## RiJe ${ }^{\circledR}$ Cup Instruction for Use

Model RJ2

## Video Instructions at www.rije.ca

Indications
For people suffering with difficulty in swallowing (dysphagia), developmental disabilities, motor impairment, or requiring predetermined doses of liquid.

## Precautions and Warnings

- Please seek the advice of a medical professional prior to using this cup.
- Instructions must be read prior to use. Please watch video instructions at www.rije.ca.
- Wash the cup prior to use.
- RiJe ${ }^{\circledR}$ Cup is designed to use with thin and nectar thickened liquids (IDDSI Standards $0,1,2$ ). Carbonated beverages will render RiJe ${ }^{\circledR}$ Cup ineffective for delivering an accurate dosage.
- Do not use RiJe ${ }^{\circledR}$ Cup for boiling liquids in a microwave.
- Hold RiJe ${ }^{\circledR}$ Cup upside down when opening to prevent spillage.


## Features

- Dispenses controlled boluses of thin or nectar thickened liquids;
- Allows adjusting bolus volume. Please find the adjustable ranges in the table below;
- Holds up to 250 ml of liquid;
- Adjusting Key has two scales: ml and tea spoons;
- Allows drinking controlled liquid boluses from the cup's rim or through a regular straw.
- Good nose clearance;
- Built up handles provide secure grip;
- Spill-control does not allow spilling more than one bolus of liquid if the cup is dropped;
- Stable base;
- Dishwasher safe;
- BPA Free.

Parts


| Choosing correct Rotatable Plug (either E, or F, or G) for Thin or Nectar Thickened Liquids (IDDSI Standards 0, 1, 2). |  |  |  |
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| Note: <br> - ONLY ONE of the Plugs should be inserted into the Upper Cap C at a time. The Plug should be chosen according to the viscosity (thickness) of a liquid being used at the moment. <br> - The viscosity (thickness) of a nectar-like liquid is highly dependent on temperature of the liquid, the type of thickening product (if any) is being used, and the time it was allowed to thicken. |  |  |  |
| Liquid's Viscosity | Rotatable Plug to Use | Dispensed Volume and Adjustable Range | Notes |
| Thin Liquids Cold or Hot. <br> IDDSI Level 0 - Thin Liquids <br> Examples: water, coffee, tea, milk, orange juice, Ensure $®$, Boost $®$, etc. | Small Aqua Plug E. | Adjustable from 3 ml to 15 ml * Use Adjustable Key D to set up volume | * Thin Liquids always should be used with Plug E. |
| Low viscosity Nectar Thick Liquids (Light Nectar Thick Liquids) IDDSI Level 1 - Slightly Thick Liquids | Small White Plug F. | Adjustable from 5 ml to 12 ml <br> * Use Adjustable Key D to set up volume <br> * Accuracy of adjustment depends on liquid's viscosity | * If the liquid you use at the moment takes long time to build the next dose, use plug G, or use RiJe Cup without any plug. <br> * If the liquid you use at the moment dispenses inconsistent doses, try plug E. |
| High viscosity Nectar Thick Liquids IDDSI Level 2 - Mildly Thick Liquids | Large White Plug G. | Approximately 1 teaspoon * Use Adjustable Key D to screw in Plug G into Upper Cap C | * If the liquid you use at the moment produces inconsistent doses, try plug $\mathbf{F}$ or E. |
|  | Use the cup Without any Plug | Approximately 1 tablespoon |  |

## Assembly

Step 1:
Attach Handles A to Base B.

Step 2:
Screw in ONLY ONE of Rotatable Plugs either $\mathbf{E}$, or $\mathbf{F}$, or $\mathbf{G}$, depending on the thickness of the liquid used at the moment (please see table above)

Step 3:
Adjust bolus volume for Plugs $\mathbf{E}$ or $\mathbf{F}$ : insert Key D into sleeve of Upper Cap C and turn the Plug. To achieve desired volume, align scale line on the Key D with the edge of the sleeve.

Step 4:
Fill liquid into Upper Cap C.



Step 7:
RiJe Cup dispenses controlled liquid bolus each time it is put in upright position.


Step 5:
Put Base B over Upper Cap C. Be sure that the sealing 0 -rings are in the grooves on Base $\mathbf{B}$.


Step 6:
To lock the cup turn Base B against Upper Cap C. Be sure that locks on Handles A fit underneath locks on Upper Cap C as shown below.


| Correct drinking position |  | Incorrect drinking position |
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| Drinking controlled volumes from an open <br> cup. | Drinking control volumes through a regular <br> straw. When drinking, always slightly incline <br> the cup to ensure accurate dosage. | When drinking, you should always slightly incline <br> the cup to ensure accurate dosage. |

## After each sip, place the cup in an upright position (Step 7) to allow next portion to be allocated.

