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ESSENTIAL INVASIVE TRAINING SKILLS (*Required for DMT certification*)

1. Intravenous access
 - a. fluid infusion
 - b. Drug administration
 - c. Blood draw
2. Intramuscular injection
3. Subcutaneous injection
4. Urinary catheter insertion
5. Nasogastric/orogastric tube insertion
6. Manual or battery powered oropharynx/orogastric suction
7. Airway management; one or more of the following:
 - a. BMV ventilation
 - b. Nasopharyngeal airway insertion
 - c. Oropharyngeal airway insertion
 - d. Supraglottic device insertion; can include Combitube, Laryngeal Mask Airway, King Airway, Igel, & similar devices
 - e. Endotracheal tube
 - f. Cricothyroidotomy
8. Chest decompression capability; one or both of the following:
 - a. Pneumothorax needle
 - b. Chest tube

VALUABLE ADDITIONAL SKILLS (*Not required for DMT certification*)

1. Ability to establish intraosseus access
2. Simple suture repairs or alternate of wound closure option, eg;
 - a. Dermagel / Dermabond
 - b. Quickclot
 - c. Celox gauze
3. Splinting of simple dislocations and fractures
4. Advanced Cardiac Life Support certification