

NASG Removal

Only remove the NASG at a facility with skilled attendants and with the woman's IV still running.

Criteria for removal: Pulse and BP stable for 2 hours, bleeding <50mL/hour, leave IV running until after removal of NASG.

Always wear gloves when touching a soiled NASG.



Take woman's pulse & BP



Open segment pair #1 (#2 for short women)



Wait 15 minutes



Take pulse & BP



If there is neither an **increase** in the pulse (>20 BPM) nor a **decrease** in the BP (>20 mm Hg), open segment pair #2

Wait 15 Minutes



Take pulse & BP



If no change >20 in pulse or BP, open segment pair #3

Wait 15 Minutes



Take pulse & BP



If no change >20 in pulse or BP, open segment #4

Wait 15 Minutes



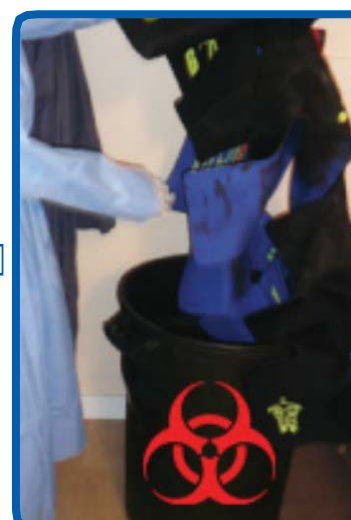
Take pulse & BP



If no change >20 in pulse or BP, open the last segments, abdominal segments #5 and #6



If at any time, the pulse or BP change by >20, rapidly close all segments of the the NASG and look for source of bleeding



Place soiled NASG in a biohazard container and send for the cleaners to take it away or take it to the laundry