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Title: Ultrasonographic identification of the cricothyroid membrane in a patient with a difficult airway as a result of cervical hematoma caused by hemophilia: a case report

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Page7 line 132:

I suggest adding this recent, important, finding by dr Siddiqui et al.:

"However, it was recently found that ultrasound-guided identification of the cricothyroid membrane (Ref 1, 2) is "highly effective and is comparable to CT-scan as the accepted standard (Ref 3)" in patients with abnormal neck anatomy, thus strongly indicating this technique to be applied in a patient like ours."


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