

VERTICAL SUPPORT

INSTRUCTIONS

PREPARATION (Figures 1 and 2)

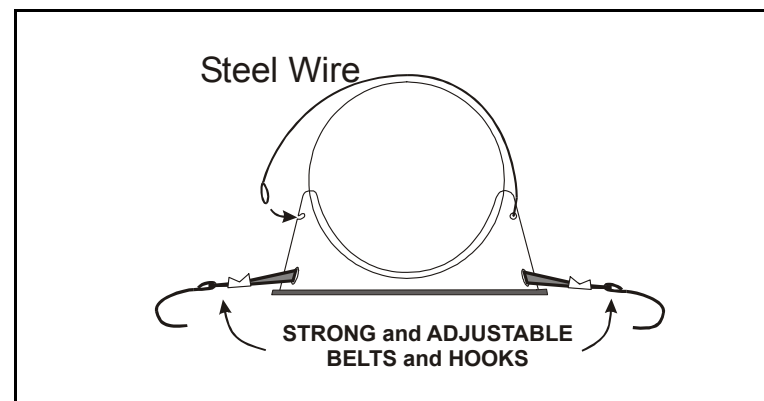
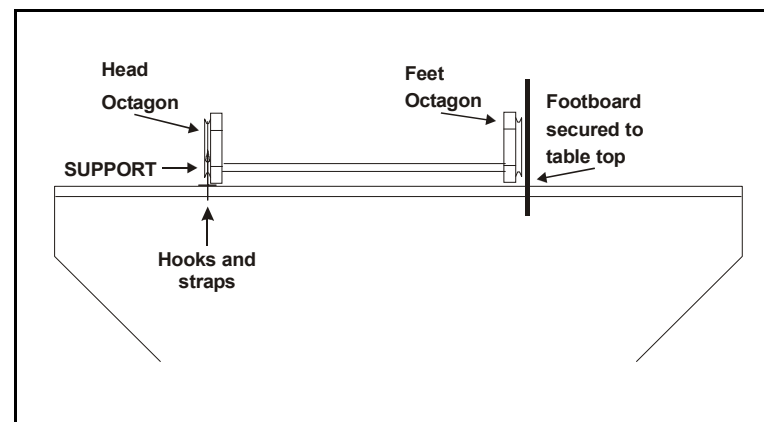
1- Always start on a horizontal x-ray table. Place the vertical support on the left of the table. Install the metal hooks on both sides of the tabletop. If the hooks are too small, enlarge and shape them with "Vise Grip" pliers; they could also be installed at the base of the side handles, providing they cannot disengage spontaneously. Make sure both hooks are solidly fixed. Each strap has a cam buckle: tension locks automatically, and is released by depressing the spring tab. Tighten each strap while keeping the support on the midline. Check solidity by raising the support a few centimeters above the surface. If the tabletop is mobile, make sure the hooks will not be unhooked along the travel to the right and to the left.

2- Deposit the UNIVERSAL OCTOPAQUE[®] adapting the groove of the head octagon to the support. Then wrap the steel wire around the bottom of the groove, and introduce the loop into the corresponding notch, making sure that it engages (and disengages) with a friction sufficient to prevent it from pulling out spontaneously. Should this resistance disappear, the wire must then be changed. Once the loop is deeply hooked in the notch, the wire loosens slightly, thus permitting rotation of the octagon for positioning around the longitudinal axis.

3- Install the footboard against the foot octagon, and check that it is firmly locked in place.

4- Place the cassette in the drawer, align the X-ray tube and complete all that is necessary to the examination, so the baby remains upright as briefly as possible.

5- Now immobilize the baby on the UNIVERSAL OCTOPAQUE[®] in the horizontal position.



UTILISATION

Raise the table vertically, **while assuring the well being and the security of the baby, directly and continuously**. Lower the table as soon as possible, or if any incident arises. Keep watching the baby as long as he is immobilized on the UNIVERSAL OCTOPAQUE®.

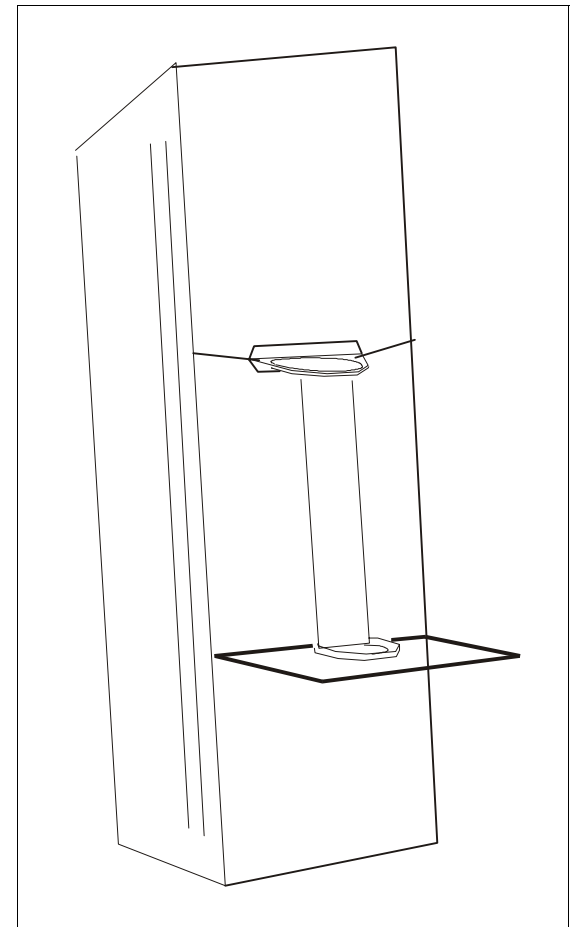
Please study the suggestions and precautions explained in the educational brochure: "Le SYSTÈME OCTOSTOP® II SYSTEM" supplied herewith and in the video "THE OCTOSTOP® SYSTEMS" by Jean A. Vézina M.D. President and Medical advisor.

MAXIMUM WEIGHT of baby: 16 kg.

Must be used by qualified personnel under the responsibility of a physician, and according to appropriate procedures. OCTOSTOP® Inc. and its personnel do not assume any responsibility regarding the use, indications, consequences or any situation directly or indirectly related to its products.

The patient should not be installed in any manner that may compromise its safety.

Must not be used in a Magnetic Resonance environment.



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