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### Seattle Children's Hospital Selects AeroChamber MAX® VHC

With increasing data supporting the use of Metered Dose Inhalers and Valved Holding Chambers (VHCs) over Small Volume Nebulizers, many hospitals have started to make the switch. After seeing a reduction in supply costs, labour costs and a decrease to the total number of treatments given to adult patients, the Seattle Children's Hospital hoped they could mimic this success by making the same change for their pediatric patients.<sup>1</sup>

After reviewing the available literature, product selection, policy/operational changes and staff training, the hospital selected the **AeroChamber MAX®** VHC based on the following criteria:

- Valve and baffle design which improves drug delivery and reduces systemic effects
- Visual indication of inspiration and confirmed face mask seal via the **Flow-Vu™** Indicator
- Anti-Static chamber that increases aerosol suspension time
- Availability and anatomical design of various sizes of **ComfortSeal™** facemasks

The **AeroChamber MAX®** VHC offers a full range of products to meet the needs of all patients. Each product is anatomically designed for the specific patient type. Mask sizers are available ([www.aerochamber.com](http://www.aerochamber.com)) to help caregivers select the device that is best suited for the patient.

**AeroChamber MAX®** VHCs are easy to use and virtually eliminate the guesswork involved in aerosol drug delivery.