



Emergency Dept Skills Checklist

This assessment is for determining your experience in the below outlined clinical areas. This checklist will not be used as a determining factor in accepting your application to become an employee of Freedom HCS.

PROFICIENCY SCALE

- 1. No Experience
- 2. Need Training
- 3. Able to perform with supervision
- 4. Able to perform independently

Proficiency Scale	1	2	3	4	Proficiency Scale	1	2	3	4
Respiratory					Emergency Medication Administration				
(High Pressure Alarm,Low Exhale Vol.)					Atropine				
Administer O2 (NC, mask)					Bicarbonate				
Assessment of Breath Sounds					Epinephrine				
Assist Needle Thoracostomy					Lidocaine				
Assist with Bronchoscopy					Streptokinase (Indication/Manage)				
Assist with Emergency Cric					TPA (Indication/Management)				
Assist with Emergency Trach									
Assist with Intubation					Infusion Medication Administration				
Care of Intubated Patient					Bretylium				
Draw Blood from Arterial Line					Dopamine				
Interpret Arterial Blood Gases					Insulin				
Nebulizer Set-up					Pronestyl				
Perform Arterial Puncture									
Pulse Oximetry					Infusion Therapy				
Rapid Sequence Induction					Blood/Blood Products Admin.				
Re-breather Mask					Discontinue Peripheral IV/Heplock				
Suctioning					Infusion Pump				
Troubleshoot Ventilator Problems					Insert Peripheral IV/Heplock				
Ventilate with Ambu-Bag					Syringe Pump				
Venturi Mask									
					Access/Care/Blood Draws:				
Care of Patient with:					Groshong				
Assess Resp. Complications					Hickman/Broviac				
Asthma					Implanted Ports				
Chest Injury					PICC/Midline				
Chest Tubes/Pleurevac					Venipuncture				
Pulmonary Edema									
					Assist with Insertion and Setup:				
Neurology					Arterial Lines				
Aneurysm Precautions					Autotransfuser				
Assist with Lumbar Puncture					Central Venous Catheter				

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Glasgow Coma Scale					Cutdown				
Identify Neuro Complications					External Pacemaker				
Neuro Assessment/Vital Signs					Intraosseous Infusions				
Seizure Precautions					Pericardiocentesis				
					Pulmonary Artery Catheter				
Care of Patient with:					Temporary Transvenous Pacer				
Acute CVA									
Acute Spinal Cord Injury					Gastrointestinal				
CNS Infections					Assess Abd & Bowel Sounds				
Halo Traction/Cervical Tongs					Gastric Lavage				
Increased ICP					Identification of Abnormalities				
Open/Closed Head Injury					Insert/Maintain EWAL Tube				
					Insert/Maintain NG Tubes				
Cardiac					NG Meds (Activated Charcoal)				
Assessment of Heart Sounds									
Assist with Arrest/Resuscitation					Care of Patient with:				
Automatic External Defib (AED)					Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm				
Basic 12-Lead Interpretation					Acute Pancreatitis				
Defibrillation/Cardioversion					Drug Overdose/DT's				
Identify Lethal Dysrhythmias					Gastrostomy/Jejunostomy Tube				
Perform 12-Lead EKG					GI Bleed				
Place Cardiac Monitor/Telemetry					Open Abd Wound/Incision				
Troubleshoot Monitor/Telemetry									
					Care of Patient with:				
Care of Patient with:					Assist with:				
Acute MI					Chemical Burn				
Anaphylactic Shock					Chest Tube Insertion				
Aneurysm					Diagnostic Peritoneal Lavage				
Angina					Electrical Burn				
Automatic Implanted Defibrillation					Thermal Burn				
Cardiogenic Shock					Thoracotomy				
Congestive Heart Failure									
Heart Transplant					Integumentary				
Hypovolemic Shock					Local Anesthetics				
Permanent Pacemaker					Suture Setup & Assist				
Septic Shock					Tetanus Prophylaxis				
Temporary Pacemaker					Venomous Bites				
					Wound Assess & Dressings				
Musculoskeletal					Wound Cultures				
Assist with Cast Application					Wound Irrigation				



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Assist with External Fixation Pins					Other				
Assist with Nerve Blocks					Advance Directives				
Cast Removal					Aware of COBRA Legislation				
Fit/Instruct Crutch Walking					Aware of Consent Procedures				
Ice Bag Application					Crisis Intervention				
Immobilization & Splinting					Emergency Pre-Operative Prep				
					Isolation Techniques				
Genito-Urinary					Postmortem Care				
Assist with Sexual Assault Exam					Triage Procedure				
Evidence Collection/Documentation									
Insertion of Female Catheter					Care of Patient with:				
Insertion of Male Catheter					AIDS				
Setup/Assist with Vaginal Exam					Bone Marrow Transplant				
					Chemotherapy				
Knowledge of Procedure					Ketoacidosis				
Assist with Suction Curettage					Liver Transplant				
Care of Newborn					Oncology				
Eval of Abd Pain					Psychiatric Issues				
GYN History/Prenatal Assess									
Precipitous Delivery					Ear-Nose-Throat (ENT)				
Spontaneous AB					Ear Irrigations				
					Epistaxis				
Trauma Care					Eye Irrigations				
Blunt Abdominal Trauma					Remove Contact Lens				
Blunt Chest Trauma					Visual Acuity				
Frostbite									
Gunshot Wound					Pediatrics				
Hypothermia					Care of Febrile Patient				
MAST Suit					Legal Principles re: Child Abuse				
Pediatric Trauma Score					Principles of Growth & Development				
Primary Survey					Vital Signs/Normal Values for Age				
Principles of C-Spine Immobilization									
Principles of Fluid Resuscitation					Renal-Care of Patient with				
Principles of Fluid Resuscitation					Acute Renal Failure				
Secondary Survey					Chronic Renal Failure				
Stab Wound					Hemodialysis				
Trauma Assessment					Peritoneal Dialysis				
Trauma Score					Renal Transplant				
Use of Backboard									
Use of Philadelphia Collar									



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					Application & Assistance				
					Ace Wraps				
					Clavicle Strap				
					Posterior Splint				
					Shoulder immobilizer				

Years ED Experience _____ Level 1 _____ Level 2 _____ Level 3 _____

Age Specific Competency

Able to ensure a safe and caring environment for the specific age groups indicated below; able to communicate and instruct patients from various age groups; able to evaluate age-appropriate behavior and skills.

PROFICIENCY SCALE	1	2	3	4
Newborn (birth-30 days)				
Infant (30 days-1 yrs)				
Toddler (1-3 yrs)				
Preschooler (3-5 yrs)				
School Age (5-12 yrs)				
Adolescents (12-18 yrs)				
Young Adults (18-39 yrs)				
Middle Adults (39-64 yrs)				
Older Adults (64 yrs +)				

The information represented above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also authorize **Freedom** Healthcare Staffing to share the above skills checklist with its hospital clients.

Signature _____ Date _____

Name (Printed) _____