



rVF Checklist

Tips to manage refractory ventricular fibrillation



rVF – Refractory Ventricular Fibrillation

Persistent ventricular fibrillation

3+ Defibrillations from **any** device

Not responding to 300 mg Amiodarone



Limit Epinephrine to 3 doses while refractory



Amiodarone 300 mg administered



Apply second pads in anterior-posterior orientation after 3rd shock, for delivery of remaining defibrillation



Load & Go to resus hospital
Mechanical CPR available



OLMC is optional but not necessary
Exception: If unable to Load & Go with rVF patient, contact OLMC early