



CARDIOVASCULAR TECHNICIAN SKILLS EVALUATION - SELF ASSESSMENT

Date _____

Name _____

Signature _____

Level of Proficiency

- A = Never Performed. You have never performed the stated task and have no experience with this type of skill.
- B = Familiar with. You are familiar with the stated task; but you would need more experience and practice to feel comfortable and proficient in this type of skill.
- C = Experienced in. You have performed this task several times; you feel moderately comfortable functioning independently, but you would require a resource person to be nearby.
- D = Expert. You have performed this task frequently; you feel comfortable and proficient in this skill; you would not require supervision or practice.

Please select the column that most accurately describes your proficiency level:

Cardiovascular Technician	A	B	C	D			A	B	C	D
Background						Cardiac Interventional				
Hospital						Aortography				
Clinic						Intra-aortic balloon procedure				
Mobile unit						Arrhythmia ablation				
Surgery						Cardioversion				
Doctor's office						Permanent pacemaker insertion				
Long term care facility						Temporary pacemaker insertion				
Other (list):						Stent placement				
						Pulmonary angiography				
Emergencies						Saphenous vein graft angiography				
Anaphylaxis (contrast reactions)						Shunt detection				
Vasovagal response						Internal cardiac defibrillator insertion				
Respiratory distress						PTCA (Percutaneous cardiac angioplasty)				
Sepsis						Calculate ejection fraction				
Air embolism						ECG lead placement				
Cardiac arrhythmias						EGC interpretation				
Cardiac tamponade						Closure of ASD (atrial septal defect)				
Pneumothorax						Closure of PDA (patent ductus arteriosus)				
Embolism						Pericardial tapping				
Hemothorax						Tilt table testing				
Myocardial infarction						Brachytherapy				
TIA (transient ischemic accident)						Mitral valvuloplasty				
Aortic dissection						Pulmonary valvuloplasty				
Other (list):						Intravascular ultrasound				
						Endomyocardial biopsy				
Cardiac Interventional						Cardioversion/ Defibrillation				
Angioplasty						Other (list):				
Pericardiocentesis										



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	A	B	C	D			A	B	C	D	
Vascular Interventional						GU cont.					
Peripheral Procedures						Stone extraction					
Upper extremity						Cholecystectomy					
Lower extremity						PTCA (percutaneous transhepatic cholangiogram)					
Embolization						Biliary stents/ drainage					
Foreign body retrieval						Gastrostomy					
Pelvic						Gastrojejunostomy					
TPA, Urokinase, Streptokinase						Urethral dilation					
Port placement						Urethral stents					
Abdominal aortography						Other (list):					
Thrombectomy											
Other (list):						General					
						IV insertion					
Neurology						Chest tubes					
Spinal arteriography						Vital signs					
Intracranial arteriography						Patient preparation					
Extracranial arteriography						Surgical scrub technique					
Interventional embolization						Oxygen delivery					
Interventional angioplasty						Removal of sheaths					
Intracranial venography						Sterile/ aseptic technique					
Extracranial venography						Oxygen saturation					
Other (list):						Other (list):					
GU						Pharmacology					
Nephrostomy						Conscious sedation					
Renal artery stents						Diuretics					
Adrenal venography						Beta blockers					
Gonadal venography						Anti-emetics					
Splenic arteriography						Sedatives					
Hepatic arteriography						Reversal agents					



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	A	B	C	D		A	B	C	D
Pharmacology cont.						Age Specific			
Contrast media						Neo-natal			
Prophylactic antibiotics						Pediatrics			
Vasodilators						Adolescents			
Vasopressors						Adults			
Analgesics						Geriatrics			
Anticoagulants									
Other (list):									

CERTIFICATION:

BCLS: Yes_____ No_____ Expiration Date: _____

ACLS: Yes_____ No_____ Expiration Date: _____

PALS: Yes_____ No_____ Expiration Date: _____

Reviewed by: _____ **Date:** _____