



National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians® Emergency
 Medical Responder Psychomotor Examination
CARDIAC ARREST MANAGEMENT / AED

2021-Q1: CPR

Candidate: _____ Examiner: _____
 Date: _____ Signature: _____

Actual Time Started: _____	Possible Points	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate PPE precautions	1	
Determines the scene/situation is safe	1	
Checks patient responsiveness	1	
Direct assistant to retrieve AED	1	
Requests additional EMS assistance	1	
Checks breathing and pulse simultaneously	1	
NOTE: After checking responsiveness, then checking breathing and pulse for no more than 10 seconds, examiner informs candidate, "The patient is unresponsive, 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 no more than 10 seconds throughout (1 point)	5	
NOTE: After 2 minutes (5 cycles), candidate assesses patient 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	
Actual Time Ended: _____	TOTAL	17

Critical Criteria

- ___ Failure to take or verbalize appropriate PPE precautions
- ___ Failure to check responsiveness, then check breathing and pulse simultaneously for no more than 10 seconds
- ___ Failure to immediately begin chest compressions as soon as pulselessness is confirmed
- ___ Failure to demonstrate acceptable high-quality, 1-rescuer adult CPR
- ___ Interrupts CPR for more than 10 seconds at any point
- ___ Failure to correctly attach the AED to the patient
- ___ Failure to operate the AED properly
- ___ Failure to deliver shock in a timely manner
- ___ Failure to ensure that all individuals are clear of patient during rhythm analysis and before delivering shock [verbalizes "All clear" and observes]
- ___ Failure to immediately resume compressions after shock delivered
- ___ Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMR
- ___ Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel
- ___ Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention

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PATIENT ASSESSMENT - MEDICAL

2021-Q1: Patient Assessment

Examiner: _____

Candidate: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Scenario: _____

Actual Time Started: _____

Possible Points	Points Awarded
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Takes or verbalizes appropriate PPE 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 spine	1	
PRIMARY SURVEY		
Verbalizes general impression of the patient	1	
Determines responsiveness/level of consciousness	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) -Assesses skin [either skin color, temperature, or condition] (1 point) -Assesses pulse (1 point)	3	
Identifies priority patients/makes transport decision	1	
HISTORY TAKING AND SECONDARY ASSESSMENT		
History of present illness -Onset (1 point) -Severity (1 point) -Provocation (1 point) -Time (1 point) -Quality (1 point) -Clarifying questions of associated signs and symptoms as related to OPQRST (2 points) -Radiation (1 point)	8	
Past medical history -Allergies (1 point) -Past pertinent history (1 point) -Events leading to present illness (1 point) -Medications (1 point) -Last oral intake (1 point)	5	
Performs secondary assessment [assess affected body part/system or, if indicated, completes rapid assessment] -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) -AVPU (1 point)	5	
Diagnostics [blood glucose test, pulse oximetry, etc] as indicated	2	
States field impression of patient	1	
Verbalizes treatment plan for patient and calls for appropriate intervention(s) (Intranasal Narcan Administrations)	1	
Transport decision re-evaluated	1	
REASSESSMENT		
Repeats primary survey	1	
Repeats vital signs	1	
Evaluates response to treatments	1	
Repeats secondary assessment regarding patient complaint or injuries	1	
Actual Time Ended: _____		
CRITICAL CRITERIA	TOTAL	48

- _____ Failure to initiate or call for transport of the patient within 15 minute time limit
- _____ Failure to take or verbalize appropriate PPE 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 [hypoperfusion]
- _____ Failure to differentiate patient's need for immediate transportation versus continued assessment and treatment at the scene
- _____ Does other detailed history or physical examination before assessing and treating threats to airway, breathing, and circulation
- _____ Failure to determine the patient's primary problem
- _____ Orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention
- _____ Failure to provide for spinal protection when indicated

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SUPRAGLOTTIC AIRWAY DEVICE

2021-Q1: SGA

Candidate: _____ Examiner: _____
Date: _____ Signature: _____
Device: _____

NOTE: If candidate elects to initially ventilate with BVM attached to reservoir and oxygen, full credit must be awarded for steps denoted by “***” so long as first ventilation is delivered within 30 seconds.

Actual Time Started: _____	Possible Points	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate PPE precautions	1	
Opens the airway manually	1	
Elevates tongue, inserts simple adjunct [oropharyngeal or nasopharyngeal airway]	1	
NOTE: Examiner now informs candidate no gag reflex is present and patient accepts adjunct		
**Ventilates patient immediately with bag-valve-mask device unattached to oxygen	1	
**Ventilates patient with room air	1	
NOTE: Examiner now informs candidate that ventilation is being performed without difficulty and that pulse oximetry indicates the patient's blood oxygen saturation is 85%		
Attaches oxygen reservoir to bag-valve-mask device and connects to high-flow oxygen regulator [12 – 15 L/minute]	1	
Ventilates patient at a rate of 10 – 12/minute (1 ventilation every 5 – 6 seconds) with appropriate volumes	1	
NOTE: After 30 seconds, examiner auscultates and reports breath sounds are present and equal bilaterally and medical direction has ordered insertion of a supraglottic airway. The examiner must now take over ventilation.		
Checks/prepares supraglottic airway device	1	
Lubricates distal tip of the device [may be verbalized]	1	
NOTE: Examiner to remove OPA and move out of the way when candidate is prepared to insert device.		
Positions head properly	1	
Performs a tongue-jaw lift	1	
Inserts device to proper depth	1	
Properly secures device per manufacturer's instructions	1	
Ventilates patient and confirms proper ventilation by auscultation bilaterally over lungs and over the epigastrium	1	
Adjusts ventilation as necessary	1	
Verifies proper tube placement by secondary confirmation such as capnography, capnometry, EDD or colorimetric device	1	
NOTE: The examiner must now ask the candidate, "How would you know if you are delivering appropriate volumes with each ventilation?"		
Secures device or confirms that the device remains properly secured	1	
Ventilates patient at proper rate and volume while observing capnography/capnometry and pulse oximeter	1	
Actual Time Ended: _____	TOTAL	18

Critical Criteria

- Failure to initiate ventilations within 30 seconds after using appropriate PPE or interrupts ventilations for greater than 30 seconds at any time
- Failure to take or verbalize appropriate PPE precautions
- Failure to voice and ultimately provide high oxygen concentration [at least 85%]
- Failure to ventilate the patient at a rate of 10 – 12/minute (1 ventilation every 5 – 6 seconds)
- Failure to provide adequate volumes per breath [maximum 2 errors/minute permissible]
- Failure to pre-oxygenate patient prior to insertion of the supraglottic airway device
- Failure to insert the supraglottic airway device at a proper depth or location within 3 attempts
- Failure to properly secure device per manufacturer's instructions
- Failure to confirm that patient is being ventilated properly by auscultation bilaterally over lungs and over the epigastrium
- 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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