

ACTIVATED CHARCOAL 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	
Obtains order from medical direction to administer medication Either on-line or off-line	1	
Assures right medication, right patient, right route, and patient alert enough to swallow	1	
Checks the expiration date of the medication	1	
Shakes the container thoroughly	1	
Persuades the patient to drink the medication. Provide a covered container and straw to prevent the patient from seeing the medication and improve patient compliance, if necessary	1	
Reshakes the medication if necessary (if patient does not drink immediately)	1	
Record the name, dose, route, time, and results of administration of the medication	1	
Time End: _____ Minimum Score: 7 Total:	8	

Critical Criteria

- _____ Did not take, or verbalize, body substance isolation precautions
- _____ Did not obtain on-line or off-line medical direction
- _____ Did not confirm drug and expiration date before administration
- _____ Did not administer the correct dose
- _____ Did not shake the medication
- _____ Did not confirm patient is awake enough to swallow
- _____ Did not properly record the medication administration