

- J. a neck zone;
- K. said dental contact zone, said pharyngeal segment and said neck zone being unitary;
- L. said oral airway having an enclosed central channel in said dental contact zone, the upper part of said pharyngeal segment and said neck zone for the flow of fluid;
- M. said pharyngeal segment having a curved distal part having a concave anterior area;
- N. in the lower anterior area of the curved distal part of the pharyngeal segment an outlet orifice in the front wall connections with the central channel for the flow of fluid;
- O. said curved distal part being tapered to be of less thickness than most of the pharyngeal segment for ease of insertion into a patient's mouth;
- P. said dental contact zone having a width dimension greater than the thickness dimension;
- Q. in the interior of said dental contact zone there are two spaced apart walls to define three passageways such as said central channel for receiving an endotracheal tube, and two enclosed lateral conduits identified as a first lateral conduit and a second lateral conduit;
- R. said three passageways are for the flow of fluid; and,
- S. said oral airway being operatively positioned in said front airway chimney.
22. A combination of a face mask according to claim 21 and comprising:
- A. the lateral dimensions of said dental contact zone are greater than the lateral dimensions of said neck zone and greater than the lateral dimensions of said pharyngeal segment.
23. A combination of a face mask according to claim 22 and comprising:
- A. said first conduit having an upper opening near said neck zone and a lower opening at the level of the upper end of said pharyngeal segment; and,
- B. said second conduit having an upper opening near said neck zone and a lower opening at the level of the upper end of said pharyngeal segment.
24. A combination of a face mask according to claim 23 and comprising:
- A. said dental contact zone being between said pharyngeal segment and said neck zone.
25. A combination of a face mask according to claim 24 and comprising:
- A. said central channel extending through said neck;
- B. said central channel being of such interior dimensions as to be capable of simultaneously receiving a flexible fiberoptic scope and a tracheal tube; and,
- C. said opening in said pharyngeal segment having dimensions to allow simultaneously said flexible fiberoptic scope, and said tracheal tube to pass out of said pharyngeal segment and with said flexible

- fiberoptic scope being positioned within said tracheal tube.
26. A combination of a face mask according to claim 25 and comprising:
- A. said airway being unitary.
27. A combination of a face mask according to claim 21 and comprising:
- A. a removable spline;
- B. said spline having a means identified as a first means;
- C. said neck zone and said dental contact zone having a means identified as a second means;
- D. said first means and said second means operatively connecting together to allow the relative positions of said spline and said dental contact zone to vary;
- E. said first conduit having an upper opening near said neck zone and a lower opening at the level of the upper end of said pharyngeal segment; and,
- F. said second conduit having an upper opening near said neck zone and a lower opening at the level of the upper end of said pharyngeal segment.
28. A combination of a face mask according to claim 27 and comprising:
- A. said first means being keys;
- B. said second means being keyways; and,
- C. said dental contact zone being between said pharyngeal segment and said neck zone.
29. A combination of a face mask according to claim 28 and comprising:
- A. said central channel extending through said neck;
- B. with said spline in said oral airway said central channel being of such interior dimensions as to be capable of receiving a flexible fiberoptic scope;
- C. said opening in said pharyngeal segment having dimensions as to allow said flexible fiberoptic scope to pass out of said pharyngeal segment;
- D. said opening in said pharyngeal segment having dimensions to allow said tracheal tube to pass out of said pharyngeal segment; and,
- E. said spline being capable of being removed from said keyways and from said dental contact zone and from said neck zone.
30. A combination of a face mask according to claim 28 and comprising:
- A. said central channel extending through said neck;
- B. with said oral airway being free of said spline said oral airway being capable of simultaneously receiving a flexible fiberoptic scope and a tracheal tube; and,
- C. with said oral airway being free of said spine said opening in said pharyngeal segment having dimensions as to allow simultaneously said flexible fiberoptic scope and said tracheal tube to pass out of said pharyngeal segment and with said flexible fiberoptic scope being positioned within said tracheal tube.
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