

Adult Pre-hospital RSI Checklist

Name.....

DOB/Age.....

Challenge

Response

Indication for RSI:.....

Time RSI agreed:.....

Pre-oxygenation	Reservoir mask high flow O2 or BVM	Check time.....
Pre-treatment required?	Midazolam Ketamine Fentanyl	Time.....Dose..... Time.....Dose..... Time.....Dose.....
Optimise environment	360° access, on stretcher, good lighting, cover, check other hazards/nightfall	Check optimum environment

EQUIPMENT

Monitoring	Left: Monitor visible to leader/intubator. Stat mode or 1 min cycle time on NIBP	Monitor battery..... NIBP on..... SpO2 on..... 3 Lead ECG on.....
BVM, check working & appropriate size	Oxygen one in use & one spare full. Hand held suction checked.	Suction check develops vacuum, rigid & fine tubes. Under patient's right shoulder.
IV/IO Access	X2 working	Sites.....&.....Patent
Fluids	N.Saline attached & running drugs to go via running drip.	Check
Equipment to patients right	RSI Bag & dump to R of patient	Check
Oral and Nasal Airways	Appropriate Sized OPA & NPA	OPA..... NPA.....
Laryngoscopes One size 3 blade One size 4 blade Both good light	Uncut cuffed ET tubes	Chosen Size..... Chosen Size minus 1..... Cuffs checked Syringe on chosen tube
Bougie / introducer	Thomas Tube Holder	
ETC02 detector catheter mount & HME filter	Present on at patient end of catheter mount	Check
Stethoscope	State who has it	Check
Difficult intubation / failing airway kit	McCoy blade ready iGel & Airtraq	Surgical airway kit ready

PROCEDURE

Induction/paralysis doses predetermined	Induction..... Dose.....	Paralysis..... Dose.....
Maintenance of anaesthesia	Morphine & Midazolam Othermixed, labelled
Maintenance of paralysis	Vec / Pancuronium	Time..... Dose.....
Brief for cricoid pressure person	Landmarks identified will hold until told to release	Check
Brief for MILCSI person	Collar removed I have hands on	Check
Check vital signs	BP..... SpO2..... Pulse..... Resps..... GCS....+....+....=.....	Check
Everyone ready?		YES / NO
Drugs in & cricoid on	Time
Observe	Sats Finger on pulse Respiration +/- Fasciculation Check blink reflex Ideal positioning Laryngoscope Suction Pass tube Connect BVM & EtCO2 Check EtCO2 trace Auscultate Inflate cuff Cricoid off <small>(intubator instruction)</small> Thomas tube holder Re-fasten collar	Re-check vital signs BP..... SpO2..... Pulse..... Resps..... ETT length at teeth.....
Additional notes: <small>(consider pre-flight checklist)</small>		Flight roll: Brown venflons, iGEL, laryngoscope, Size 6 ETT, scalpel & tracheal dilators. Check aircraft suction & expose chest for flight.
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