Suction Machine

A suction machine is a device that helps remove secretion and mucus from your mouth and the back of your throat. It may be needed when you have a moist cough and are unable to effectively clear secretions from your mouth and throat on your own. It promotes good oral hygiene.

This device is attached to six foot long tubing with a mouth piece on the end called a “Yankauer”. You can control the amount of pressure needed to remove the secretions. The secretions travel through the tubing to a canister attached to a suction machine. You can empty the canister into the toilet to dispose of them. The canister is cleaned with warm soapy water on a daily basis.