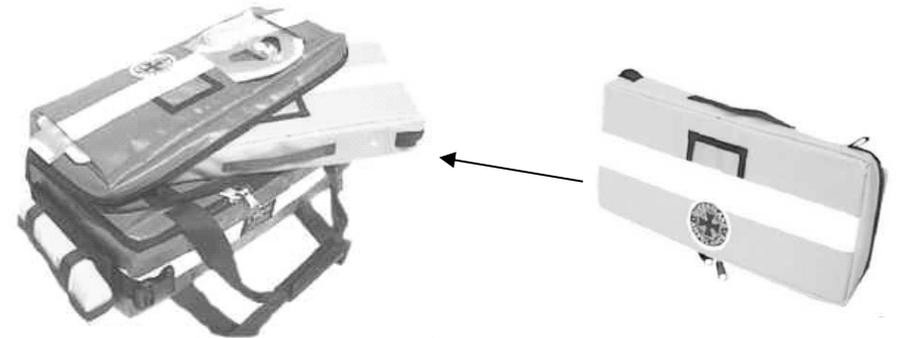
This kit has been selected by the Queensland Ambulance Service for introduction throughout the state.

Users **MUST** read this booklet carefully before setting up and using these kits.



Storage

The Neann PRK allows for the storage of the Drug Kit to be stored in the top pouch of the kit.



Layout

The Drug Kit has been designed with equipment laid out in order of use. This assists the user in establishing IV access by the ease in which gear is located and set up.

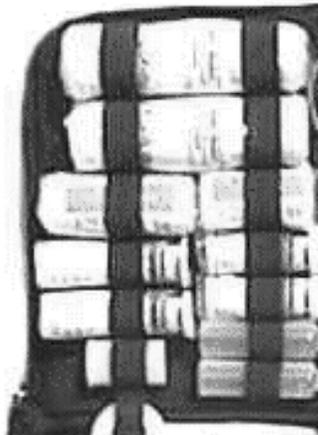


Drug Kit

Syringe Storage

To allow for the storage of an adequate supply of syringes, the kit requires that each alternative syringe be stored in the opposite direction. Failure to do so will overstretch and damage the elastics and reduce the number of syringes available.

Syringe Storage →



Drug & Equipment Elastics

The Drug Kit uses a range of elastics to store equipment and druges as per Queensland Ambulance recommendations. It is absolutely essential for the long term function of the kit that the layout guides on pages 8 to 11 are strictly adhered to.

Storage of equipment in alternative ways will overstretch elastics, making them non functional long term, cause non-standard layouts across the state and void warranty of the drug kit.

Modifications to the kits or additional elastics are available from RAPP Australia, if required.

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Equipment Layout Guides

The Neann PRK and Drug Kit has been designed to comply with the current equipment list provided by the Queensland Ambulance Service. All equipment is arranged in a neat, well laid out and user friendly manner designed to remove the need of search and select activities. This layout has specifically been designed to achieve the following:

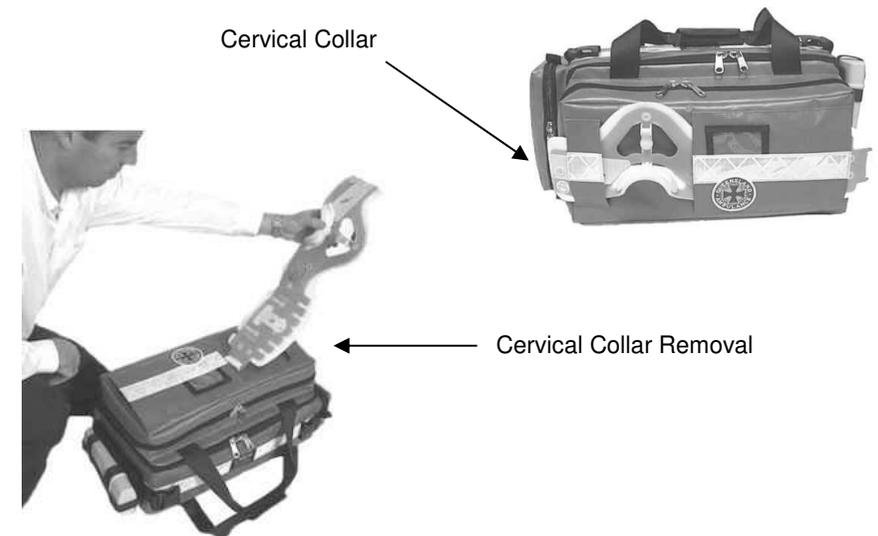
- Items of similar uses have, where possible, been grouped and stored together
- Each piece of equipment has been given its own pocket wherever possible to ease and reduce time spent on equipment checks and accessing equipment
- Pockets and elastics are designed for quick and easy access to all items of equipment, essential in an emergency
- Equipment storage and pocket layouts have been specifically designed to allow easy viewing and access as soon as the bag is opened. There are no hidden pockets
- Equipment checks are easy and fast as missing equipment stands out

It is therefore recommended that the following layout guides be used for the setting up of your kit to obtain maximum function of the PRK and Drug Kit.



Cervical Collar Holder

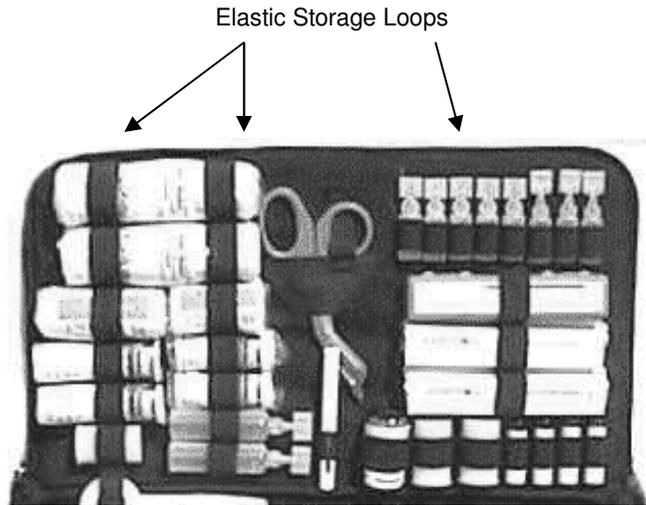
A cervical collar holder has been placed on the outer pocket for rapid access to the cervical collar.



Elastic Loops

A range of equipment is stored in elastic loops. Each loop has been specifically measured to store the equipment as presented in the layout guide.

It is recommended that these loops are not used for the storage of other equipment. Once overstretched, the loops will not return back to the correct size.



Steth and BP Cuff Storage

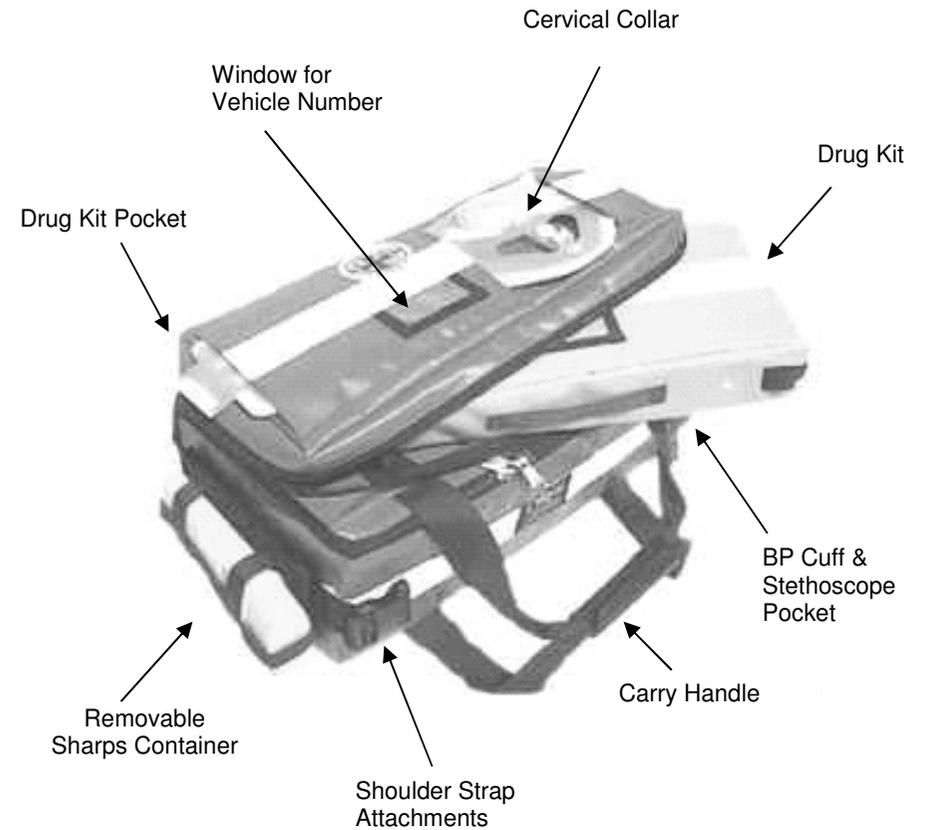
A side pocket allows for the storage of the stethoscope and BP cuff.

An internal elastic allows for the paediatric and thigh cuff to also be stored out of the way

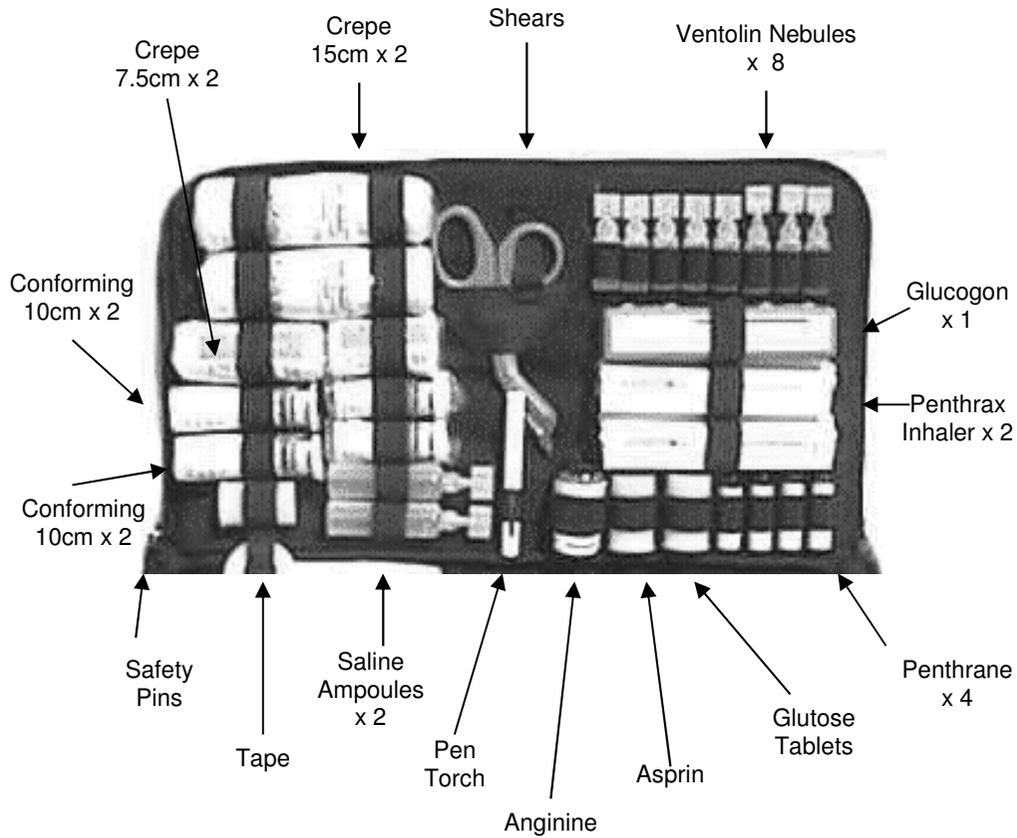


PRK Layout Guide

External View



Internal Lid

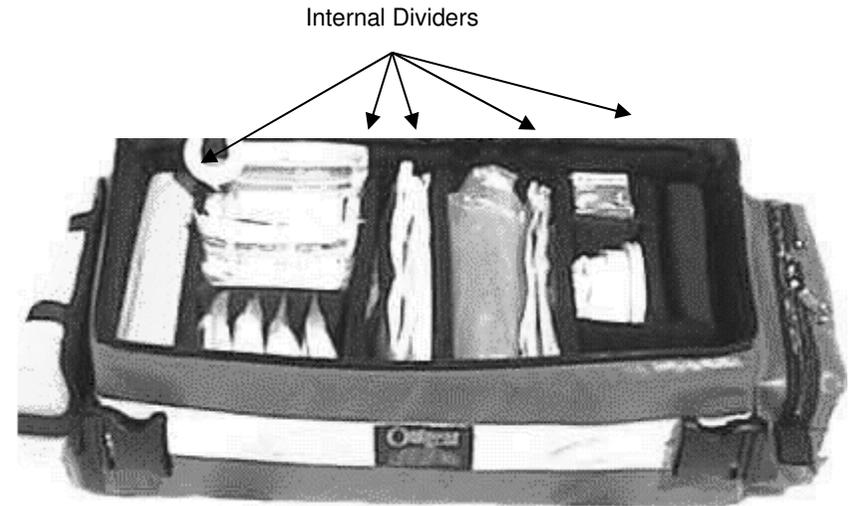


Internal Dividers

To separate equipment within the main kit, a range of removable dividers have been supplied.

It is important that these remain in the positions as supplied to maintain a standard.

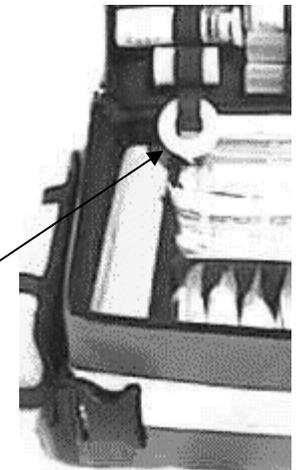
If service requirements change, new dividers can be supplied.



Tape Dispenser

Misplaced tape rolls are a thing of the past with Neann's unique tape dispenser, allowing tape to be left attached to the bag whilst dispensing.

Tape remains attached whilst dispensing



Sharps Container

The sharps container is stored on the outside of the PRK to ensure that sharps do not accidentally fall inside a pocket.

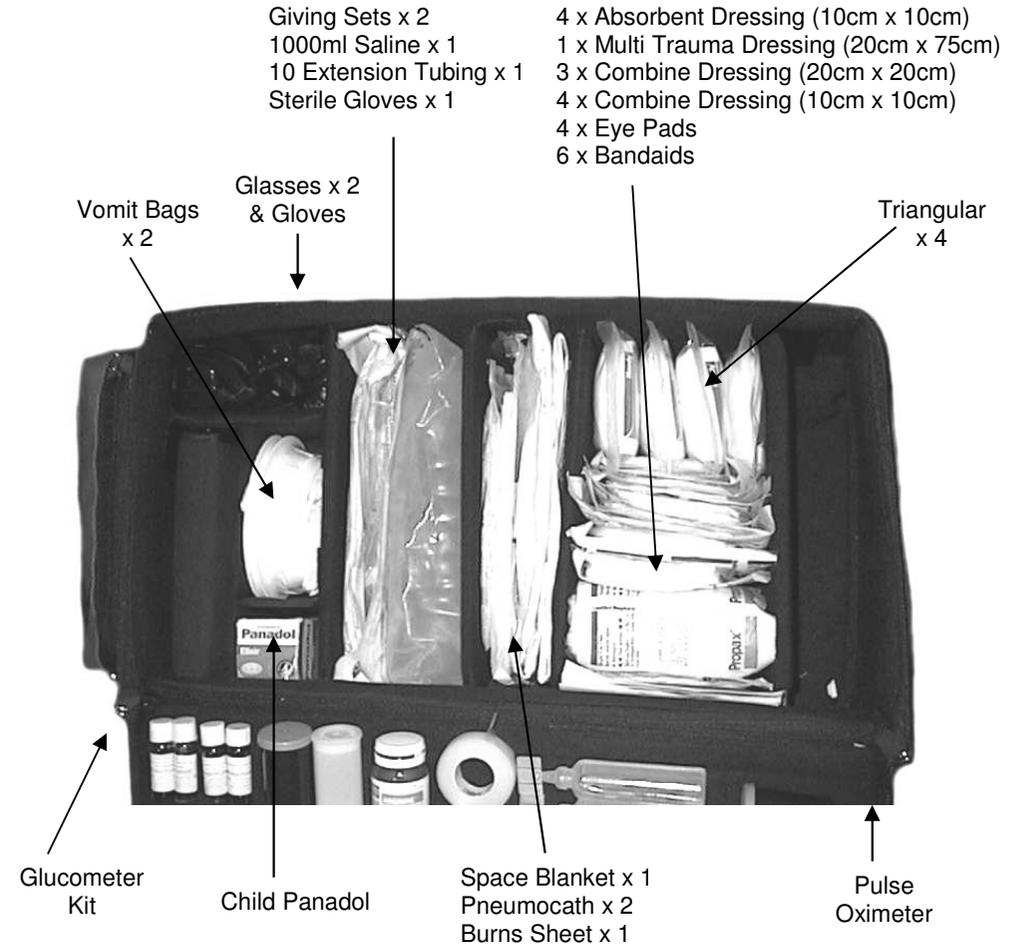
The holder is velcroed into position so that it can easily be removed from the bag and taken to the patient when required.



The sharps container **MUST** be placed with the label writing showing when in the holder to ensure that the opening is always upwards whether the PRK is lying down or standing. To open, press on the black elastic.

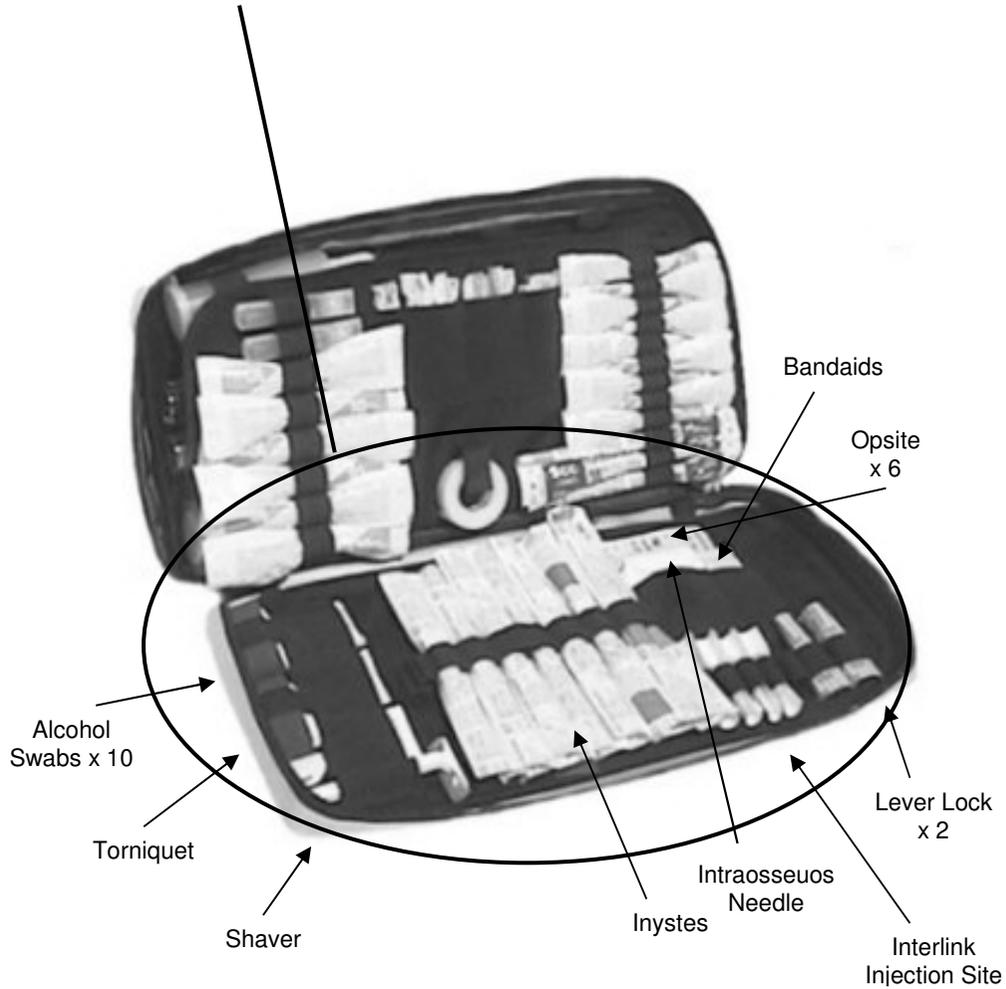


Main Section



Drug Kit Layout Guide

Tool Side 1



Backpack

The Neann PRK is supplied with a padded backpack harness on the base of the PRK for carrying the bag over long distances.



Removable Base

A removable base has been supplied to protect the main bag from damage and dirt. The base should not be removed except for cleaning.



Carry Handles

The Neann PRK carry handles come with a thick leather section to make carrying the bag comfortable even over long distances.

Velcro closure to join the handles has been chosen for speed and ease of use.

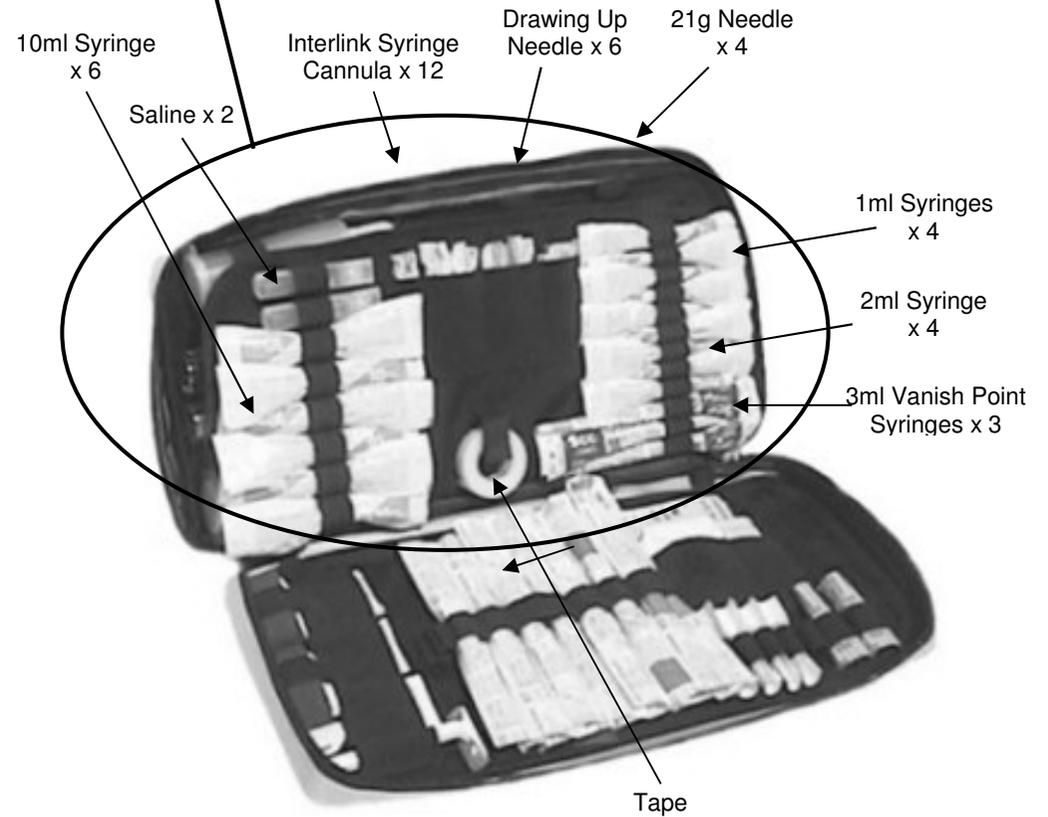


Shoulder Strap

A detachable, quick release shoulder strap offers an additional carrying choice. The shoulder strap can be either detached for storage or stored attached around the outside of the bag.



Tool Side 2



Tool Side 3

1 x Sodi Bic (50ml) 1 x Minijet Plunger	2 x D50W (50ml) 2 x Minijet Plunger
4 x Lasix (5ml) 1 x Lasix (25ml)	2 x Hydrocort (2ml)
4 x Lignocaine (5ml)	
6 x Normal Saline (10ml)	

Drug Side 1

5 x Maxalon (1ml)	5 x Morphine		
3 x Ventolin (1ml)	5 x Narcan (1ml)		
2 x Serance (1ml)	2 x Prometh (2ml)	2 x Cogent (2ml)	5 x Midazolam (1ml)
13 x Adrenaline (1ml)			
6 x Atropine (1ml)	4 x Adrenaline (1ml)		