## **VORTEX**

THE KEY TO AIRWAY MANAGEMENT IS OXYGENATION AND AIRWAY SECURITY - NOT INTUBATION.

OFTEN A LARYNGEAL MASK WILL SUFFICE UNTIL YOU REACH A TERTIARY CENTRE.

IN STEM WE WILL NOT BE FOCUSING ON INTUBATION, BUT THE VORTEX TECHNIQUE, WHERE YOU WILL HAVE YOUR BEST ATTEMPT AT ETT, BVM, LMA, AND IF UNSUCCESSFUL WITH ALL 3, PROCEED TO SURGICAL AIRWAY.

Watch the first 2 vortex videos only - (please ignore the use of cricoid pressure and Propofol in the second video)

http://www.vortexapproach.com/Vortex Approach/Vortex.html