

## Emergency Department RSI Checklist - **PART 1 equipment check and planning for difficulty**

Intubator and assistant check and response	
When equipment checklist and airway assessment are complete proceed with whole team pre-RSI checklist on the reverse	
Equipment (confirm correct size and function)	Prepare for difficulty
<p><b>Check and response</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suction</li> <li>• Oxygen</li> <li>• BV Mask / Mapleson C</li> <li>• NPA / OPA</li> <li>• ETT x 2</li> <li>• 10 ml Syringe</li> <li>• Laryngoscopes (McIntosh and McGrath)</li> <li>• Bougie /lubricant</li> <li>• Tape / Tie</li> <li>• Catheter mount / CO2</li> <li>• iGEL</li> <li>• FONA kit</li> <li>• Stethoscope</li> <li>• Ventilator and circuit</li> <li>• Infusion drugs and pumps</li> <li>• O2 cylinder</li> <li>• Additional equipment required?</li> </ul>	<p><b>Assess airway</b></p> <p>Difficulty predicted?</p> <p>If yes are any of the following required?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More help</li> <li>• Difficult airway trolley</li> <li>• Double prep (in anticipation of FONA)</li> <li>• Awake intubation</li> </ul> <p><b>Dentures</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Does the patient have dentures?</li> </ul> <p>If so please place these in a labelled denture pot and document their location in the notes.</p>

## Emergency Department RSI Checklist - **PART 2 whole team pre-RSI checklist**

Whole team pre-RSI checklist (to be conducted once equipment check and planning for difficulty are complete)			
Patient	Equipment and drugs	Define roles	Difficulty
<b>Position optimised / ramped</b>  <b>Airway optimised</b>  <b>Pre-oxygenation optimised / nasal O2</b>  <b>Bleeding controlled</b>  <b>Reliable IV/IO + Belmont if indicated</b>  <b>CVS optimised</b>  <b>Monitoring</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ETCO<sub>2</sub></li> <li>• ECG</li> <li>• SpO<sub>2</sub></li> <li>• BP cycling (&lt;2 min)</li> </ul> <b>Anticipated difficulties</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mitigation / plan</li> </ul>	<b>Equipment ready</b>  <b>PPE correctly donned</b>  <b>Any known drug allergies?</b>  <b>Drugs and doses planned</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opioid</li> <li>• Induction</li> <li>• Paralysis</li> <li>• Inotropes / vasopressors</li> <li>• On-going sedation</li> </ul>	<b>Team lead</b>  <b>Monitoring</b>  <b>Intubator 1</b> (audit form)  <b>Intubator 2</b>  <b>Assistant</b>  <b>Drugs</b>  <b>Cricoid (if indicated)</b>  <b>MILS (if indicated)</b>  <b>FONA</b>	<b>Not anticipated – as per DAS</b>  <b>Plan A</b> (max 3+1 attempt) - Oral intubation  <b>Plan B</b> (max 3 attempt) - iGEL  <b>Plan C</b> (2 person) - Face mask  <b>Plan D</b> - FONA  <b>Anticipated - Outline:</b> Plan A Plan B Plan C Plan D