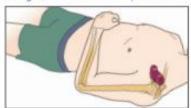
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Intraosseous Vascular Access System

Proximal Humerus

Arm Positioning

Using either method below, adduct elbow, rotate humerus internally.



Place the patient's hand over the abdomen with arm tight to the body.



Place the arm tight against the body, rotate the hand so the palm is facing outward, thumb pointing down.

Landmarking



Place your palm on the patient's shoulder anteriorly.

- The area that feels like a "ball" under your palm is the general target area
- You should be able to feel this ball, even on obese patients, by pushing deeply



Place the ulnar aspect of one hand vertically over the axilla. Place the ulnar aspect of the opposite hand along the midline of the upper arm laterally.



Place your thumbs together over the arm.

 This identifies the vertical line of insertion on the proximal humerus



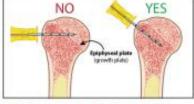
Palpate deeply as you climb up the humerus to the surgical neck.

 It will feel like a golf ball on a tee – the spot where the "ball" meets the "tee" is the surgical neck

The insertion site is on the most prominent aspect of the greater tubercle, 1 to 2 cm above the surgical neck.



Point the needle tip at a 45-degree angle to the anterior plane and posteromedial.



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ETM Flow Rate Guide:

Size	Туре	1000ml infusion time
8.5 Fr	RIC Line	0:46 sec
7 Fr	RIC Line	1:00 min
8.5 Fr	Sheath introducer	1:05 min
14 Ga	Standard IV cannula	1:30 min
6 Fr	Sheath introducer	2:10 min
14 Ga	Angiocath (13.3cm) IV	2:10 min
16 Ga	Standard IV cannula	2:20 min
18 Ga	Standard IV cannula	4:23 min
14 Ga	4-Lumen CVC	5:20 min
20 Ga	Standard IV cannula	6:47 min

RAPID INFUSION CATHETER

Equipment

RIC Exchange Set Local Anaesthetic Equipment

This procedure allows conversion of a peripheral IV catheter (≥20G) into a large bore (8.5French) mid-line

This will facilitate far greater infusion rates in situations where fast fluid/blood-products is required



Step 1

Should be considered in any peripheral vein considered large enough to take it



Open Pack (3 items)
Wire (within circular tubing), scalpel,
8.5 F catheter sheath-over-dilator

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Step 2

Remove bung whilst applying proximal pressure to avoid blood loss

Step 3

Step 4

Feed wire through the peripheral cannula



Step 5

Remove cannula dressing



