

RESOURCES FOR TAKING CARE OF THE TECHNOLOGICALLY DEPENDENT CHILD

PEM Playbook great overall podcast and shownotes

<http://pemplaybook.org/podcast/234/>

<http://pemplaybook.org/podcast/the-higher-tech-kid-in-the-ed/>

Gastrostomy tubes

<http://www.emdocs.net/troubleshooting-g-tubes-j-tubes-common-scenarios-tips-tricks/>

Troubleshooting leaking, clogged, and dislodged G-tubes

<http://pedemmorsels.com/gastrostomy-tube-complications/>

Overview of G-tubes, common complications, and how to replace dislodged tube

http://www.rch.org.au/clinicalguide/guideline_index/Gastrostomy_Common_problems/

Blocked G-tubes and peristomal issues

Ventriculoperitoneal shunts

<http://hydrocephalus.allanach.dk/complications>

https://wikem.org/wiki/Ventriculoperitoneal_shunt_problems

<http://dontforgetthebubbles.com/ventriculoperitoneal-shunts/>

Overview of VP shunt problems

<https://www.ahcmedia.com/articles/136133-cerebrospinal-fluid-shunt-emergencies>

May require purchase

<http://pedemmorsels.com/tapping-a-vp-shunt/>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PiKc_MFp_4E

Tapping a VP shunt

<http://neuroanimations.com/Hydrocephalus/hydrocephalus.html>

Hydrocephalus and shunt pictures

Vascular catheters

<https://www.americannursetoday.com/central-lines-recognizingpreventing-and-troubleshooting-complications/>

<http://cancerforum.org.au/forum/2005/november/vascular-access-devices-and-the-oncology-patient/>

Overview of devices and complications

<http://pedemmorsels.com/occluded-vascular-catheter/>

Occluded vascular catheter

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BofiXYqbhsA>

Accessing an indwelling catheter port

Tracheostomy tubes

<http://lifeinthefastlane.com/ccc/respiratory-distress-in-a-tracheostomy-patient/>

Respiratory distress in a tracheostomy patient

<http://tracheostomy.org.uk/Templates/Interactive%20Algorithm.html>

<https://emcrit.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/09/guidelines-trach-emergencies.pdf>

Emergency algorithm

http://www.myshepherdconnection.org/docs/EMERGENCY_REPLACEMENT.pdf

Emergent replacement of dislodged trach tube

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ytH8sgAPFBw> Basic overview

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DPB7gj_PzH0 Crashing patient: trach disasters

Troubleshooting

Vagal nerve stimulator

<http://www.aans.org/Patient%20Information/Conditions%20and%20Treatments/Vagus%20Nerve%20Stimulation.aspx>

Overview and common side effects

<http://www.epilepsy.com/get-help/seizure-first-aid/using-vns-magnet>

Using the VNS magnet to stop a seizure

Ventricular assist device

<http://www.mdedge.com/emed-journal/article/106387/cardiology/troubleshooting-left-ventricular-assist-device>

<http://lifeinthefastlane.com/ccc/ventricular-assist-device/>

Overview and troubleshooting

<http://edecmo.org/additional-technologies/ventricular-assist-devices-vads/lvad-problems-troubleshooting/>

<https://emcrit.org/wee/left-ventricular-assist-devices-lvads-2/>

Briefer troubleshooting guides

Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator / Pacemaker

<http://www.emdocs.net/pacemaker-and-aicd-management-in-the-emergency-department/>

Great overview and troubleshooting

<http://lifeinthefastlane.com/ccc/magnet/>

Quick overview of effect of a magnet on ICD and pacemaker

<http://emedicine.medscape.com/article/162245-overview>

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