GE-6014

CT Chest/Abdomen/Pelvis - Trauma

Maximum CTDI___60__ Indication: Trauma

Note: For stab wounds & GSW have trauma team place a marker at the entrance site if possible

PT Prep: No Oral contrast

IV contrast – Yes (follow IV contrast administration guidelines)
20g to 18 g peripheral IV needed for contrast administration

Series 1: Scouts AP & LAT – Supine "O" at Sternal notch S20 to I600

Series 2: Scan from lung apices to bottom of lesser trochanters. **Keep FOV same for whole scan.**

Inject 100cc of IV contrast @ 3cc/sec. (Contrast dose may be adjusted based on CrCl)

Technique: **Delay:** 70 second delay

	128 slice	32 slice w/ASIR	64 slice	64 slice w/ASIR
Noise Level	16.10	14.00	14.00	14.00
Interval	2.5mm	2.5mm	2.5mm	2.5mm
Axial/Helical Thickness	2.5mm	2.5mm	2.5mm	2.5mm
Pitch	0.984:1	0.984:1	0.984:1	0.984:1
Speed mm/rotation	39.37	39.37	39.37	39.37
Detector Rows				
Detector Configuration				
Beam Collimation	40mm	40mm	40mm	40mm
Kv/mA	Auto mA — if large pt. use manual & maximize mA	Auto mA — if large pt. use manual & maximize mA	Auto mA — if large pt. use manual & maximize mA	Auto mA — if large pt. use manual & maximize mA
Scan Type	Helical Full 0.8 sec			

Networking/ PACs: Send scouts

Send series 2 Standard Soft Tissue Algorithm 5mm/2.5 mm Recon and send lung images in Lung Algorithm 2.5mm Recon and send bone images with Bone Algorithm Recon and send MPR images in Standard Algorithm

Recon and send MIP lung images
Record DLP in PACS comments

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