

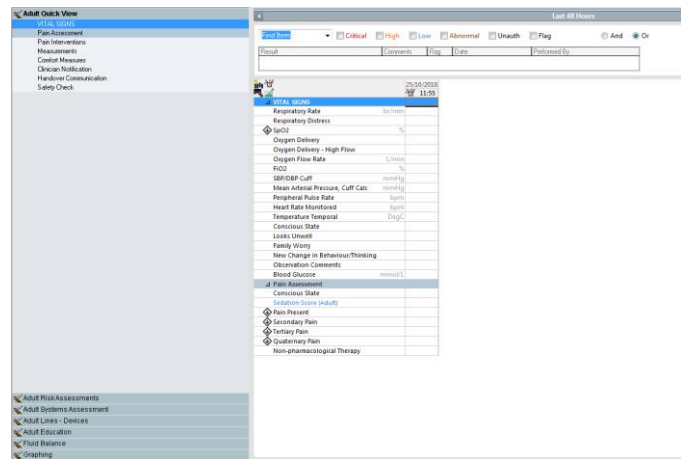
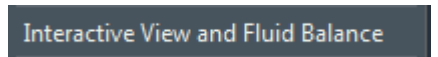


EMR Quick Reference Guide

Documentation – Intercostal Catheter Care

This document steps you through setting up and documenting Intercostal Catheter (ICC) and Under Water Seal Drainage Care (UWSD) from Interactive View and Fluid Balance.

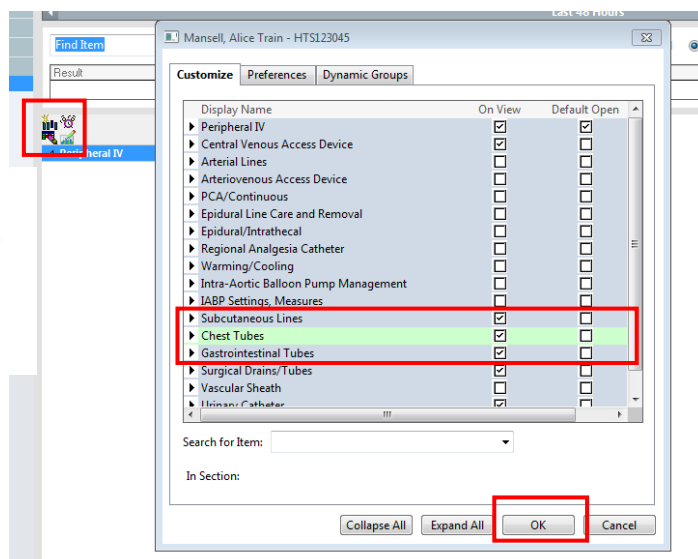
1. Left Click on the **Interactive View and Fluid Balance** band in the Table of Contents (**Menu**).
2. **Adult Quick View** will open on the right of the screen.



3. Left Click on the **Adult Lines and Devices** Band.

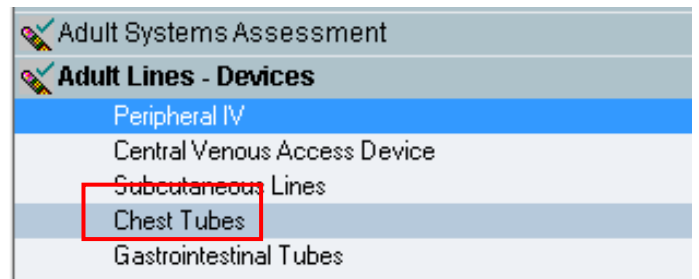


4. If **Intercostal Catheter** is not visible you will need to pull it through using the **Customize** view option:

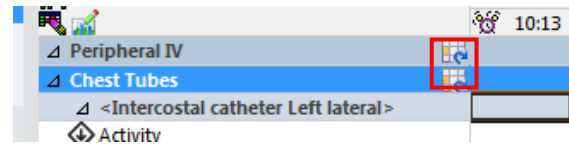


- A. Locate the **Customize** button
- B. **Collapse All** to find **Chest Tubes**
- C. Tick **Chest Tubes**
- D. Click on **OK**

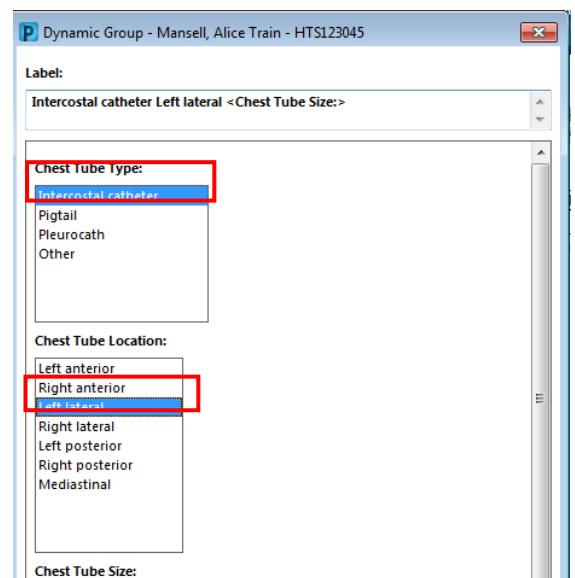
5. Left Click on **Chest Tubes**



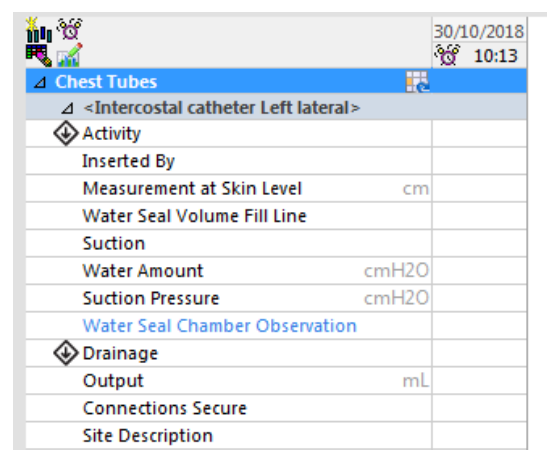
6. Select the **Dynamic Group** icon



7. A **Dynamic Group** window will open up.
Select relevant descriptors and click **OK** to save the entry.



8. The **Intercostal Catheter** Band now appears in the **Interactive View**



9. Enter the ICC and UWSD observations into the appropriate fields and **Green Tick** to save them in to the EMR.

Note: Blue text in iView means there is reference text available. Left click on the blue text for the guide to completing **Water Seal Chamber Observations**.

		30/10/2018	
		10:28	10:13
Peripheral IV			
Chest Tubes			
Intercostal catheter Left lateral			
Activity			Inserted
Inserted By			
Measurement at Skin Level	cm		12
Water Seal Volume Fill Line			Yes
Suction			Water se...
Water Amount	cmH2O		20
Suction Pressure	cmH2O		
Water Seal Chamber Observation			
Drainage			Yes
Discharge Description			No Disch...
Output	mL		
Connections Secure			
Site Description			

Decision Support

Chest Tube Water Seal Chamber Desc:

Reference

Observations

Swing
If swing present, the level in the water column (middle chamber) should rise with inspiration and fall with expiration. Wall suction should be disconnected when assessing swing as this affects swing. If no swing...

Air leak/Bubbling
Bubbling occurs on expiration and coughing, can be seen in the middle chamber, the water level chamber. Wall suction should also be disconnected when assessing this. Bubbling will cease when the lung is re-inflated, but may also mean that the tubing is kinked or dislodged, therefore must be checked if bubbling suddenly ceases.

10. The chest tube will also appear in the **Output** section of the **Fluid Balance** chart.

Fluid Balance	
Vomits/Description	
Vomit Count	
Chest Tubes	
Intercostal catheter Left lateral	
Output	mL
Intercostal catheter Left lateral 14G	
Output	mL
Other Output Sources	
Balance	