breast pump


Accession Number: 995002106
Collection: Kingston General Hospital School of Nursing Alumnae Collection
Category: Patient Care Artifacts
Classification: Patient Care
MeSH Heading: Breast Feeding
Milk, Human
Infant Food

Description: Breast pump, which consists of a clear glass main section with a red rubber bulb attached to one end; the main section is cylindrical and hollow with one end that flares outward, trumpet-like, with rounded outer edges; the other end tapers inwards and has a small round opening; this end is covered with a hollow spherical closed rubber bulb; the middle section of the glass part has a semicircular area that comes out at the bottom and provides a collection reservoir for pumped milk.

Number Of Parts: 1
Provenance: Owned by the KGH Nursing Alumnae
Material: rubber: red
glass: clear
Inscriptions: None
Permanent Location: Storage Room 0010
0010-D7-9
Dimension Notes: Length 13.3 cm. x Diam. 6.2 cm.
Condition Remarks: The glass is complete with no damage (chips, cracks or staining); the rubber bulb is complete, but losing flexibility; #2: rubber requires special treatment.
Copy Type: Original
Reference Types: Book
JPG
Reference Comments: "Hospital and Physicians Equipment and Supplies," by the J.F. Hartz Co., Ltd., 1960, p. 85 (item 5H-135) (see attached photocopy); CD #1; CD #8
Research Facts: Used for collecting human milk.

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Accession Number: 995003032 a-b
Collection: Angada Collection
Category: Patient Care Artifacts
Classification: Patient Care
MeSH Heading: Breast Feeding
Milk, Human
Infant Food

Description: Cylindrical glass breast pump which has a round flattened section at one end, a holding area within the pump to collect milk and a small opening at the other end onto which a red rubber bulb belongs; there is also a metal band which originally held the bulb on; the bulb has deteriorated and is not there (see accession sheet for illustration)

Number Of Parts: 2
Part Names: Size: Length 10.0 cm. x Width 4.6 cm.
Dates: 1915
circa 1915
Date Remarks: Date on artifact
Material: metal: silver
glass: clear
Inscriptions: Raised words on glass top read: "Pat. Aug. 3rd, 1915"
Permanent Location: Storage Room 0010
0010-D7-9
Condition Remarks: Breast pump was very dirty and dusty; the rubber bulb was so deteriorated that it was unsavable;
the glass section of the pump is unmarked, unchipped and uncracked
Copy Type: Original
Reference Types: Other
JPG

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Classification: Patient Care
MeSH Heading: Breast Feeding, Milk, Human, Infant Food

Description: Breast pump in box; brown rectangular cardboard box (a) and lid (b); lid with red border around top; box with label on side, printed with red and yellow ink, stating manufacturing and product information; breast pump (c) with brown and black marbled rubber bulb attached to clear glass section that flares out at open end; large rounded section to one side; round yellow plastic disc (d) with hole in middle

Number Of Parts: 4

Part Names:
- a - box - Size: Length 16.5 cm x Width 7.9 cm x Depth 7.0 cm
- b - box lid - Size: Length 16.9 cm x Width 8.2 cm x Depth 2.8 cm
- c - pump - Size: Length 15.9 cm x Width 7.0 cm x Depth 6.8 cm
- d - washer - Size: Depth 0.2 cm x Diam. 2.7 cm

Provenance: Transfer from the Dental Canada Fund; previously housed in the Dentistry Canada Museum (Ottawa)

Maker: United Drug Co.
Site Made (City): Boston
Site Made (State): Massachusetts
Site Made (Country): United States of America

Dates: 1910-1940
circa 1910-1940

Date Remarks: Based on supplier’s catalogue

Material: glass: clear
rubber: brown, black
paper: brown
ink: yellow, red
plastic: yellow

Inscriptions:
(a) Printed on side of box: "’KANTLEEK’ // A Rexall PRODUCT // BREAST PUMP // LARGE ONYX BULB // (WIRED ON) // R 1470 // UNITED DRUG CO. BOSTON, U.S.A.“;
(c) embossed on handle of pump: "KANTLEEK"

Permanent Location: Storage Room 0010
0010-D7-9

Condition Remarks: Box and lid (a, b) faded, water-damaged; rubber hardened on pump (c)

Copy Type: Original

Reference Types: Book
JPG

Reference Comments: “American Hospital Supply Catalog C-30”, American Hospital Supply, c. 1965, similar to model #14410-002; “Aloe’s Illustrated and Priced Catalogue of Superior Surgical Instruments, Physicians’ Supplies and Hospital Furnishings. 6th ed”, A.S. Aloe Co., 189–, p. 937 (similar to model #10987) CD #1

Research Facts: Dr Ralph and Mrs Olga Crawford donated their extensive Canadian dental collection to the DCF to create the museum in 1997; further donations were received while Dr Crawford was Curator Emeritus at the Dental Canada Museum until its closure in 2008; the yellow disc may or may not be a part of the breast pump

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Accession Number: 1932.4.1
Collection: University Health Network - Academy of Medicine Collection
Category: Patient Care Artifacts
Classification: Patient Care
MeSH Heading: Breast Feeding
Milk, Human
Infant Food
Provenance: Acquired from the Academy of Medicine.
Dates: 1841
circa 1841
Permanent Location: Storage Room 0010
0010-D7-9
Copy Type: Original
Reference Types: JPG
Reference Comments: CD #UHN

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**Description:**
Breast pump, consisting of a glass cup (a) in a brass "socket" and a brass syringe (b) which screws onto the socket of (a).

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Museum of Health Care at Kingston
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Accession Number: 1979.21.37
Collection: University Health Network - Academy of Medicine Collection
Category: Patient Care Artifacts
Classification: Patient Care
MeSH Heading: Breast Feeding
          Milk, Human
          Infant Food

Description: A clear glass, hand-blown, self-cupping, breast glass: a long glass tube is bent at right angles at one end and tapers to a very small open tip; the other end is also bent at right angles and ends as a funnel; below the funnel is a glass globe.

Number Of Parts: 1
Provenance: Acquired from the Academy of Medicine; source: Mrs. J.A. McArthur, Blackstock Dispensary, Blackstock, Ont.
Dates: 1876
          1899
          1876-1899
Date Remarks: Original record had "19c.," Blackstock Dispensary built in 1876.
Material: glass: clear
Permanent Location: Storage Room 0010
          0010-D7-9
Dimension Notes: Length 35.0 cm x Width 1.5 cm
Condition Remarks: Chipped edge on funnel; #2: glass is chipped
Copy Type: Original
Reference Types: Book
          JPG
Reference Comments: "Bloodletting Instruments," by A. Davies & T. Appel, p. 86 (illustration); "The English Midwife," by T.G.H. Asche (?), 1682, pp. 94-95 (illustration); CD #UHN
Research Facts: From the Blackstock Dispensary, built in 1876; practising physicians in the dispensary: Dr. John Montgomery 1876-1882; Dr. Auron J. Campbell 1882-1888; Dr. Wm. A Fish 1888-1901; Dr. John McCullough 1901-1906; Dr. Robert B. Harris 1906-1908; Dr. Archibald McArthur 1908-1925; Dr. John A. McArthur 1919-1966.

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English breast pump

Accession Number: 1980.18.121
Collection: University Health Network - Academy of Medicine Collection
Category: Patient Care Artifacts
Classification: Patient Care
MeSH Heading: Breast Feeding
Milk, Human
Infant Food

Description: A hand-blown, bell-shaped, glass breast pump; a large glass bubble is attached to the outside near the lip.

Number Of Parts: 1
Provenance: Acquired from the Academy of Medicine; source: Mr. Dean Charters.

Dates: 1800
1899
1800-1899

Date Remarks: Original record had "19c."

Material: glass: clear
Permanent Location: Storage Room 0010
0010-D7-9

Dimension Notes: Length 9.2 cm x Diam. 5.6 cm
Condition Remarks: Tip of pump is slightly broken.
Copy Type: Original

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Classification: Patient Care
MeSH Heading: Breast Feeding
Milk, Human
Infant Food

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Number Of Parts: 1
Provenance: Acquired from the Academy of Medicine; source: Mr. Dean Charters.

Dates: 1800
1899
1800-1899

Date Remarks: Original record had "19c."

Material: glass: clear

Permanent Location: Storage Room 0010
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Dimension Notes: Length 9.5 cm x Diam. 5.9 cm

Condition Remarks: Tip of the pump is slightly broken.

Copy Type: Original

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**English breast pump**


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**English breast pump; box**


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