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Viewing the right upper quadrant (RUQ)

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You should visualize three sections of the RUQ.

Using the phased-array probe in the coronal cross-section, with the indicator towards the patient's head, start on the lower rib spaces and then slide up to see all three parts of the RUQ view.

A positive RUQ view will be first seen at the caudal tip of the liver (most sensitive), then in the Morison's pouch and the liver-diaphragm views.

