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Difficult Airway Management Workshop

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About the course

This workshop is designed to update practitioners on the equipments and techniques. Initially, it will embark on a series of discussion as regards to the definition of terms that feature the importance of appropriate methods and tools that can be used in difficult airway management. This will directly followed by a handson training workshop where participants will have the opportunity to compare assist devices with traditional direct laryngoscopy and the use of video Laryngoscopy

Course Background

This course was launched on December 22, 2011 to date more than 6 courses were conducted. These workshops take place on-site or off-site at various National Colleges and in many regional International Conferences.

Course Description

This workshop is deliberate to offer participants with the state-of-the art information's and hands-on experience that ensure effective, as well as proper administration of difficult to failed airways.

Course Objective

By the end of the workshop and after participating in the activities participant will be expected to:

 \cdot Able to discuss the difficult airway algorithm and the pathway used from

assessment to intubation in routine and difficult cases.

 \cdot To apply the algorithm to different clinical scenarios.



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• Able to use and perform many of the included approaches to airway management.

Topics

- \cdot Definition of terms
- Airway Assessment
- A wake intubation
- The General ASA algorithm.
- The practical techniques to use different airway tools, such as :
 - LMAs
 - Airtraq
 - Fiberoptic Intubation
 - Glideoscope
 - Laryngeal Airway
 - Trachealight Intubation
 - Retromolar Scope

Target Participants

This course is intended for healthcare providers including:

- Anesthesiologists
- Nurse Anesthetists
- Anesthesiologist Assistants
- Technicians