



Intranasal Naloxone Administration Skills Sheet

Candidate: _____ Evaluator: _____

Candidate Signature: _____ Evaluator Signature: _____

Date: _____ Start Time: _____ End Time: _____ Pass: _____ Fail: _____

	Possible	Earned
Takes or verbalizes standard precautions	1	
Verbalizes assessment(s) and need for medication	1	
Lists indications for nasal naloxone: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decreased level of consciousness (BG>60) • Respiratory depression • Constricted pupils 	1 1 1	
Checks for known allergies	1	
Checks for relative contraindications criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cardiopulmonary arrest • Opioid dependence • Physician prescribed narcotic therapy • Evidence of nasal trauma, nasal obstruction, and/or epistaxis 	1 1 1 1	
Checks medication to determine: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Correct medication • Expiration date • Concentration (2mg/2ml) • Clarity 	1 1 1 1	
Verbalizes appropriate dose of medication(2.0mg adult & 1.0mg pediatric)	1	
Properly administers the medication: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assembles Mucosal Atomization Device to prefilled syringe • Inserts MAD into left nostril and inject 1mg (0.5mg pediatric) • Inserts MAD into right nostril and inject 1mg (0.5mg pediatric) 	1 1 1	
Verbalizes need for ongoing assessments including observing for desired effects	1	
Verbalizes indication, dose, and time frame for additional administration (5 min)	1	
Verbalizes need for transport	1	
Verbalizes proper documentation of administration	1	
Passing Score: 19	22	

Critical Criteria:

- _____ Did not take or verbalize Standard Precautions
- _____ Did not complete or verbalize patient assessment at both beginning and end
- _____ Did not check allergies
- _____ Incorrect administration (wrong Medication/concentration, expired, wrong dose, did not split between nostrils)
- _____ Did not use aseptic technique