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Dear Sister Broadribb,

**Advisory Service Notice**  
**Viamed Tom Thumb Infant Resuscitator**

I am writing with regards to the Tom Thumb Infant Resuscitator that your organisation has previously purchased from Viamed. The Tom Thumb may be used as a standalone device or in conjunction with a Viamed resuscitation cabinet.



Viamed recommends that these units should be serviced every 12 months; or if the pressure gauge does not read zero (outside of the black band) with no flow, or if the unit's accuracy is in doubt. We also recommend that the gas hoses should also be checked every 3 months, and replaced every 4 years as a minimum.

In view of the above, we offer a planned preventative maintenance service for the Tom Thumb Infant Resuscitator. The price for this service is **£90.00** plus £10.00 return carriage (excluding VAT) – part number 0380000. If parts are required to effect a repair, a quotation will be issued prior to commencement of work.

Should you wish for us to carry out the service, please advise us of the serial number/s of the unit/s and we will provide you with a returns reference number. When returning units to us, please may we ask that you ensure that the packing is adequate and we advise that you use a traceable delivery service. If you would like to perform the service in-house, spare parts and service manuals are available for all variants; please contact us for further information.

There are two main variants of Tom Thumb, if the unit you have only delivers oxygen then please see overleaf for further details regarding available upgrades.

So that we can keep our records up-to-date, if the Tom Thumb is no longer in service, please email [tomthumbservice@viamed.co.uk](mailto:tomthumbservice@viamed.co.uk) with the serial number/s and we will update our records accordingly.

Should you have any further queries or require any further information, please do not hesitate in contacting us.

Yours sincerely

Catrin Hird  
Marketing

## Tom Thumb Infant Resuscitator Upgrades

There are two main variants of Tom Thumb, those with an integral hose and flowmeter designed to deliver oxygen only (TT490-15) and those with a low-pressure tapered inlet that can be connected to an air/oxygen blender to deliver blended gases (TT480).



TT490-15 Tom Thumb Infant Resuscitator



TT480 Tom Thumb Infant Resuscitator



TT480 Tom Thumb Infant Resuscitator used in conjunction with Viamed Infant Resuscitation Cabinet

In light of the changes made in the latest Resuscitation Council (UK) guidelines, Viamed recommends that oxygen-only Tom Thumb resuscitators be modified or replaced with a Tom Thumb and Air/Oxygen Blender combination in order to meet these requirements.

For further information on this please email us, [tomthumbupgrades@viamed.co.uk](mailto:tomthumbupgrades@viamed.co.uk) or call a member of our sales team on:

**01535 634542**

(Between the hours of 09:00 and 17:30)