

Skills Performance Checklist: First Aid for a Responsive Infant with a Blocked Airway

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Participant Directive Continued

12. Positions head of infant manikin lower than his or her trunk.
13. Places two fingers on the infant manikin's breastbone slightly below the nipple line.
(NOTE: Participants should avoid the bottom tip of the infant manikin's breastbone.)
14. Gives five chest compressions in rapid succession
15. Pushes the infant manikin's breastbone down $\frac{1}{2}$ the depth of the manikin's chest, or about 4 cm (1.5 inches).
 - After each compression, allows chest to recoil completely. Compresses chest at a rate of at least 100 times per minute.
16. Checks inside the infant manikin's mouth for a foreign object.
17. If participant sees a foreign body, sweeps it out with his or her finger. **Does not** do blind finger sweeps.
18. Alternates back blows (slaps) and chest compressions, looking for an object until EMS arrives, the object is removed, or the infant becomes unresponsive.