ACT AMBULANCE SERVICE R.S.I. CHECKLIST

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PREPARATION
Optimise patient's position
Pre-oxygenate: nasal prongs on with 15 litres/minute oxygen
Sufficient oxygen available
Suction available
IV/IO access (x2 if possible)
Monitoring: () ECG () NIBP/BP () SpO ₂ () EtCO ₂
DRUGS
IV fluids
RSI drugs drawn up:
() suxamethonium () ketamine
EQUIPMENT
Connect EtCO ₂ to monitor
OPA / NPA
BVM
Airtraq with tested loaded tube, switched ON
Syringe
ETT loaded with bougie
Laryngoscope checked
ODD
Securing method
C-collar
TEAM BRIEF
Roles assigned
C-spine immobilisation required? () YES () NO
External laryngeal manipulation discussed
Fallback plan discussed () LMA () scalpel for cric with 6mm ETT