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Central Venous Catheterization — Subclavian Vein

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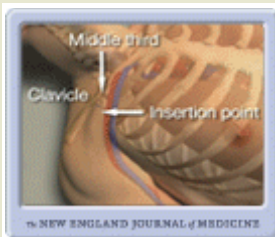
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Chapters:

- Overview
- Preparation
- Placing the Line
- Troubleshooting

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