Emergency Room Skills Checklist

Name _____
Last First Middle

❑ RN ❑ LPN/LVN ❑ Other _____

Directions: Please check the column that most accurately describes your proficiency level.

	EXPERIENCE			
	NEVER PERFORMED	FAMILIAR WITH	EXPERIENCED IN	WELL SKILLED
RESPIRATORY	A	B	C	D
Auscultating Breath Sounds				
O_2 Mask				
O_2 Cannula				
Venturi Mask				
Ambu Bags				
O_2 Cylinders				
Nebulizer Set Up				
Ventilators				
Bear I				
Bear II				
Bird				
PEEP Settings				
C-PAP Settings				
Other _____				
Suction				
Oropharyngeal				
Nasopharyngeal				
Endotracheal				
Tracheotomy				
Trach Tube				
T-Piece				
Assisting with Intubation				
Assisting with Extubation				
Obtaining Arterial Blood Gases				
Radial Artery				
Brachial Artery				

	EXPERIENCE			
	NEVER PERFORMED	FAMILIAR WITH	EXPERIENCED IN	WELL SKILLED
	A	B	C	D
RESPIRATORY- Obtaining Arterial Blood Gases Continued				
Femoral Artery				
Arterial Line				
Set-Up				
Calibration				
Readings				
Interpretation of Blood Gases				
Assisting with Chest Tube Insertion				
Use of Chest Tube Drainage Systems				
Type_____				
Care of Patient with:				
Pulmonary Edema				
COPD				
ARDS				
Pneumothorax				
CARDIOVASCULAR				
Auscultating Heart Sounds				
Cardiac Monitoring				
Recognizing Arrhythmias				
Obtaining 12 Lead EKG's				
Cardiopulmonary Arrest - Resuscitation				
Cardioversion				
Defibrillation				
Assist with Insertion of Permanent Pacemaker				
Assist with Insertion of Temporary Pacemaker				
Transthoracic Pacemaker				
Transvenous Pacemaker				
Set-up and Use of CVP				
Interpretation of CVP Readings				
Set-up and Use of Swan Ganz Catheters				
Interpretation of Swan Ganz Readings				
Set-up and Use of Arterial Lines				
Obtaining Cardiac Outputs				
Care of the Patient with:				
Acute MI				
CHF				
Angina				
Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm				
Shock				
Hypovolemic				
Septic				
Cardiogenic				
Anaphylactic				

	EXPERIENCE			
	NEVER PERFORMED	FAMILIAR WITH	EXPERIENCED IN	WELL SKILLED
	A	B	C	D
Preparation/Administration of the Following Drugs:				
Atropine				
Bretylium				
Digitalis				
Dobutrex				
Dopamine				
Epinephrine				
Isuprel				
Levophed				
Lidocaine				
Nipride				
Sodium Bicarbonate				
Tridil (Nitroglycerine)				
Thrombolytic Therapy				
Blood & Blood Products				
Calculations In:				
MCG/KG/MIN				
MG/MIN				
MCG/MIN				
NEUROLOGICAL				
Neurological Assessments				
Monitoring Neuro Vital Signs				
Use of Glascow Coma Scale				
Observing for Increased Intracranial Pressure				
Seizure Precautions				
Assist with Lumbar Puncture				
Transport of Patient with Spinal Cord Injuries				
Care of Patient With:				
Acute Head Injury				
Acute T.I.A./C.V.A.				
Acute Spinal Cord Injury				
Calculation/Administration of the Following Drugs:				
Dilantin				
Phenobarbital				
Decadron				
Mannitol				
Solu-Medrol				
TRAUMA				
Air Transport of Trauma Patient				
Care of Patient with:				
Major Trauma				
Minor Trauma				
M.A.S.T. Suit				

	EXPERIENCE			
	A Never Performed	B Familiar With	C Experienced In	D Well Skilled
ENVIRONMENTAL - Care of Patient Continued				
Hyperthermia				
Heat Stroke				
Heat Exhaustion				
Snake Bite				
Administration of Antivenin				
Animal Bite				
Human Bite				
Poison Index				
ADDITIONAL EMERGENCY ROOM SKILLS				
Triage Procedures				
Procedure for Patient Signing AMA				
Consent for Treatment for Minor				
Disaster Protocols				
Care of Patient with AIDS				
Universal Precautions				
Isolation Procedures				
Assist with Peritoneal Lavage				
Interpretation of Lab Values				
Heparin/Saline Lock				
Initiating IV's				
Adult				
Pediatric				
MISCELLANEOUS INSTRUMENTS/TRAYS				
Pelvic Tray				
Cut Down Tray				
Procto Tray				
CVP Tray				
Trach Tray				
Culdocentesis Tray				
Thoracentesis Tray				

Signature: _____

Date: _____