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We’re Rebranding the bits of the plan A-D

Plan A - Mask ventilation and Intubation
Plan B - Maintenance of Oxygenation
Plan C - Pause & Think
Plan D - Front of Neck Access

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RSI
• Use maintenance breaths during RSI
• Roc is probably better than sux
• Remove cricoid force during SAD placement
• Nasal supplementation to oxygenation
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Plan A – Facemask Ventilation and Intubation

• Ramping is in
• Videolaryngoscopes are in plan A
• Monitoring of NMB
Plan B – Maintenance of Oxygenation

- Use a 2nd generation SAD
- Limit insertion attempts to 2
Plan C – Pause and think

Choose between

*Front of Neck Access*
- Return to facemask for oxygenation
- Wake up
  - Continue surgery on SAD
  - Intubate through the SAD
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Plan D – Front of Neck Access

• The technique will be didactic
• Training will be didactic

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