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Verify Anesthetic Machine Checklist completed	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dedicated monitoring associate assigned	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Owner permission confirmed	<input type="checkbox"/>
Complete patient history obtained and reviewed	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clinical pathology data reviewed and addressed	<input type="checkbox"/>
Patient ASA status determined	<input type="checkbox"/>
Procedure, site, positioning and location confirmed	<input type="checkbox"/>
Endotracheal tube cuffs checked and laryngoscope available	<input type="checkbox"/>
Breathing system connected, leak free and pop-off valve open and in bag position	<input type="checkbox"/>
Complete physical examination performed after premedications have taken effect	<input type="checkbox"/>
Patient risks identified and discussed among anesthetic team	<input type="checkbox"/>
Emergency doses precalculated, within reach	<input type="checkbox"/>
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