**APPENDIX B**

TOOLS

Interventional Oncologists utilise a wide range of tools and devices to manage patient care. They include but are not limited to:

●      Needles of widely varying calibre and length (up to approximately 60cms)

●      Biopsy devices

●      Catheters

●      Balloon catheters of varying kinds

●      Sheaths

●      Wires

●      Sutures

●      Embolics

·       Particles

·       Endovascular coils

·       Liquids

●      Drainage tubes

●      Feeding tubes which can be introduced at varying locations

●      Access sets to allow entry to various body cavities, ducts and vessels

●      Forceps

●      Scalpels

●      Wire cutters

●      Drainage tubes

●      Embolic agents (Particle, coil, liquid)

●      Sclerosing agents

●      Stents of various kinds

●      Forceps of various kinds

●      "Grabbers"

●      Suction devices

●      Devices for mechanical removal of thrombus

●      Devices for creating new channels

●      Devices for radiofrequency ablation

●      Devices for microwave ablation

●      Devices for cryoablation

●      Devices for radioembolisation

●      Snares

●      Hammers

●      Drills

●      Injectable contrast agents of varying kinds

●      A variety of pharmacological agents