

**Appendix 2 (as supplied by the authors):** Narrative participant comments of intubating conditions using the plastic sheet or plexiglass box compared to no barrier

**Barrier Device**

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Plastic Sheet</b>	<b>Intubation Box</b>
<b>1</b>	“Very awkward, more challenging to visualize video laryngoscope and manipulate endotracheal tube.”	“Minimal limitation to space for withdrawing intubating stylet otherwise no limitations.”
<b>2</b>	‘Hardest to intubate, felt messy passing items under the drape.”	“A little difficult to reach, easier than using plastic drape.”
<b>3</b>	“Very difficult to see video laryngoscope.”	“No problems, easy to use but some glare from plexiglass on box.”
<b>4</b>	“Sheet was very messy and difficult to see video laryngoscope screen. Drape often moved or bunched up during procedure which defeated its purpose and contaminated arms.”	“Much easier and smoother than drape.”
<b>5</b>	“Difficult and messy. Hard to see airway and drape seemed to move around a lot.”	“Could see better but slightly awkward intubation.”

\*All comments transcribed verbatim from participant comments