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# AeroChamber<sup>®</sup>

Valved Holding Chambers



## Animated Videos Now Available

Trudell Medical International is pleased to announce the launch of three short animated videos designed to help consumers understand more about the use of **AeroChamber<sup>®</sup>** Brand Valved Holding Chamber with a Metered Dose Inhaler. The animation will demonstrate how a chamber will benefit the delivery of their medication and provide assurance their medication has been delivered deep into their lungs – where it is needed most.

The following videos are now available for download from our web site:

- How a chamber helps with medication delivery
- How to use an inhaler with a mouthpiece chamber
- How to use an inhaler with a mask chamber

Each 'How to Use' video is just over 1 minute in length and follows animated characters as they demonstrate the proper use of a Metered Dose Inhaler with **AeroChamber<sup>®</sup>** Valved Holding Chamber. The videos are available with English chapter headers but the videos themselves contain no dialogue/narration or sub-titles making it easier for patients and caregivers to understand – regardless of language or reading level. A version with French chapter headers will be available shortly. It is recognized that although patients may demonstrate correct inhaler technique during visits with their healthcare professional, they may not maintain this standard at other times<sup>1</sup> – which may result in poor control of asthma or COPD symptoms. These videos are designed to reinforce the direction provided to the patient or caregiver during a counselling session.

All of the animated shorts are available for download from the Trudell Medical International web site ([www.trudellmed.com](http://www.trudellmed.com)), for use in offices, counselling rooms or clinics. Patients and caregivers are also able to access and view the videos from their home computer.

To visit our web site to select one of the videos for viewing, click on the image to the left.

<sup>1</sup>Brennan VK, Osman LM, Graham H, Critchlow A and Everard ML. True device compliance: the need to consider both competence and contrivance. *Respiratory Medicine* (2005); 99: 97-102.

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