

## **Ventilating the child:**

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- **Once again, someone is going to ask you what equipment you want.**

**Oxygen source  
Face masks  
Self inflating bag  
T-piece and open ended bag  
Mechanical ventilator  
Chest tubes  
Gastric tubes**

- **FACE MASKS:**
  - Circular ones give good seal
  - Worst case scenario, turn a Laerdel mask upside-down
- **Self Inflating Bags**
  - 250, 500, 1200ml varieties
  - Without reservoir bag, its difficult to give more than 50%
- **T-piece, open ended bag**
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