

# ED COVID Trauma/Resus teams



## Start with team briefing

### 1 "This what we know"

- Patient information,
- Pre-hospital treatment
- Expected priorities

### 2 "This is our plan"

Assessment and Treatment expected in first 5- 10 mins

### 3 "Here's our roles"

- Inside team
- Outside team
- Plan communication strategy

### 4 Inside team PPE +/- lead gowns

#### Outside team manages:

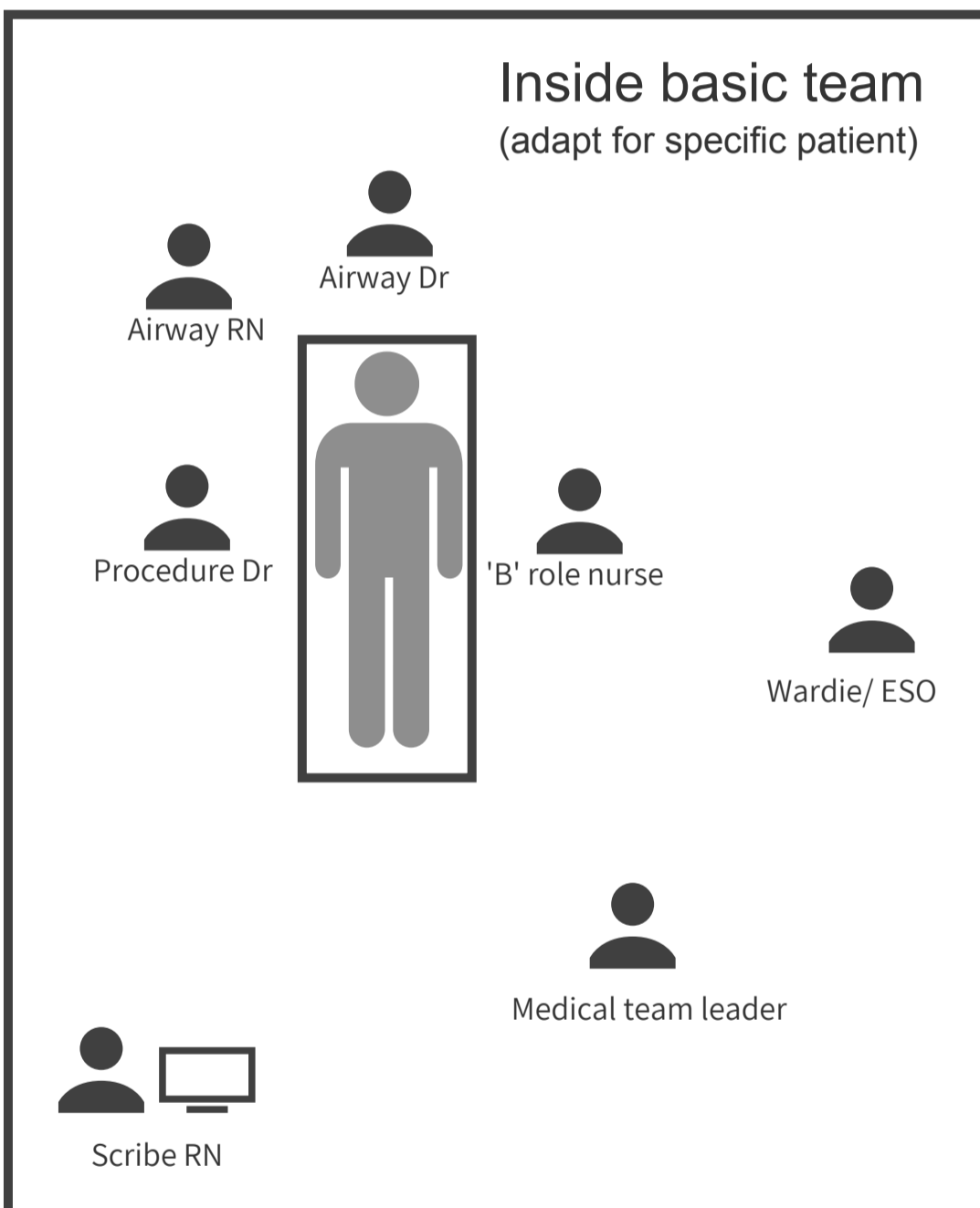
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- drugs pack
- equipment
- notifications
- expert input from specialty teams

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Final pre-brief & teams separate

#### Inside basic team (adapt for specific patient)



#### Outside basic team (adapt to specific patient)

##### Door monitor (RN)

- controls entry into room and checks PPE

##### Communicator doctor

- manages requests from team leader
- co-ordinate tasks, advice & logistics

##### Clean & dirty runners

- additional equipment and drug requests

##### Other teams

- e.g. trauma, ICU
- entry as required

##### White board

- Record information for outside teams

### Remember:

- Recap frequently by team leader
- Specific, closed loop communication between rooms
- *"There is no emergency in a pandemic"*