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FOR EMERGENCY MEDICINE

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## EMD Procedural Checklist

### **INTRODUCTION**

The Procedural Checklist is included in the EMD to ensure that trainees are able to successfully perform an appropriate range of procedures.

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

The trainee's current DEMENT must sign off the individual procedures that have been satisfactorily completed by the trainee. Procedures not signed off will need to be observed and completed as per the requirements of the EMD Training Program.



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| Element                     | Procedure observed   | Date | DEMT name and signature |
|-----------------------------|--|------|-------------------------|
| <b>Difficult Airway</b>     | Endotracheal intubation with C spine immobilisation            |      |                         |
|                             | Use of a bougie  |      |                         |
|                             | Cricothyrotomy   |      |                         |
| <b>Complex Breathing</b>    | Non-invasive ventilation including BiPAP & CPAP                |      |                         |
|                             | Positive pressure ventilation                                  |      |                         |
| <b>Cardiac Emergencies</b>  | Application of external pacemaker                              |      |                         |
|                             | Cardioversion  |      |                         |
| <b>Haemodynamic</b>         | Central venous access  |      |                         |
|                             | Arterial line insertion  |      |                         |
|                             | Rapid infusion (pump giving sets, pressure bags, blood warmer) |      |                         |
| <b>Advanced Pain Relief</b> | Femoral nerve block / Fascia iliaca block                      |      |                         |
| <b>Complex Burns</b>        | Fluid calculations and replacement for adults and children     |      |                         |
| <b>Soft Tissue</b>          | Incision and drainage of abscess                               |      |                         |
|                             | Multi-layer wound closure                                      |      |                         |
|                             | Management of complex wounds                                   |      |                         |
| <b>ENT</b>                  | Nasal packing  |      |                         |
|                             | Chemical cautery of epistaxis                                  |      |                         |

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|---|--|-------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Infectious Diseases</b>                                    | Ascitic tap  |             |                                |
|   | Joint aspiration   |             |                                |
|   | Blood culture collection   |             |                                |
| <b>Neonate/Infant/Child</b>                                   | Neonatal resuscitation   |             |                                |
|   | Bag ventilation, endotracheal intubation & initial ventilator settings |             |                                |
|   | Defibrillation & cardioversion (electrical & chemical)                 |             |                                |
|   | Septic workup procedures   |             |                                |
| <b>Advanced Toxicological &amp; Toxinological Emergencies</b> | Interpret ECG in a poisoned patient                                    |             |                                |
|   | Splinting / Pressure immobilisation bandage                            |             |                                |
| <b>Obstetric &amp; Gynaecological</b>                         | Assess foetal heartbeat in late pregnancy                              |             |                                |
| <b>Neurology</b>  | Lumbar puncture  |             |                                |