

Policy References: [Local Coverage Determination Tracheostomy Care Supplies \(L33832\)](#) and [Policy Article \(A52492\)](#)

Documentation References: [Standard Documentation Requirements Policy Article \(PA\) A55426](#)

The supplier must be able to provide all of these items on request:

[Standard Written Order \(SWO\)](#)

[Beneficiary Authorization](#)

[Refill Requirements](#)

[Proof of Delivery \(POD\)](#)

[Continued Need](#)

[Continued Use](#)

Medical records from treating practitioner as noted below

Medical Records should contain:

- Beneficiary has an open surgical tracheostomy; **and**
- Tracheostomy has been or is expected to remain open for at least (3) months
Tracheostomy care or cleaning starter kit (A4625)
- Beneficiary has an open surgical tracheostomy that is less than two (2) weeks old
Tracheostomy care kit (A4629)
- Beneficiary has an established tracheostomy (2 weeks and older)

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