



PATIENT ASSESSMENT/MANAGEMENT TRAUMA

Candidate: _____ Date: _____

Skill Evaluator: _____ Scenario #: _____

Time Start: _____ Station #: _____

Takes or verbalizes body substance isolation precautions		1	
SCENE SIZE-UP			
Determines the scene is safe		1	
Determines the mechanism of injury		1	
Determines the number of patients		1	
Requests additional help if necessary		1	
Considers stabilization of the spine		1	
INITIAL ASSESSMENT			
Verbalizes general impression of the patient (first contact)		1	
Determines responsiveness/level of consciousness		1	
Determines chief complaint/obvious life threats		1	
Assesses airway and breathing	Assessment (1 point) Initiates appropriate oxygen therapy (1 point) Assures adequate ventilation (1 point) Injury management (1 point)	4	
Assesses circulation	Assesses & controls major bleeding (1 point) Assesses central and peripheral pulses (1 point) Assesses skin [color, temperature, condition] (1 point)	3	
Identifies priority patients and makes transport decision		1	
FOCUSED HISTORY AND PHYSICAL EXAMINATION			
Selects appropriate assessment [focused or rapid assessment]		1	
Obtains baseline vital signs		1	
Obtains SAMPLE history		1	
DETAILED PHYSICAL EXAMINATION			
Assesses the head	Inspects and palpates the scalp and ears (1 point) Assesses the eyes (1 point) Assesses the facial areas (1 point)	3	
Assesses the neck	Inspects and palpates the neck (1 point) Assesses for JVD (1 point) Assesses for tracheal deviation (1 point)	3	
Assesses the chest (may be included in the initial assessment)	Inspects (1 point) Palpates (1 point) Auscultates Breath Sounds (1 point)	3	
Assesses the abdomen/pelvis (may be included in the initial assessment)	Assesses the abdomen (1 point) Assesses the pelvis (1 point) Assesses genitalia (1 point)	3	
Assesses the extremities (lower extremities may be included in the initial assessment)	Upper extremities (1 point each) Lower extremities (1 point each) [includes inspection, palpation, PMS]	4	
Assesses the posterior	Assesses the thoracic spine and chest (1 point) Assesses the lumbar spine and flanks (1 point)	2	
Manages secondary injuries appropriately		1	
Verbalizes reassessment		1	

Time End: _____

TOTAL 40

CRITICAL CRITERIA

- _____ Did not determine scene safety
- _____ Did not assess for spinal protection (if appropriate)
- _____ Did not provide spinal protection when indicated
- _____ Did not provide adequate oxygen therapy
- _____ Did not find or manage problems associated with the airway, breathing, hemorrhage or shock
- _____ Did not differentiate the patient's need for transportation versus continued assessment at the scene
- _____ Did other detailed physical examination or treatment before assessing and treating problems associated with airway, breathing and circulation
- _____ Did not complete patient assessment or treatment within the 10 minute time limit
- _____ Did not transport the patient within 10 minute time limit

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