

ORAL GLUCOSE ADMINISTRATION

Candidate: _____ Examiner: _____

Pass

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Fail

Time Start: _____ Time Limit: 5 min	Points Possible	Points Awarded
Takes, or verbalizes, body substance isolation precautions	1	
Performs initial assessment, establishes and maintains an open airway	2	
Assures signs and symptoms of altered mental status with known history of diabetes (look for medical identification tag)	2	
Determines last meal / oral intake, medication dose, and any related illness	3	
Obtains baseline vital signs	1	
Determines if patient is awake enough to swallow	1	
Obtains order from medical direction to administer medication Either on-line or off-line	1	
Connects rigid suction catheter to suction and ensures equipment is readily available	1	
Confirms medication name and expiration date	2	
Places glucose gel onto a tongue depressor	1	
Places tongue depressor between the patient's cheek and gum	1	
Performs ongoing assessment, reassessing and recording vital signs and patient's response to treatment	3	
Records name, dose, route, time, and results of medication administration	1	
Time End: _____ Minimum Score: 16 Total:	20	

Critical Criteria

- _____ Did not take, or verbalize, body substance isolation precautions
- _____ Did not perform initial assessment before medication administration
- _____ Did not confirm diabetic history
- _____ Did not obtain on-line or off-line medical direction
- _____ Did not confirm patient is awake enough to swallow
- _____ Did not confirm drug and expiration date before administration
- _____ Did not reassess patient after medication administration
- _____ Did not properly record the medication administration