

Key Injury: Extremities

a) Extremity radiographs

- Should not be routinely performed prior to CT if a CT has been requested
- Depending on clinical acuity these can be usually obtained safely after CT-imaging

b) CT Angiogram (CTA) of Extremities

- Indicated for avascular extremity (e.g. pulseless foot)
- Can be obtained at time of initial CT

c) CT Extremities for orthopedic injury

- Can be obtained after patient stabilized after treatment for initial CT findings