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A pediatric anesthetist explains how using the McGRATH™ MAC video laryngoscope has transformed his practice

Intubating children can be stressful. But, as Dr. Alistair Baxter shares, a smaller airway doesn't have to mean a difficult intubation. He says that the McGRATH™ MAC video laryngoscope has "made a massive difference" to his pediatric anesthetists team's confidence. Here he outlines its main benefits.



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Confidence for the entire team

"In our unit, [the McGRATH™ MAC video laryngoscope] means everyone in the room can see what's happening. ... I can see what [my team is] seeing. And I can be confident they're going to intubate the patient. I can also be confident that ... [they] can see what I'm doing and can assist me quickly."

Convenience and accessibility

"The advantage we've got of using a handheld portable device is that it's exactly that — you can take it anywhere and adapt it to the situation you're in."

Focused on what matters most

"When you're using [the McGRATH™ MAC video laryngoscope], the most important thing is to be able to triangulate. And that's triangulating in a straight line, so you're looking at what you're doing in the direction you're doing it and not looking to the side. ... Also, eyesight is so vital to what we're doing. As you start to need glasses, you find that your focal length is changing. To have the larynx suddenly appear on a screen at a fixed length, at a fixed magnification, means that you can carry on working without this fear of 'I can't see it.'"

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