

## Medical Interventions that **BREAK** the Fast

Sublingual (under the tongue)	Does not break as long as nothing is swallowed
Oral Asthma Inhaler	Fast breaks
Nasal Inhaler	Fast breaks
Nebuliser	Fast breaks
Ear Drops (if the tympanic membrane is perforated/Ear drum has burst)	Fast breaks
Rectal Pessaries (Suppositories)	Fast breaks
Endoscopy Through the gastrointestinal tract	Fast breaks (if the tube has been lubricated or medicated)
Endotracheal Incubation orotracheally or nasotracheally Nasogastric Intubation	Fast Breaks

## Medical Interventions that do **NOT BREAK** the Fast

Sublingual Medication (under the tongue) - Spray - Tablet	Does not effect the fast as long as no remnants are ingested
Concentrated Oxygen	Does Not effect the Fast
Dental Treatment	Does not effect the fast as long as no blood , water or Medication etc.is ingested
Intravitreal Medication applied via the eye	Does Not effect the Fast
Ear drops if the eardrum is intact	Does Not effect the Fast
Injection Intravenous, intramuscular, intrcardiac, intraosseous (into the bone marrow) Intradermal (into the skin), Subcutaneous (beneath the skin), Epicutaneous (on the skin)	Does Not effect the Fast
Peritoneal Dialysis Haemodialysis	Does Not effect the Fast
Epidural Analgesia	Does Not effect the Fast
Laparoscopy Arthroscopy	No effect

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