

MPS IH

- 10-year-old boy scheduled for emergency umbilical hernia repair
- First attempt of anaesthesia failed:
- failure of ventilation with a facemask after a muscle relaxant was given
- intubation failure with a 5 mm conventional endotracheal tube
- Examination of ENT manifestations by indirect laryngoscopy not possible because patient did not cooperate following procedure
- Second attempt 2 days later:
- Consent for tracheostomy was obtained and LMA and a senior anaesthetist were on standby
- Several unsuccessful attempts for oral intubation with a 5 mm tube and smaller tube sizes □ blind nasal intubation with an endotracheal tube (successful)
- Continuation of surgery