# Anaesthesia - Difficult Airway Documentation

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## This Quick Reference Guide will explain how to:

Document airway management, letter and alert for patients after management of a difficult airway

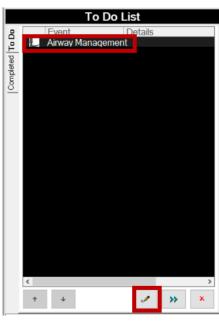
#### **Definitions:**

SAA - Surginet Anaesthesia

## Documentation as part of anaesthesia record

Using SAA airway management action:

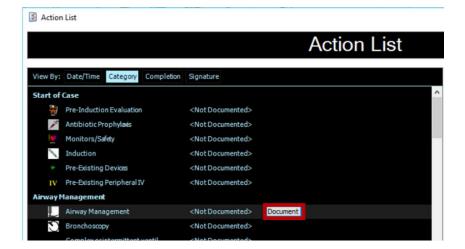
1. Select the "Airway Management" action from To-Do List and click the edit icon



If the Airway Management action does not appear on the To-Do List, select the "Actions" button on the tool bar



Select "Document" on the "Airway Management" action





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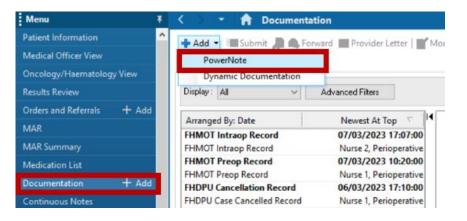
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 Complete the relevant details in the Airway Management action, then click "OK"

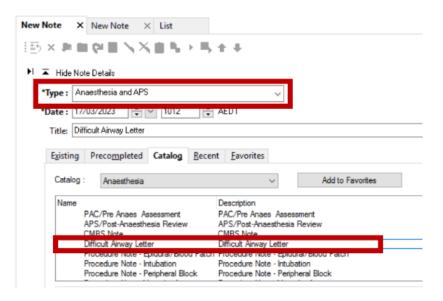
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#### **Documentation for patient letter**

 Under "Documentation", select the triangle dropdown next to "+ Add" and click PowerNote



2. Under "Anaesthesia and APS" type, Select "Difficult Airway Letter"





3. Select autopopulate for appropriate information

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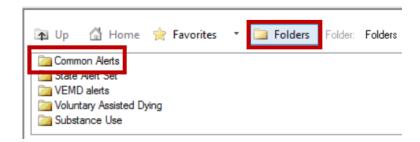
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## Documentation of difficult airway alert on Powerchart

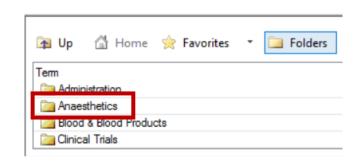
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2. Select the "Folders" icon and the "Common Alerts" folder



3. Select "Anaesthetics"



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5. Complete the Comments section with details of the Difficult Airway Powernote documentation and click "OK"

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