

Focused assessment using sonography in trauma (FAST)

	ST4-6	Assessment Methods	GMP Domains
Knowledge	<p>Use focused ultrasound to assist in bedside emergency department decisions</p> <p>Four areas to scan</p> <p>How to position the patient</p> <p>Key indications</p> <p>Obtaining better views</p> <p>Understand common aortic artefacts</p> <p>Recognise the limitations of a scan and be able to explain these limitations to patients/carers</p> <p>Recognise patients requiring formal specialist sonographic assessment</p> <p>Incorporate ultrasound findings with the rest of the clinical assessment</p> <p>Appearances of pleural and pericardial fluid</p> <p>Appearances of fluid in Morison's pouch, spleno-renal recess, and pelvis</p>	E, C, AA, W	1
Skills	<p>Can obtain adequate images</p> <p>Can interpret accurately in the clinical setting</p>	D	1
Behaviours	<p>Safe practice</p> <p>Recognises limitations of own skills</p> <p>Adheres to rule-in philosophy</p>	E, C	2, 3