

Caesarean section:

The case for CaesAid vacuum delivery cups vs forceps

Did you know?

The fetal head at a Caesarean delivery is usually delivered through a generous skin incision and fundal pressure. Research suggests that:

- Skin incision over 15 cm may cause ilioinguinal nerve damage.
- Uterine incisions – head delivery intervals of > 90 sec. may result in fetal hypoxia.*

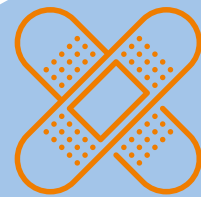
In a recent study* de Jong and Stolwijk evaluated the CaesAid vacuum cup, together with Medela's electronic vacuum pump, on maternal and fetal outcomes in comparison to the use of forceps at caesarean delivery. The objective was: asses whether the CaesAid vacuum cup shortens the incision-delivery interval vs. forceps and document any perioperative complications for mother and neonate.



132
Number
of patients



~ 60%
Shorter delivery interval
with CaesAid
vacuum cup



0
Cases of neonatal
skin injuries vs. 8 cases
with forceps



Lower maternal blood loss with CaesAid vacuum cup



The results of the study suggest that the **CaesAid vacuum cup is a safe and efficient alternative to forceps** to deliver the fetal head at the caesarean section.

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* An audit of the CaesAid vacuum-assisted delivery cup compared to forceps delivery of the fetal head at caesarean section, de Jong P., Stolwijk N., p.683, June 12 2019