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# EPIGLOTTIC ENTRAPMENT IN HORSES

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Epiglottic entrapment is a less common cause of respiratory noise and exercise intolerance. Clinical signs of epiglottic entrapment include inspiratory and expiratory respiratory noise during exercise and poor exercise performance.

Surgical correction of epiglottic entrapment is axial division of the aryepiglottic fold to free the epiglottis. Axial transection of the aryepiglottic fold may be performed by our Horses Epiglottic Entrapment safe cuttin hook with successful results.



## SAFE CUTTING HOOK



■ This hook has an effective system of springs and controls to ensure the immediate closure of the armor to protect the point and the edge avoiding involuntary or accidental injuries.

# PRODUCT INFO



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**Correcting an Entrapped Epiglottis:** the most effective technic is the transnasal axial division (a slice in the center of the tissue to relieve the entrapment) under general anesthesia using a hook bistoury a long and narrow surgical knife.



## Features

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### Horses Epiglottic Entrapment Safe Cutting Hook

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Built with AISI 316 Stainless Steel.

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Laser Marked Edge.

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Sharpened Completely by Hand to Ensure  
Cleanliness of the Incision.

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Designed for Easy Maintenance and Edge  
Reconditioning.

