Immediate tissue removal and continued postoperative contraction

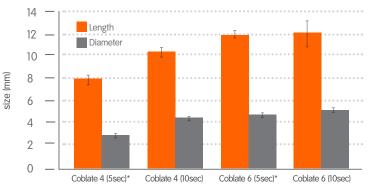
Smith&nephew COBLATION* REFLEX ULTRA* PTR AND ULTRA 45 Turbinate Reduction Wands



REFLEX ULTRA^{IN} PTR turbinate reduction Wand With a sleek profile and integrated visual markers, the REFLEX ULTRA Wands make turbinate reduction fast and efficient. COBLATION^{IN} treatment for hypertrophic turbinates results in immediate removal of central turbinate tissue and continued postoperative contraction of additional tissue for best-in-class results.¹

- Shorter, smaller diameter provides easy access and reduces visual obstruction
- Two orange depth markers for improved visibility

REFLEX ULTRA PTR turbinate reduction Wand lesion data²



*Note: 10 seconds is the recommended activation duration



COBLATION-CHANNELING⁺ with REFLEX ULTRA⁺ PTR Wand

Preparation

- 1 Before the procedure begins, administer local or general anesthesia according to institution guidelines and based on surgeon preference.
- 2 Before each insertion into the turbinate, place Wand tip in saline gel or other conductive media to ensure initial formation of the plasma field.

NOTE: You may inject the turbinate with 2-4cc of 1% Lidocaine with or without epinephrine in order to balloon the turbinate.

Procedure



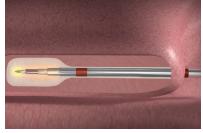
Step 1

Press the COBLATION° foot pedal while advancing the Wand tip submucosally into the inferior turbinate. Once inserted, remove your foot from the COBLATION foot pedal.



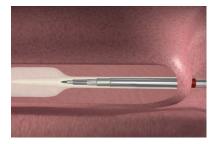
Step 2

Advance the inactivated Wand submucosally to the most proximal (closest to the handle) marker.

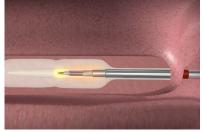


Step 3

Press the Coblation foot pedal while holding the Wand in place and keep the Wand activated for 10 seconds to create the first lesion.



Step 4 Withdraw the inactivated Wand to the distal (closest to the Wand tip) visualization marker.



Step 5 Press the COBLATION foot pedal and activate the Wand for 10 seconds to create a second lesion.



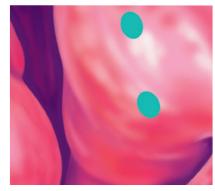
Step 6 Carefully remove the inactivated Wand. This process may be repeated to create multiple channels to decrease size of turbinate.

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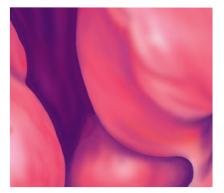
REFLEX ULTRA⁺ 45 turbinate reduction Wand With a slightly longer shaft length and integrated markers, the REFLEX ULTRA 45 Wand is suited for the reduction of larger turbinates

Key features

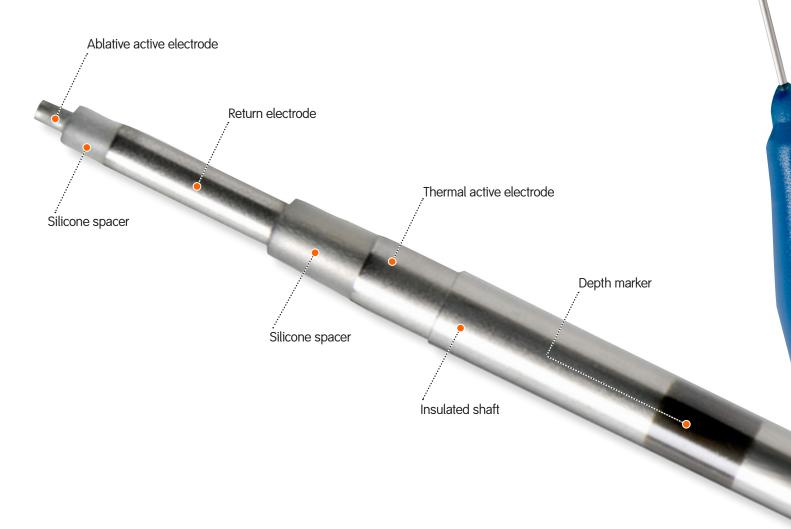
- May treat both anterior and posterior portion of turbinate
- · Features three black depth markers for improved device positioning visibility



Green dots indicate Wand entry points



Tissue removal leads to immediate opening of the nasal airway



COBLATION-CHANNELING⁺ with REFLEX ULTRA⁺ 45 Wand

Preparation

- 1 Before the procedure begins, administer local or general anesthesia according to institution guidelines and based on surgeon preference.
- 2 Before each insertion to the turbinate, place Wand tip in saline gel or other conductive media to ensure initial formation of the plasma field.

Note: You may inject the turbinate with 2-4cc of 1% Lidocaine with or without epinephrine in order to balloon the turbinate.

Procedure



Step 1 Activate the Wand using the COBLATION° foot pedal and enter the tip submucosally into the turbinate. Once inserted, take your foot off the pedal.



Step 2

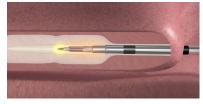
Advance the inactivated Wand submucosally to the most proximal (closest to the handle) marker.



Step 3 Press the COBLATION foot pedal while holding the Wand in place and keep the Wand activated for 10 seconds to create the first lesion.



Step 4 Withdraw the inactivated Wand to the next visualization marker.



Step 5 Press the COBLATION foot pedal and activate the Wand for 10 seconds to create the second lesion.



Step 7 (REFLEX 45 only) Press the COBLATION foot pedal and activate the Wand for 10 seconds to create a third lesion.



Step 6 (REFLEX 45 only) Withdraw the inactivated Wand to the most distal (closest to the Wand tip) visualization marker.



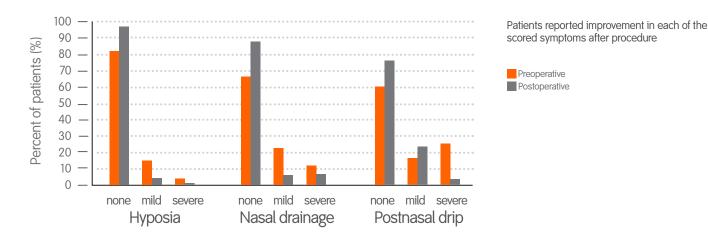
Step 8 Carefully remove the inactivated Wand. This process may be repeated to create multiple channels to decrease size of turbinate.

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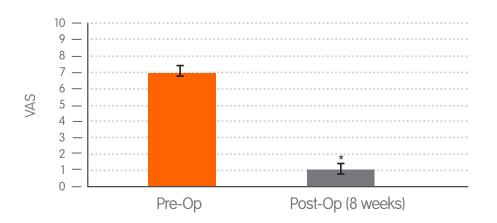
Proven results

Minimally invasive hypertrophic turbinate procedure can be efficiently performed in the operating room or in office settings

Pre- and postoperative symptoms using COBLATION plasma technology at 8-week follow-up³



Visual analog scale³



Mean nasal obstruction (VAS) pre- and postoperative (8 weeks)³ * Significant difference compared to pre-op (p<0.001).

COBLATION° plasma technology

The term COBLATION means "controlled ablation." COBLATION technology involves the creation and application of a high-energy field called "glow discharge plasma." This plasma ablates tissue through a chemical process as highly energized particles in the plasma break down molecules in the tissue. COBLATION technology provides two distinct advantages to the surgeon:

- COBLATION plasma technology operates at lower temperatures than other RF based technologies
- The 100µm 200µm plasma field (about the size of a human hair) allows for precise removal of soft tissue with minimal thermal damage to untargeted tissue



Plasma field formation

COBLATION plasma technology on soft tissue



References

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Ordering information

REFLEX ULTRA° PTR and 45 Wand

Reference #	Description
EICA4835-01	REFLEX ULTRA PTR WAND
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EC8000-01	COBLATOR° II CONTROLLER

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