



Scan bladder volume using a portable ultrasound device.

Factor in volume of fluid intake when assessing bladder emptying.

If output monitoring is necessary and patient is incontinent of urine, consider weighing pads to obtain output amount.

If oliguric (<300–500mls/day), contact provider.

\*For PVR/scanned urine volumes that are >500 mls for more than 24 hours and patient is not voiding, consider reinsertion of IUC for 24 hours and reattempt pathway for removal.

IC= intermittent catheterization

PVR = post void residual, volume remaining in the bladder 10 to 20 minutes after voiding