



# Test of bladder function

## IDC FOLEY

Fill bladder via IDC with room temperature, sterile normal saline.

Stop filling when patient has strong desire to void or when the instilled volume is 300mL, whichever comes first.

Remove Foley catheter and allow patient to void in pan.

Measure amount of voided urine

Document post void residual by bladder scanner.

Notify Fellow of result.

Repeat in 4 hours and notify Fellow of result.

Criteria for removal of catheter include sensation to void and residual <100 ml.

## SUPRAPUBIC CATHETER

Fill bladder via SPC with room temperature, sterile normal saline.

Stop filling when patient has strong desire to void or when the instilled volume is 300mL, whichever occurs first.

Clamp SPC.

Allow patient to void in pan.

Measure amount of voided urine.

Document post void residual by unclamping SPC and measuring output.

Notify Fellow of result.

Repeat in 4 hours and notify Fellow of result.

Criteria for removal of SPC include sensation to void and residual <100 ml.