

# FIRST-ATTEMPT CONFIDENCE IN AN EMERGENCY SETTING.

The McGRATH™ MAC video laryngoscope

The pediatric anesthetics team at the Royal Hospital for Sick Children in Edinburgh, Scotland uses the McGRATH™ MAC video laryngoscope for emergency intubations. Here two of their clinicians explain how the versatile device inspires confidence in the critical care setting.



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### A fast response for emergency care

"In the emergency situation, you want to be able to visualize what you are doing quickly — and then perform the intubation on the first attempt.

I work with the Scoliosis Service. [Scoliosis] can be associated with difficult airways and difficult intubations. I decided to use the [McGRATH™ MAC video laryngoscope] as the first line with a patient and intubated them. And now this is what I would recommend in the future if you needed to have an intubation for an emergency — a broken arm or something like that — where you have to do it quickly."

— Dr. Jillian McFadzean

### Ready whenever — and wherever — it's needed

"When you practice Critical Care Retrieval medicine, you need to be entirely self-sufficient. You have to take all the equipment [with you]. So ... with the McGRATH™ MAC [video laryngoscope], its size and portability makes it massively useful. We can just pop it in our kit bags, so it gives us another layer of safety when we're managing patients' airways in remote and rural locations."

— Dr. Jon McCormack

### Access for the entire team

"A key benefit for me is that everyone on the team knows what's going on. The difference to me of the McGRATH™ MAC video laryngoscope over some of the other video laryngoscopy devices is that you can see, and you can go where you can see, as opposed to just getting a great view and not being able to get round that corner."

— Dr. Jon McCormack

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