

Supplementary Table 2. Combined results from guidelines and database search.

	Authors/Organization	Country	Year	Methodology/Level of evidence
1	Australian Society of Anesthetists [10]	Australia	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
2	Safe Airway Society Australia [11]	Australia/New Zealand	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
3	Canadian Society of Anesthesiologists [12]	Canada	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
4	Matava CT, Kovatsis PG, Summers JL et al [13]/ Canadian Paediatric Anesthesia Society & Pediatric Difficult Intubation Collaborative	Canada/International collaboration	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
5	Yao W, Wang T, Jiang B et al [14]/ Wuhan & International panel of experts	China/International collaboration	2020	Guidelines based on retrospective, single-centre study - Level 4
6	Chen X, Liu Y, Guo X et al/ Chinese Society of Anesthesiology (CSA) & Chinese Association of Anesthesiologists (CAA) [15]	China	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
7	Zuo M, Huang Y, Ma W et al/ Chinese Society of Anesthesiology (CSA) & Chinese Association of Anesthesiologists (CAA) [16]	China	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
8	Indian Society of Anaesthesiologist [17]	India	2020	Review - Level 5
9	Società Italiana di Anestesia Analgesia e Rianimazione e Terapia Intensiva (SIAARTI) [18]	Italy	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
10	SIAARTI & European Airway Management Society [19]	Italy/Europe	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
11	South African Society of Anesthesiologist [20]	South Africa	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
12	South Korea Society of Anesthesiologist [21]	South Korea	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
13	Taiwan Society of Anesthesiologists [22]	Taiwan	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
14	Association of Anesthetists (UK & Ireland) [23]	UK	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
15	Association of Anesthetists, Difficult Airway Society, Intensive Care Society, Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine & Royal College of Anesthetists [24]	UK	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
16	Anesthesia Patient Safety Foundation [25]	US	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
17	American Society of Anesthesiologists [26]	US	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
18	American Association of Nurse Anesthetists [27]	US	2020	Guidelines - Level 5

19	Society for Obstetric Anesthesia & Perinatology [28]	US	2020	Guidelines - Level 5
20	Tran K, Cimon K, Severn M [29]	Canada	2012	Systematic review - Level 2
21	Lee-Archer P, von Ungern-Sternberg BS [57]	Australia	2020	Review - Level 5
22	Wilson NM, Norton A, Young FP [71]	Australia	2020	Review - Level 5
23	Neville MFL, Vanzillotta PP, Quintao VC [72]	Brazil	2020	Review - Level 5
24	Lockhart SL, Duggan LV, Wax RS et al [73]	Canada	2020	Review - Level 5
25	Wax RS, Christian MD [32]	Canada	2020	Review - Level 5
26	Gong Y, Cao X, Mei W et al [38]	China	2020	Review - Level 5
27	Li W, Huang J, Guo X [45]	China	2020	Review - Level 5
28	Meng L, Qiu H, Wan L et al [52]	China	2020	Review - Level 5
29	Morau E, Bouvet L, Keita H et al [53]	France	2020	Review - Level 5
30	Vegh T, Laszlo I, Juhasz M et al [74]	Hungary	2020	Review - Level 5
31	Fulesdi B, Sarkany P, Szentkereszty Z et al [75]	Hungary	2020	Review - Level 5
32	Cook T [36]	UK	2020	Review - Level 5
33	Odor PM, Neun M, Bampoe S et al [54]	UK	2020	Review - Level 5
34	Bauer M, Bernstein K, Dinges E et al [76]	US	2020	Review - Level 5
35	Tang LY, Wang J [77]	US	2020	Review - Level 5
36	Uppal V, Sondekoppam RV, Landau R [40]	US	2020	Review - Level 5
37	Greenland JR, Michelow MD, Wang L et al [46]	US	2020	Review - Level 5
38	Raboud J, Shigayeva A, McGeer A et al [41]	Canada	2010	Retrospective, multi-centre study - Level 4
39	Abrahamson SD, Canzian S, Brunet F [30]	Canada	2006	Prospective cohort study - Level 3
40	Ofner-Agostini M, Gravel D, McDonald LC et al [42]	Canada	2006	Retrospective, single-centre study - Level 4
41	Zhong Q, Liu YY, Luo Q [39]	China	2020	Retrospective, single-centre study - Level 4
42	Chen R, Zhang Y, Huang L et al [55]	China	2020	Retrospective, single-centre study - Level 4
43	Cai SJ, Wu LL, Chen DF et al [78]	China	2020	Retrospective, single-centre study - Level 4

44	Zhao S, Ling K, Yan H et al [51]	China	2020	Retrospective, multi-center study - Level 4
45	Liu DCY, Koo TH, Wong JKK et al [47]	Hong Kong	2020	Feasibility study - Level 4
46	Tien HC, Chughtai T, Amit Jogeklar A et al [34]	Canada	2005	Case series - Level 4
47	Zhang L, Li J, Zhou M, Chen Z [48]	China	2020	Case series - Level 4
48	Wang J, Lu F, Zhou M [79]	China	2020	Case series - Level 4
49	Kang X, Zhang R, He H et al [80]	China	2020	Case report - Level 4
50	Sharma KA, Kumari R, Kachhawa G et al [81]	India	2020	Case report - Level 4
51	Lee DH, Lee J, Kim E et al [82]	Korea	2020	Case report - Level 4
52	Wali A, Rizzo V, Bille A et al [49]	UK	2020	Case series - Level 4
53	Ahmad I, Wade S, Langdon A et al [50]	UK	2020	Case report - Level 4
54	McGrath BA, Wallace S, Goswamy J [83]	UK	2020	Case report - Level 4
55	Kwan A, Fok WG, Law KI et al [51]	Hong Kong	2004	Case report - Level 4
56	Caputo KM, Byrick R, Chapman MG et al [33]	Canada	2006	Expert opinion - Level 5
57	Peng PW, Wong DT, Bevan D [43]	Canada	2003	Expert opinion - Level 5
58	He Y, Wei J, Bian J et al/Chinese Society of Anesthesiology [58]	China	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
59	Huang J, Zeng J, Xie M et al [84]	China	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
60	Kang Y, Deng L, Zhang D et al [85]	China	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
61	Şentürk M, El Tahan MR, Szegedi LL et al/Thoracic subspecialty committee of European Association of Cardiothoracic Anesthesiology [60]	Europe	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
62	Gauss T, Pasquier P, Joannes-Boyau O et al [86]	France	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
63	Soma M, Jacobson I, Brewer J et al [87]	India	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
64	Bajwa SJS, Sarna R, Bawa C et al [88]	India	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
65	Lie SA, Wong SW, Wong LT et al [89]	Singapore	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
66	Tan Z, Phoon PHY, Zeng LA et al [90]	Singapore	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
67	Lee JSE, Goy RWL, Sng BL et al [56]	Singapore	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
68	Ashokka B, Loh MH, Tan CH et al [91]	Singapore	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5

69	Tan TK [92]	Singapore	2004	Expert opinion - Level 5
70	Thornton M, Reid D, Shelley B et al/Association for Cardiothoracic Anesthesia and Critical Care and the Society for Cardiothoracic Surgery in Great Britain and Ireland [59]	UK	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
71	Prince ADP, Cloyd BH, Hogikyan ND et al [63]	UK	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
72	Francom CR, Javia LR, Wolter NE et al [93]	US/Canada	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
73	Sharma D, Rasmussen M, Han R et al/ various US neuroscience societies [61]	US	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
74	Flexman AM, Abcejo A, Avitision R et al/Society for Neuroscience in Anesthesiology & Critical Care [62]	US	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5
75	Dexter F, Parra MC, Brown JR et al [35]	US	2020	Expert opinion - Level 5

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