

Patient Assessment/Management – Environmental

Start Time: _____

Stop Time: _____ Date: _____

Candidate's Name: _____

Evaluator's Name: _____

		Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes, or verbalizes, body substance isolation precautions		1	
SCENE SIZE-UP			
Determines the scene 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	
INITIAL ASSESSMENT			
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	
	Indicates appropriate oxygen therapy	1	
	Assures adequate ventilation	1	
Assesses circulation	Assesses/controls major bleeding	1	
	Assesses pulse	1	
	Assesses skin (color, temperature and condition)	1	
Identifies priority patients/makes transport decisions		1	
FOCUSED HISTORY AND PHYSICAL EXAMINATION/RAPID ASSESSMENT			
Signs and symptoms (Assess history of present illness)		1	
Bites / Stings	Drowning	Altitude	Allergic Reaction
Poisoning	HRI	Hypothermia	Lightning
*Onset? *Provokes? *Quality? *Radiates? *Severity? *Time? *Bleeding? *Associated soft-tissue trauma? *Interventions?	*Onset? *Provokes? *Quality? *Radiates? *Severity? *Time? *Hypothermia? *Associated trauma? *Interventions?	*Description of the episode. *Onset? *Duration? *Associated Symptoms? *Evidence of Trauma? *Interventions? *Seizures? *Fever?	*History of allergies? *What were you exposed to? *How were you exposed? *Progression? *Interventions?
*Substance involved? When did you ingest/become exposed? *How much did you ingest? *Over what time period? *Interventions? *Estimated weight?	*Source / temperature? *Effects? *Syncope, heat exhaustion, heat stroke? *Duration? *Loss of consciousness? *Dehydration? *Interventions?	*Source / temperature? *Effects? *Localized or generalized? *Associated trauma? *Duration? *Loss of consciousness? *Interventions?	*Effects? *Trauma involved? *Loss of consciousness? *Localized or generalized? *TBI or SCA? *Continuing risk to rescuer? *Interventions?
Allergies		1	
Medications		1	
Past pertinent history		1	
Last oral intake		1	
Event leading to present illness (rule out trauma)		1	
Performs focused physical examination (assesses affected body part/system or, if indicated, completes rapid assessment)		1	
Vitals (obtains baseline vital signs)		1	
Interventions (obtains medical direction or verbalizes standing order for medication interventions and verbalizes proper additional intervention/treatment)		1	
Transport (re-evaluates the transport decision)		1	
Verbalizes the consideration for completing a detailed physical examination		1	
ONGOING ASSESSMENT (verbalized)			
Repeats initial assessment		1	
Repeats vital signs		1	
Repeats focused assessment regarding patient complaint or injuries		1	
Critical Criteria		Total:	30

- _____ Did not take, or verbalize, body substance isolation precautions when necessary
- _____ Did not determine scene safety
- _____ Did not obtain medical direction or verbalize standing orders for medical interventions
- _____ Did not provide high concentration of oxygen
- _____ Did not find or manage problems associated with airway, breathing, hemorrhage or shock (hypoperfusion)
- _____ Did not differentiate patient's need for transportation versus continued assessment at the scene
- _____ Did detailed or focused history/physical examination before assessing the airway, breathing and circulation
- _____ Did not ask questions about the present illness
- _____ Administered a dangerous or inappropriate intervention