

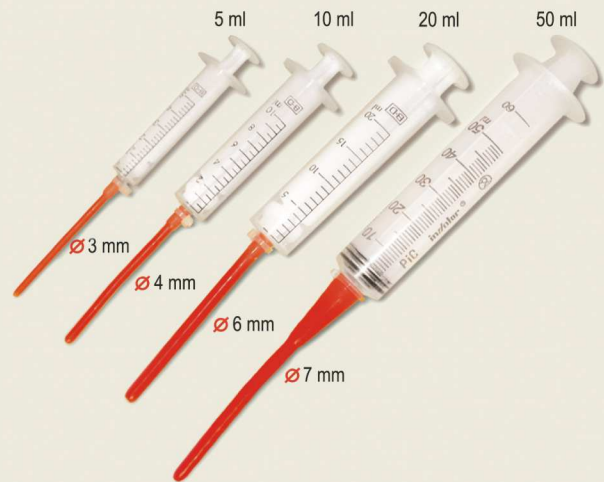
# Rubber Feeding Tubes

## Use

These feeding tubes made of natural latex are the ideal accessory for administering formulas to psittacides from an early age. Using such rubber tubes is the safest and cleanest method to administer formula.

The tubes of different diameters allow formula to be administered to different species of psittacides at each stage of their development. Thus, for example, in the case of Grey Parrots, the 5ml feeding tube is suitable for giving formula to chicks during the first seven days of life; the 10ml tube up to the 14<sup>th</sup> day; and the 20ml one until four weeks old. Any older, and it is recommended to use the 50ml tube.

If we consider the example of cockatiels, the correct tube to use when the pin feathers begin to appear – the moment at which it is customary to take the chicks from the nest – is the 10ml one. Thereafter, the 20ml tube will be used.



## Recommendations

It is important not to leave the feeding tube soaking in disinfectant, as the latex will deteriorate. It is recommended to wash the tubes with detergent and a few drops of bleach, rinse well, and leave to dry.

## Types of feeding tube

### RED SERIES (with rounded tips)

- 5ml Syringe (1 unit/bag)
- 10ml Syringe (1 unit/bag)
- 20ml Syringe (1 unit/bag)
- 50ml Syringe (1 unit/bag)

### YELLOW SERIES

- 5ml Syringe (2 units/bag)
- 10ml Syringe (2 units/bag)
- 20ml Syringe (2 units/bag)
- 50ml Syringe (1 unit/bag)

