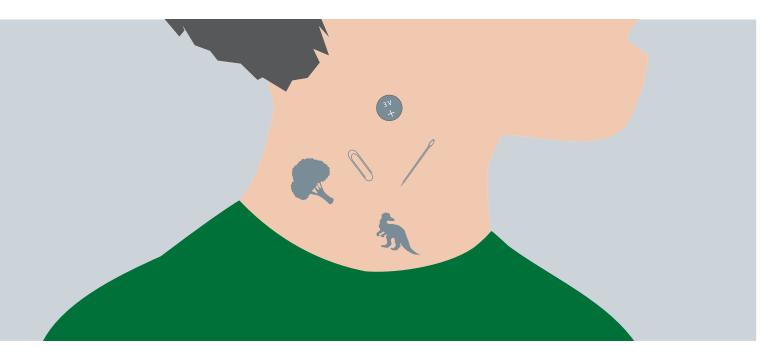
Application focus

Removal of foreign bodies and food boluses



In clinical practice there is quite often a need to remove foreign bodies and food boluses swallowed by a patient. About 80–90 % of swallowed foreign bodies pass spontaneously. But 10–20 % get wedged in the oesophagus and consequently have to be removed.¹

In 2021 alone, over 15,000 interventions were performed in Germany to remove foreign bodies and food boluses from the oesophagus.²

Ovesco offers instruments for safe and easy removal especially for these difficult cases.



Food boluses or sharp objects in the oesophagus: should be removed within 2 h in emergency cases



Blunt and small objects:
Usually easy to remove with few complications
using grasping forceps or snares



Ingested magnets or batteries require immediate action



Fibrous, elusive food boluses or partially digested tablets: Conventional instruments reach their limits



Blood clots and necrotic tissue: Conventional instruments are effective only in certain cases



Sharp objects require special precautions to avoid injury to the oesophagus

Choose your tool for the

Removal of foreign bodies and food boluses

FBR Set

- The FBR Set is specially designed for safe retrieval of sharp-edged foreign bodies
- Foreign body removal kit with grasper and cap
- Grasper for optimal foreign body fixation owing to its strong holding force due to alligator and rat tooth geometry
- Safe retrieval of sharp objects with the help of the long and elastic cap
- 2 sets per package
- Ref. no. 400.05



OTSG Xcavator®

- Extra-large capacity for easy removal of blood clots, food boluses and foreign bodies
- Effective excavation due to enormous grasping volume
- Effortless endoscopic insertion due to conical design and transparent scoops
- Unobstructed working channel for simultaneous use of other instruments or suction and irrigation
- 2 pieces per package
- Ref. no. 200.15



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²InEK data 2021 for OPS 8-100.6 and 8-100.8; own calculations

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