

Cot Lids

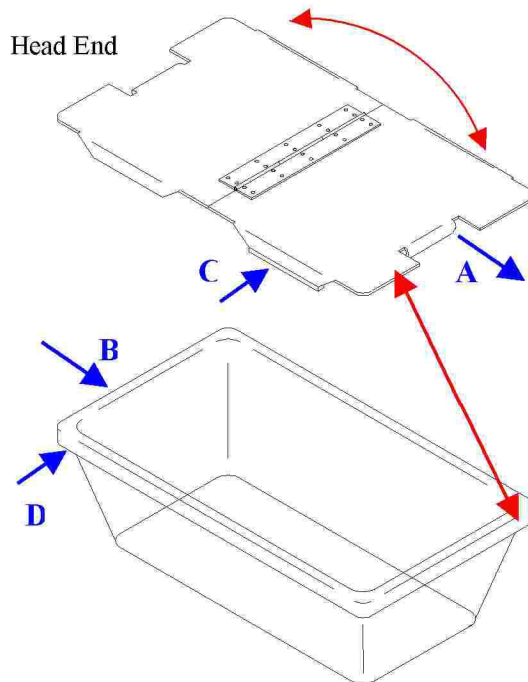


Fig 1. Lid and basinet.

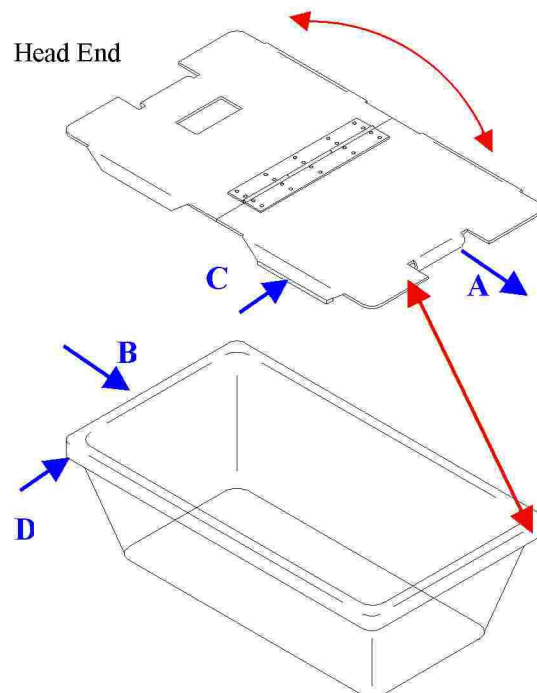


Fig 2. Lid with louver and basinet

The cot lid is used in conjunction with a basinet to reduce heat loss in an infant. It is used in non-critical situations when an incubator would be inappropriate. It is available in a version with a built in louver (Fig 2.) when it is used with levels of humidity.



Warning:

In order to prevent breakage of the Cot Lids by infants kicking the flap extending over basinet, the cot lid has been further extended and bent back under the cot lid edge. This will prevent the infant dislodging the lid but it also means that the infant's feet will now collide with a solid surface. In practice it appears that the soles of the infants feet are more generally in contact with the lid than the toes and there have been no reported incidences of injuries.

Assembly:

Fold the Cot Lid together at the hinge. Slide the end of the Lid "A" over the end of the Basinet "B", ensuring that the lip "C" is under the edge of the basinet at "D". The edge at the end of the Cot Lid "A" lines up against the outside end of the basinet. With the Cot Lid located at the end of the basinet, the Lid can be folded down. The handle at the other end of the Lid will rest inside the other end of the basinet. This foldable half of the Cot lid is the end where the baby's head would be. The two gaps for the handles therefore, now allow for ventilation.

NB: Existing cot lids can have an extra piece added to form a fold-over to prevent the lid leaving the basinet.