

## Echo in Life Support (ELS)

	ST4-6	Assessment Methods	GMP Domains
<b>Knowledge</b>	<p>Limited echocardiogram in the setting of non-shockable cardiac arrest rhythms (PEA and asystole)</p> <p>Detecting wall motion</p> <p>Knows the treatable causes of PEA (cardiac tamponade, hypovolaemia, and pulmonary embolism)</p> <p>Views used - sub-xiphoid view first, augmented by a further view - the parasternal long axis view</p> <p>Visualisation of the inferior vena cava (IVC) for assessment of diameter and collapsibility</p>	E, C, AA, W	1
<b>Skills</b>	<p>Can obtain adequate images</p> <p>Can interpret accurately in the clinical setting</p>	D	1
<b>Behaviours</b>	<p>Safe practice</p> <p>Recognises limitations of own skills</p> <p>Adheres to rule-in philosophy</p>	E, C	2, 3