

Sutherland Hospital Emergency Department: **Point of Care Ultrasound Proformas**

General Documentation Proforma

Examination name: eg EFAST or Focussed ED US for AAA (ACEM preferred terminology)

US operator:

Machine used:

Binary clinical question(s):

Examination findings:

Insert specific findings for each type of examination here (see below)

Do findings alter patient management?: y/n/how?

Follow up actions required in light of PoCUS findings:
(eg further formal US study/CT, inpatient vs outpatient Ix, specialty review)

Ultrasound qualification held (if applicable): CCPU/DDU

Credentialed Supervisor's name and qualification:
(If supervisor not credentialed please give additional details of nominated FACEM accepting responsibility for this scan)

Specific Documentation Proformas

Focussed AAA US findings:

Able to visualise entire aorta to bifurcation? y/n

Transverse Aorta -

- Proximal AP measurement:
- Mid AP measurement:
- Distal AP measurement:

Longitudinal Aorta -

- Proximal AP measurement:
- Distal AP measurement:

Bifurcation (still image saved)

Thrombus seen? y/n/indeterminate

AAA present? (>3cm): y/n/indeterminate

Free fluid present? y/n/indeterminate

EFAST findings:

RUQ free fluid? y/n/indeterminate
LUQ free fluid? y/n/indeterminate
Transverse pelvis free fluid? y/n/indeterminate
Longitudinal pelvis free fluid? y/n/indeterminate
Pericardial effusion? y/n/indeterminate
R Pneumothorax? y/n/indeterminate
L Pneumothorax? Y/n/indeterminate

Basic Echo in Life Support findings (grossly normal/abnormal heart?):

List the adequate views achieved:

Effusion: y/n/indeterminate

Ejection: hyperdynamic/grossly normal/mod depressed/severely depressed/no sig. myocardial activity

Equality (RV:LV): Normal/enlarged/indeterminate

Exit (aortic root): normal/aneurysmal/indeterminate

Entrance (IVC): normal/fluid responsive/fluid unresponsive

Biliary Findings:

Gallstones? y/n/indeterminate

Gallstones mobile (in fundus) or impacted (in neck)? y/n/indeterminate

Gallbladder wall thickened? y/n/indeterminate (must include measurement)

Sonographic Murphy's sign? y/n/indeterminate

Peri-cholecystic fluid? y/n/indeterminate

Common bile duct dilatation? y/n/indeterminate (must include measurement)

Early Pregnancy Findings:

Is beta HCG level above discriminatory zone for TA scan? y/n - if no, must discuss case with FACEM

Intrauterine sac present? y/n/indeterminate

MSD = Mean sac diameter (length+height+width/3):

Intrauterine yolk sac present? y/n/indeterminate

Fetal pole present? y/n/indeterminate

CRL = Crown Rump Length measurement:

Fetal heartbeat? y/n/indeterminate

Fetal heart rate using M mode (bpm):

Lung findings:

Identify the relevant findings and indicate their location as per the BLUE protocol:

- R1/R2/PLAPS, L1/L2/PLAPS

Lung sliding (R1/2 or L1/2 only)? y/n/indeterminate

Lung point present? y/n/indeterminate

3 or more B lines (interstitial syndrome)? y/n/indeterminate

Consolidation pattern? y/n/indeterminate

Pleural effusion? y/n/indeterminate