

First Responder Skill Sheet
Airway/Respiratory Management

Candidate Name: _____

Examiner: _____

Scenario: _____ Location: _____ Date: _____

| Skill Performed | Points Possible | Points Awarded |
|---|-----------------|----------------|
| Takes or verbalizes body substance isolation | 1 | |
| Assembles regulator to tank, opens tank, checks for leaks, checks tank pressure | 3 | |
| Attaches non-rebreather or partial-rebreather mask to oxygen and prefills reservoir | 2 | |
| Adjusts liter flow to 10 liters/minute or greater | 1 | |
| Attaches and adjusts mask to patient's face for proper mask seal | 1 | |
| Examiner states that patient is now unconscious | ----- | ----- |
| Opens the airway using head-tilt/ chin-lift or jaw thrust | 1 | |
| Measures and selects appropriate oropharyngeal airway | 1 | |
| Visualizes oropharyngeal for foreign bodies and inserts without pushing tongue back | 2 | |
| Examiner states that patient has a gag reflex | ----- | ----- |
| Removes oropharyngeal airway immediately | 1 | |
| Examiner states to candidate to insert a nasopharyngeal airway | ----- | ----- |
| Measures and selects the appropriate size nasopharyngeal airway | 2 | |
| Verbalizes lubrication of the nasal airway and inserts airway | 2 | |
| Examiner states to candidate that patient is not breathing, but has a pulse | ----- | ----- |
| Initiates ventilation using a flow-restricted, oxygen-powered ventilation device | 1 | |
| Establishes and maintains proper mask-to-face seal | 1 | |
| Ventilates patient at the proper volume and rate (adequate chest rise/10-20 breaths per min.) | 1 | |
| Examiner states to candidate that patient has vomited | ----- | ----- |
| Indicates rolling patient on to side and clears oropharyngeal area | 2 | |
| Verbalizes ventilation not interrupted for >20 seconds | 1 | |
| Resumes ventilation | 1 | |
| Examiner indicates to candidate to stop ventilation of patient | ----- | ----- |
| Shuts off regulator | 1 | |
| Relieves the pressure within the regulator | 1 | |
| TOTAL | 26 | |

CRITICAL CRITERIA:

- ___ Did not take or verbalize body substance isolation prior to interaction with the patient.
- ___ Did not assemble tank and regulator properly.
- ___ Did not prefill reservoir.
- ___ Did not adjust device to a correct liter flow (10L/min. or greater).
- ___ Did not obtain a patent airway for the oropharyngeal or nasopharyngeal airway.
- ___ Inserts any adjunct in a manner that is inappropriate for the patient.
- ___ Did not demonstrate an acceptable suction technique.
- ___ Did not ventilate the patient within 30 seconds.
- ___ Interrupted ventilations for more than 15 seconds.
- ___ Did not provide high concentration oxygen.
- ___ Did not provide proper volume or breaths per minute.
- ___ Did not allow adequate exhalation.

Document any failure of a critical criteria with a specific written description