



**National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians
Advanced Level Practical Examination
PATIENT ASSESSMENT/MANAGEMENT**

Candidate: _____ Examiner: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Scenario # _____ Time Start: _____ Time End: _____

		Possible Points	Points Awarded
PRIMARY SURVEY/RESUSCITATION			
Takes or verbalizes infection control precautions		1	
Airway with C-Spine Control	Takes or directs manual in-line immobilization of head (1 point) Opens and assesses airway (1 point) Inserts adjunct (1 point)	3	
Breathing	Assesses breathing (1 point) Initiates appropriate oxygen therapy (1 point) Assures adequate ventilation of patient (1 point) Manages any injury which may compromise breathing/ventilation (1 point)	4	
Circulation	Checks pulse (1 point) Assesses peripheral perfusion (1 point) [checks either skin color, temperature, or capillary refill] Assesses for and controls major bleeding if present (1 point) Takes vital signs (1 point) Verbalizes application of or consideration for PASG (1 point) [candidate must assess body parts to be enclosed prior to application]	5	
	Volume replacement [usually deferred until patient loaded] - Initiates first IV line (1 point) - Initiates second IV line (1 point) - Selects appropriate catheters (1 point) - Selects appropriate IV solutions and administration sets (1 point) - Infuses at appropriate rate (1 point)	5	
Disability	Performs mini-neuro assessment: AVPU (1 point) Applies cervical collar (1 point)	2	
Expose	Removes clothing	1	
Status	Calls for immediate transport of the patient when indicated	1	

PRIMARY SURVEY/RESUSCITATION SUB-TOTAL 22

SECONDARY SURVEY			
NOTE: Areas denoted by "*" may be integrated within sequence of Primary Survey			
Head	Inspects mouth**, nose**, and assesses facial area (1 point) Inspects and palpates scalp and ears (1 point) Checks eyes: PEARRL** (1 point)	3	
Neck**	Checks position of trachea (1 point) Checks jugular veins (1 point) Palpates cervical spine (1 point)	3	
Chest**	Inspects chest (1 point) Palpates chest (1 point) Auscultates chest (1 point)	3	
Abdomen/Pelvis**	Inspects and palpates abdomen (1 point) Assesses pelvis (1 point)	2	
Lower Extremities**	Inspects and palpates left leg (1 point) Inspects and palpates right leg (1 point) Checks motor, sensory, and distal circulation (1 point/leg)	4	
Upper Extremities	Inspects and palpates left arm (1 point) Inspects and palpates right arm (1 point) Checks motor, sensory, and distal circulation (1 point/arm)	4	
Posterior Thorax/Lumbar** and Buttocks	Inspects and palpates posterior thorax (1 point) Inspects and palpates lumbar and buttocks area (1 point)	2	
Identifies and treats minor wounds/fractures appropriately (1 point each)		2	

SECONDARY SURVEY SUB-TOTAL 23

CRITICAL CRITERIA

- ___ Failure to initiate or call for transport of the patient within 10 minute time limit
- ___ Failure to take or verbalize infection control precautions
- ___ Failure to immediately establish and maintain spinal protection
- ___ Failure to provide high concentration of oxygen
- ___ Failure to evaluate and find all presented conditions of airway, breathing, and circulation (shock)
- ___ Failure to appropriately manage/provide airway, breathing, hemorrhage control or treatment for shock
- ___ Failure to differentiate patient's needing transportation versus continued on-scene survey
- ___ Does other detailed physical examination before assessing & treating threats to airway, breathing & circulation

You must factually document your rationale for checking any of the above critical items on the reverse side of this form.