



Bag-Valve Mask Ventilation: Apneic Patient

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate standard precautions	1	
Checks responsiveness	1	
Examiner states: "Patient is unresponsive"		
Requests additional EMS assistance	1	
Checks pulse and breathing for at least 5 but no more than 10 seconds	1	
Examiner states: "You palpate a weak carotid pulse at a rate of 60."		
Opens airway properly	1	
Examiner states: "The mouth is full of secretions and vomitus."		
Prepares rigid suction catheter	1	
Turns on power to suction device or retrieves manual suction device	1	
Inserts rigid suction catheter without applying suction	1	
Suctions the mouth and oropharynx	1	
Examiner states: "The mouth and oropharynx are clear."		
Opens the airway manually	1	
Inserts oropharyngeal airway	1	
Examiner states: "No gag reflex is present and the patient accepts the airway adjunct."		
Ventilates the patient immediately using a BVM device unattached to oxygen [Award this point if candidate elects to ventilate initially with BVM attached to reservoir and oxygen so long as first ventilation is delivered within 30 seconds.]	1	
Examiner states: "Ventilation is being properly performed without difficulty."		
Re-checks pulse for at least 5 but no more than 10 seconds	1	
Attaches the BVM assembly [mask, bag, reservoir] to oxygen [15 L/minute]	1	
Ventilates the patient adequately -Proper volume to make chest rise (1 point) -Proper rate [10 – 12/minute but not to exceed 12/minute] (1 point)	2	
The examiner must now ask: "How would you know if you are delivering appropriate volumes with each ventilation?"		
TOTAL	16	

Examiner Name: _____

Critical Criteria

- ___ After suctioning the patient, failure to initiate ventilations within 30 seconds or interrupts ventilations for greater than 30 seconds at any time
- ___ Failure to take or verbalize standard precautions
- ___ Failure to suction airway **before** ventilating the patient
- ___ Suctions the patient for an excessive and prolonged time
- ___ Failure to check responsiveness and breathing for at least 5 seconds but no more than 10 seconds
- ___ Failure to check pulse for at least 5 seconds but no more than 10 seconds
- ___ Failure to voice and ultimately provide high oxygen concentration [at least 85%]
- ___ Failure to ventilate the patient at a rate of at least 10/minute and no more than 12/minute
- ___ Failure to provide adequate volumes per breath [maximum 2 errors/minute permissible]
- ___ Insertion or use of any adjunct in a manner dangerous to the patient
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Vital Signs

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes standard precautions.	1	
Respirations		
Watches or feels rise and fall of chest or abdomen.	1	
Counts respirations X 30 seconds then multiplies by two.	1	
Reports respiratory rate, rhythm and quality.	1	
Pulse		
Palpates radial or brachial pulse with two fingers.	1	
Counts palpated pulse X 30 seconds then multiplies by two.	1	
Reports pulse rate, quality and regularity. \pm 4 beats a minute.	1	
Palpated Blood Pressure		
Applies blood pressure cuff above antecubital area.	1	
Palpates radial or brachial pulse.	1	
Inflates cuff rapidly to at least 20 mm Hg above point where pulse ceases.	1	
Deflates cuff slowly and reports palpable blood pressure. \pm 4 mm Hg.	1	
Auscultated Blood Pressure		
Applies blood pressure cuff above antecubital area.	1	
Palpates brachial pulse.	1	
Places diaphragm of stethoscope over brachial artery.	1	
Inflates cuff rapidly to at least 20 mm Hg above point where pulse ceases.	1	
Deflates cuff slowly and reports auscultated blood pressure. \pm 4 mm Hg.	1	
Skin Signs		
Reports skin color.	1	
Reports skin temperature.	1	
Reports skin moisture.	1	
Pupil Response		
Observes both eyes for symmetry and injury.	1	
Reports pupil reactivity.	1	
Reports size.	1	
Reports equality.	1	
Mini Neuro Exam		
Evaluates and reports patient's response (AVPU).	1	
Evaluates and reports patient's BRIM.	1	
Observes and reports eye opening response (GCS).	1	
Assesses and reports verbal response (GCS).	1	
Assesses and reports motor response (GCS).	1	
Total	28	

Critical Criteria

- _____ Did not report respirations within \pm two per minute accuracy.
- _____ Did not report pulse rate within \pm 4 beats per minute accuracy.
- _____ Did not report the blood pressure within \pm 4 mm Hg accuracy.
- _____ Did not place blood pressure cuff on bare skin.
- _____ Did not assure snug fit of blood pressure cuff.
- _____ Did not center the bladder of the blood pressure cuff over the brachial artery.
- _____ Did not report skin signs.
- _____ Did not report pupil response.
- _____ Did not report GCS findings accurately.



Bleeding Control – Shock Management

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possibl e	Points Awarde d
Takes or verbalizes standard precautions	1	
Applies direct pressure to the wound.	1	
<i>Examiner states: "The wound continues to bleed"</i>		
Applies tourniquet	1	
<i>Examiner states: "The patient is now showing signs and symptoms indicative if hypoperfusion"</i>		
Properly positions the patient	1	
Applies high concentration oxygen	1	
Initiates steps to prevent heat loss from the patient	1	
Indicates the need for immediate transportation	1	
Total	7	

Critical Criteria:

- _____ Did not take or verbalize standard precautions
- _____ Did not apply high concentration oxygen
- _____ Did not control hemorrhage using correct procedures in a timely manner
- _____ Did not indicate a need for immediate transport
- _____ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- _____ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- _____ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Cardiac Arrest Management / AED

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate standard precautions	1	
Determines the scene/situation is safe	1	
Attempts to question bystanders about arrest events	1	
Checks patient responsiveness	1	
Examiner states: "The patient is unresponsive."		
Requests additional EMS response	1	
Checks pulse and breathing for at least 5 but no more than 10 seconds	1	
Examiner states: "The patient is apneic and pulseless."		
Immediately begins chest compressions [adequate depth and rate; allows the chest to recoil completely]	1	
Performs 2 minutes of high quality, 1-rescuer adult CPR: Adequate depth and rate (1 point) Correct compression-to-ventilation ratio (1 point) Allows the chest to recoil completely (1 point) Adequate volumes for each breath (1 point) Minimal interruptions of less than 10 seconds throughout (1 point)	5	
After 2 minutes (5 cycles), patient is assessed and second rescuer resumes compressions while candidate operates AED.		
Turns-on power to AED	1	
Follows prompts and correctly attaches AED to patient	1	
Stops CPR and ensures all individuals are clear of the patient during rhythm analysis	1	
Ensures that all individuals are clear of the patient and delivers shock from AED	1	
Immediately directs rescuer to resume chest compressions	1	
TOTAL	17	

Critical Criteria

- ___ Failure to take or verbalize appropriate standard precautions
- ___ Failure to immediately begin chest compressions as soon as pulselessness is confirmed
- ___ Failure to deliver shock in a timely manner
- ___ Interrupts CPR for more than 10 seconds at any point
- ___ Failure to demonstrate acceptable high-quality, 1-rescuer adult CPR
- ___ Failure to operate the AED properly
- ___ Failure to correctly attach the AED to the patient
- ___ Failure to assure that all individuals are clear of patient during rhythm analysis and before delivering shock(s) [verbalizes "All clear" and observes]
- ___ Failure to immediately resume compressions after shock is delivered
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Long Bone Immobilization

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possibl e	Points Awarde d
Takes or verbalizes standard precautions	1	
Directs application of manual stabilization of the injury	1	
Assesses distal circulation, sensory and motor function in the injured extremity	1	
<i>Examiner States: "Pulse, motor, and sensory function are present and normal"</i>		
Measures the splint	1	
Applies the splint	1	
Immobilizes the joint above the injury site	1	
Immobilizes the joint below the injury site	1	
Secures the entire injured extremity	1	
Immobilizes the hand/foot in the position of function	1	
Reassesses distal circulation, sensory and motor function in the injured extremity	1	
<i>Examiner States: "Pulse, motor, and sensory function are present and normal"</i>		
Total	10	

Critical Criteria:

- _____ Grossly moved the injured extremity
- _____ Did not immobilize the joint above and or below the injury site
- _____ Did not assess or reassess circulation, sensory and motor function in the injured extremity before and after splinting
- _____ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- _____ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- _____ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Joint Immobilization

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate body substance isolation precautions	1	
Directs application of manual stabilization of the injury	1	
Assesses distal motor, sensory, and circulatory functions in the injured extremity	1	
NOTE: The examiner acknowledges, "Motor, sensory, and circulatory functions are present and normal."		
Selects the proper splinting material	1	
Immobilizes the site of the injury	1	
Immobilizes the bone above the injury site	1	
Immobilizes the bone below the injury site	1	
Secures the entire injured extremity	1	
Reassesses distal motor, sensory, and circulatory functions in the injured extremity	1	
NOTE: The examiner acknowledges, "Motor, sensory, and circulatory functions are present and normal."		
TOTAL	9	

Critical Criteria

- ___ Did not immediately stabilize the extremity manually
- ___ Grossly moves the injured extremity
- ___ Did not immobilize the bone above and below the injury site
- ___ Did not reassess distal motor, sensory, and circulatory functions in the injured extremity before and after splinting
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Oxygen Administration by Non-Rebreather Mask

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate standard precautions	1	
Gathers appropriate equipment	1	
Cracks valve on the oxygen tank	1	
Assembles the regulator to the oxygen tank	1	
Opens the oxygen tank valve	1	
Checks oxygen tank pressure	1	
Checks for leaks	1	
Attaches non-rebreather mask to correct port of regulator	1	
Turns on oxygen flow to prefill reservoir bag	1	
Adjusts regulator to assure oxygen flow rate of at least 10 L/minute	1	
Attaches mask to patient's face and adjusts to fit snugly	1	
TOTAL	11	

Critical Criteria

- ___ Failure to take or verbalize appropriate standard precautions
- ___ Failure to assemble the oxygen tank and regulator without leaks
- ___ Failure to prefill the reservoir bag
- ___ Failure to adjust the oxygen flow rate to the non-rebreather mask of at least 10 L/minute
- ___ Failure to assure a tight mask seal to patient's face
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Patient Assessment/Management – Medical

Start Time: _____ End Time: _____ Date: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate body substance isolation precautions	1	
SCENE SIZE-UP		
Determines the scene/situation is safe	1	
Determines the mechanism of injury/nature of illness	1	
Determines the number of patients	1	
Requests additional help if necessary	1	
Considers stabilization of the spine	1	
PRIMARY SURVEY/RESUSCITATION		
Verbalizes general impression of the patient	1	
Determines responsiveness/level of consciousness (AVPU)	1	
Determines chief complaint/apparent life-threats	1	
Assesses airway and breathing -Assessment (1 point) -Assures adequate ventilation (1 point) -Initiates appropriate oxygen therapy (1 point)	3	
Assesses circulation -Assesses/controls major bleeding (1 point) -Checks pulse (1 point) -Assesses skin [either skin color, temperature or condition] (1 point)	3	
Identifies patient priority and makes treatment/ transport decision	1	
HISTORY TAKING		
History of the present illness -Onset (1 point) -Quality (1 point) -Severity (1 point) -Provocation (1 point) -Radiation (1 point) -Time (1 point) -Clarifying questions of associated signs and symptoms related to OPQRST (2 points)	8	
Past medical history -Allergies (1 point) -Past pertinent history (1 point) -Events leading to present -Medications (1 point) -Last oral intake (1 point) illness (1 point)	5	
SECONDARY ASSESSMENT		
Assesses affected body part/system -Cardiovascular -Neurological -Integumentary -Reproductive -Pulmonary -Musculoskeletal -GI/GU -Psychological/Social	5	
VITAL SIGNS		
-Pulse (1 point) -Respiratory rate and quality (1 point each) -Blood pressure (1 point)	4	
States field impression of patient	1	
Interventions- Obtains medical direction or verbalizes standing orders for medications or other interventions (rules out contraindications, administers or assists in administration of medications using FIVE RIGHTS)	1	
REASSESSMENT		
Demonstrates how and when to reassess the patient to determine changes in condition (LOC – GCS /airway, breathing, circulation)	1	
Provides accurate verbal report to arriving EMS unit	1	
TOTAL	42	

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Critical Criteria

- ___ Failure to initiate or call for transport of the patient within 15 minute time limit
- ___ Failure to take or verbalize appropriate body substance isolation precautions
- ___ Failure to determine scene safety before approaching patient
- ___ Failure to voice and ultimately provide appropriate oxygen therapy
- ___ Failure to assess/provide adequate ventilation
- ___ Failure to find or appropriately manage problems associated with airway, breathing, hemorrhage or shock
- ___ Failure to differentiate patient's need for immediate transportation versus continued assessment or treatment at the scene
- ___ Performs secondary examination before assessing and treating threats to airway, breathing and circulation
- ___ Orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention
- ___ Failure to provide accurate report to arriving EMS unit
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Comments:



Patient Assessment/Management – Trauma

Start Time: _____ End Time: _____ Date: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

NOTE: Areas denoted by "***" may be integrated within sequence of Primary Survey/Resuscitation	Possible Points	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate body substance isolation precautions	1	
SCENE SIZE-UP		
Determines the scene/situation is safe	1	
Determines the mechanism of injury/nature of illness	1	
Determines the number of patients	1	
Requests additional EMS assistance if necessary	1	
Considers stabilization of the spine	1	
PRIMARY SURVEY/RESUSCITATION		
Verbalizes general impression of the patient	1	
Determines responsiveness/level of consciousness	1	
Determines chief complaint/apparent life-threats	1	
Airway -Opens and assesses airway (1 point) -Inserts adjunct as indicated (1 point)	2	
Breathing -Assesses breathing (1 point) -Assures adequate ventilation (1 point) -Initiates appropriate oxygen therapy (1 point) -Manages any injury which may compromise breathing/ventilation (1 point)	4	
Circulation -Checks pulse (1 point) -Assesses skin [either skin color, temperature or condition] (1 point) -Assesses for and controls major bleeding if present (1 point) -Initiates shock management [positions patient properly, conserves body heat] (1 point)	4	
Identifies patient priority and makes treatment/ transport decision (based on calculated GCS)	1	
HISTORY TAKING		
Attempts to obtain SAMPLE history	1	
SECONDARY ASSESSMENT		
Head -Inspects mouth**, nose** and assesses facial area (1 point) -Inspects and palpates scalp and ears (1 point) -Assesses eyes** (1 point)	3	
Neck** -Checks position of trachea (1 point) -Checks jugular veins (1 point) -Palpates cervical spine (1 point)	3	
Chest** -Inspects chest (1 point) -Palpates chest (1 point) -Auscultates chest (1 point)	3	
Abdomen/pelvis** -Inspects and palpates abdomen (1 point) -Assesses pelvis (1 point) -Verbalizes assessment of genitalia/perineum as needed (1 point)	3	
Lower extremities** -Inspects, palpates and assesses motor, sensory and distal circulatory functions (1 point/leg)	2	
Upper extremities -Inspects, palpates and assesses motor, sensory and distal circulatory functions (1 point/arm)	2	
Posterior thorax, lumbar and buttocks** -Inspects and palpates posterior thorax (1 point) -Inspects and palpates lumbar and buttocks areas (1 point)	2	
VITAL SIGNS		
Obtains baseline vital signs [must include BP, P, R] (1 point)	1	
Manages secondary injuries and wounds appropriately	1	
REASSESSMENT		
Demonstrates how and when to reassess the patient	1	
TOTAL	42	

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Critical Criteria

- ___ Failure to initiate or call for transport of the patient within 10 minute time limit
- ___ Failure to take or verbalize body substance isolation precautions
- ___ Failure to determine scene safety
- ___ Failure to assess for and provide spinal protection when indicated
- ___ Failure to voice and ultimately provide high concentration of oxygen
- ___ Failure to assess/provide adequate ventilation
- ___ Failure to find or appropriately manage problems associated with airway, breathing, hemorrhage or shock
- ___ Failure to differentiate patient's need for immediate transportation versus continued assessment/treatment at the scene
- ___ Performs other assessment before assessing/treating threats to airway, breathing and circulation
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Comments:



Spinal Immobilization: Seated Patient

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possibl e	Points Awarde d
Takes or verbalizes standard precautions.	1	
Directs assistant to place/maintain head in the in-line position.	1	
Directs assistant to maintain manual immobilization of the head.	1	
Assesses circulation, sensory and motor function in each extremity.	1	
Applies appropriately sized C-collar	1	
Positions the immobilization device behind the patient.	1	
Secures the device to the patient's torso.	1	
Evaluates torso fixation and adjusts as necessary.	1	
Evaluates and pads behind the patient's head as necessary.	1	
Secures the patient's head to the device.	1	
Verbalizes moving the patient to a long board.	1	
Reassesses circulation, sensory and motor function in each extremity.	1	
Total	12	

Critical Criteria

- ___ Did not immediately direct or take manual stabilization of the head
- ___ Did not properly apply appropriately sized cervical collar before ordering release of manual stabilization
- ___ Released or ordered release of manual stabilization before it was maintained mechanically
- ___ Manipulated or moved the patient excessively causing potential spinal compromise
- ___ Head immobilized to the device **before** device sufficiently secured to the torso
- ___ Device moves excessively up, down, left, or right on the patient's torso
- ___ Head immobilization allows for excessive movement
- ___ Torso fixation inhibits chest rise, resulting in respiratory compromise
- ___ Upon completion of immobilization, head is not in a neutral, in-line position
- ___ Did not reassess motor, sensory, and circulatory functions in each extremity after voicing immobilization to the long backboard
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Spinal Immobilization: Supine Patient

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possibl e	Points Awarde d
Takes or verbalizes standard precautions.	1	
Directs assistant to place/maintain head in the in-line position.	1	
Directs assistant to maintain manual immobilization of the head.	1	
Assesses circulation, sensory and motor function of all extremities.	1	
Applies appropriately sized C-collar while maintaining axial stabilization.	1	
Positions the immobilization device appropriately.	1	
Directs movement of the patient onto the device without compromising the integrity of the spine.	1	
Applies padding to voids between the torso and the board as necessary.	1	
Immobilizes the patient's torso to the device.	1	
Secures the patients legs to the device.	1	
Evaluates and pads behind the patient's head as necessary.	1	
Immobilizes the patient's head to the device.	1	
Secures the patient's arms to the device.	1	
Reassess circulation, sensory and motor function of all extremities.	1	
Total	14	

Critical Criteria

- ___ Did not immediately direct or take manual stabilization of the head
- ___ Did not properly apply appropriately sized cervical collar before ordering release of manual stabilization
- ___ Released or ordered release of manual stabilization before it was maintained mechanically
- ___ Manipulated or moved the patient excessively causing potential for spinal compromise
- ___ Head immobilized to the device **before** device sufficiently secured to the torso
- ___ Patient moves excessively up, down, left, or right on the device
- ___ Head immobilization allows for excessive movement
- ___ Upon completion of immobilization, head is not in a neutral, in-line position
- ___ Did not reassess motor, sensory, and circulatory functions in each extremity after immobilizing patient to the device
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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Suctioning: Tracheostomy Tube

Start Time: _____

Date: _____

End Time: _____

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner Name: _____

	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes standard precautions.	1	
Adequately ventilates the patient with supplemental oxygen through the tracheostomy tube for two minutes .	1	
Opens packages keeping inner surfaces sterile, pours saline. (Catheter, glove, saline and cup)	1	
Applies sterile glove to dominant hand.	1	
Grasps catheter with sterile gloved hand.	1	
Attaches end to suction connecting tube.	1	
Advances catheter gently until cough reflex elicited or resistance felt.	1	
Applies suction and rotate tube 360 degrees while withdrawing catheter.	1	
Applies suction no longer than fifteen seconds (adult).	1	
Clears catheter with sterile saline, if secretions thick/tenacious.	1	
Ventilates patient using supplemental oxygen for 30 to 60 seconds after procedure.	1	
Repeats procedure if needed.	1	
Total	12	

Critical Criteria:

- _____ Did not take or verbalize standard precautions.
- _____ Did not ventilate the patient before and after suctioning.
- _____ Did not maintain a sterile environment when handling catheter.
- _____ Suctioned patient for longer than five seconds.