## Rectus sheath catheter analgesia administration requirements

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| **Key Points**   * Supervisor – a midwife, nurse who is currently competent in administering local anaesthetic via a rectus sheath catheter or a medical officer or anaesthetist.   **Documentation**   * Initial requirements and record of competency * Performance criteria |

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| **Competency requirements** | **Date** |
| **Theory**   * Read Clinical Practice Guideline – page 12 - 16 * <https://healthpoint.hdwa.health.wa.gov.au/policies/Policies/NMAHS/WNHS/WNHS.ANAE.PostoperativeAnaesthetics.pdf> |  |
| **Practical**   * Observe 1 bolus administration |  |
| **Administration Competency**   * 1 supervised administration by a competent supervisor - Assessment report completed and signed by supervisor (Part B) |  |
| **Catheter removal**  Supervised in clinical practice performing removal of rectus sheath catheter by Midwife/RN deemed competent in the procedure |  |
| **Ongoing competency** |  |
| * Confirmation on annual PDR document |  |

**Recommendation** (to be completed by Supervisor)

⃝ Competency achieved ⃝ Competency NOT achieved – Plan:

Supervisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:

Supervisor Signature:

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