



Staff Relief Inc.

Critical Care Skills Checklist

Applicant Full Legal Name (please print): _____

The following checklist is a profile used to assess your clinical efficiency and assist in matching your skills with available assignments. Your employment is not dependent upon responses given in this checklist. Please rate your ability as accurately as possible by circling the appropriate number.

The information given below is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Cardiac

- Arrhythmia.....1 2 3 4
- Arterial Line.....1 2 3 4
- Assist with Central Line Insertion1 2 3 4
- Assist with Sheath Removal (A/V).....1 2 3 4
- Automatic Internal Cardiac Defib (AICD)1 2 3 4
- Basic 12-Lead EKG Interpretation1 2 3 4
- Cardiac Arrest/CPR1 2 3 4

Care of Patient with:

- Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm.....1 2 3 4
- Acute MI/U Unstable Angina1 2 3 4
- Cardiogenic/Hypovolemic Shock.....1 2 3 4
- CHF.....1 2 3 4
- Heart Transplant.....1 2 3 4
- MAST Suit/Rotating Tourniquets1 2 3 4
- Pre/Post Cardiac Surgery1 2 3 4
- Pre/Post PTCA.....1 2 3 4
- Thrombolytic Therapy1 2 3 4
- Ventricular Assist Device (RVAD/LVAD)1 2 3 4
- Defibrillation/Cardioversion1 2 3 4
- Hemodynamic Monitoring Interpretation1 2 3 4
- Intra Aortic Balloon Pump.....1 2 3 4
 - Cardizem.....1 2 3 4
 - Heparin.....1 2 3 4

Management and Titration of:

- Inocur1 2 3 4
- Isuprel1 2 3 4
- Morphine.....1 2 3 4
- Nipride1 2 3 4
- Nitroglycerine1 2 3 4
- Pacemakers1 2 3 4
 - External.....1 2 3 4
 - Permanent1 2 3 4
 - Temporary.....1 2 3 4
- Problem Solve PA
 - Catheter Complications.....1 2 3 4
- Sheath Removal – Femoral.....1 2 3 4
- SVO2 Monitoring1 2 3 4
- Swan Ganz/Pulmonary Artery Catheter.....1 2 3 4
- Tansducer Set-Up and D/C1 2 3 4
- Use and Administration of
 - Atropine1 2 3 4
 - Bicarbonate1 2 3 4
 - Bretyllium1 2 3 4
 - Digoxin1 2 3 4
 - Dobutamine.....1 2 3 4
 - Dopamine.....1 2 3 4
 - Epinephrine.....1 2 3 4
 - Levophed.....1 2 3 4



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Cardiac (cont.)

Use and Administration of:

- Lidocaine.....1 2 3 4
- Pronestyl1 2 3 4

GU Irrigation (Continuous/Intermittent).....1 2 3 4

Hemodialysis.....1 2 3 4

Peritoneal Dialysis1 2 3 4

Gastrointestinal

Assessment of Bowel Sounds1 2 3 4

Care of Patient with:

- Bowel Obstruction1 2 3 4
- ERCP.....1 2 3 4
- GI Bleed1 2 3 4
- Liver Transplant.....1 2 3 4
- Pancreatitis1 2 3 4
- TPN1 2 3 4
- Tube Feedings1 2 3 4
- Whipple Procedure.....1 2 3 4
- Enterostomal Care.....1 2 3 4
- Gastrostomy/Jejunostomy Tubes1 2 3 4
- NG Tube Insertion1 2 3 4

Miscellaneous

- Accu-check1 2 3 4
- Chemotherapy1 2 3 4
- Conscious Sedation.....1 2 3 4
- Diabetic Teaching1 2 3 4
- HIV/AIDS1 2 3 4
- Hyperbaric Oxygenation.....1 2 3 4
- Isolation Techniques1 2 3 4
- Obtaining Cultures1 2 3 4
- Pain Management.....1 2 3 4
- PCA Pumps.....1 2 3 4
- Pyxis.....1 2 3 4
- Use of Restraints1 2 3 4

Genitourinary/Renal

Care of Patient with:

- Ileal Conduit.....1 2 3 4
- Nephrostomy/Suprapubic Tubes.....1 2 3 4
- Renal Failure (Acute/Chronic).....1 2 3 4
- Renal Transplant1 2 3 4
- Shunts/Fistulas1 2 3 4
- TURP1 2 3 4
- CAVH Dialysis1 2 3 4
- Electrolyte Imbalance/Replacement1 2 3 4
- Foley Catheter Insertion.....1 2 3 4

Neurological

Assist with Lumbar Procedure

Care of Patient with:

- CNS Infections.....1 2 3 4
- Coma.....1 2 3 4
- Crutchfield Tongs1 2 3 4
- CVA1 2 3 4
- Halo Traction1 2 3 4
- Neuro Injury/Trauma1 2 3 4
- Overdose1 2 3 4
- Pre/Post Neuro Surgery.....1 2 3 4
- Seizure Activity1 2 3 4



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Neurological (cont.)

Care of Patient with:

- Spinal Cord Injury.....1 2 3 4
- Ventriculostomy.....1 2 3 4
- Epidural Medication Administration1 2 3 4
- Glascow Coma Scale1 2 3 4
- Identify & Intervene During Complications
(eg. CSF Leak, Clor, Herniation)1 2 3 4
- Increased ICP Management1 2 3 4
(eg. Positioning, Temperature Regulation
& Medication)
- Intra-cranial Pressure Monitoring1 2 3 4
- Perform Neuro Assessment.....1 2 3 4
- Seizure Precautions1 2 3 4
- Use of Stryker Frame1 2 3 4

Pulmonary

Assess Lung Sounds

Assist with:

- Chest Tube Insertion/Set-up/Removal..1 2 3 4
- Extubation.....1 2 3 4
- Intubation1 2 3 4
- Thoracentesis1 2 3 4

Care of Patient with:

- ARDS.....1 2 3 4
- Chest Tubes (Pleuro-Evac)1 2 3 4
- COPD.....1 2 3 4
- Inhalation Injuries1 2 3 4
- Pneumonia.....1 2 3 4
- Pre/Post Throacic Surgery1 2 3 4
- Pulmonary Edema.....1 2 3 4
- Pulmonary Embolism.....1 2 3 4

Care of Patient with:

- Tracheostomy.....1 2 3 4
- Ventilator1 2 3 4
- Weaning Parameters
(Pressure Support, CPAP).....1 2 3 4
- Establish an Airway
- Identify & Intervene Respiratory Complications
(eg. Tension Pneumothorax, Aspiration,
Pulmonary Edema, Laryngospasm)1 2 3 4
- Incentive Spirometry.....1 2 3 4
- Interpret ABG Results.....1 2 3 4
- O2 Therapy Administration1 2 3 4
- Obtain ABG From A-Line1 2 3 4
- Problem Solve Ventilation Complications..1 2 3 4
(eg. High Pressure Alarm, Low Exhale Volume)
- Pulse Oximetry.....1 2 3 4
- Use and Administration of:
- Amiaophylline.....1 2 3 4
- Caristeriods1 2 3 4
- Nebulizer Treatments.....1 2 3 4

Vascular

- Administration of Blood/Blood Products ...1 2 3 4
- Central Line Maintenance.....1 2 3 4
- Hickman/Broviac/Groshong Catheter.....1 2 3 4
- Infusion Pumps1 2 3 4
- Normal Serum Lab Values.....1 2 3 4
- Peripheral Pulses1 2 3 4
- Start IVs1 2 3 4
- Ultrasonic Doppler Use.....1 2 3 4



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Types of Critical Work

<u>Units Worked</u>	<u>Years Experience</u>
Burn	_____
Cardiothoracic	_____
Coronary Care	_____
Medical	_____
Neuro	_____
Recovery Room	_____
Step Down	_____
Surgical	_____
Trauma	_____
Total Number of Years Experience in Critical Care Nursing	_____

Certifications Expiration

<input type="checkbox"/> ACLS	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> BCLS	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CCRN	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> CNRN	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> TNCC	_____

Equipment Experience

Please list all brands of equipment you have used:
Ventilators

Infusion

Cardiac Monitors

Other Monitors (APNEA, etc.)

List Courses for Critical Care

List Courses for Arrhythmias

Additional Skills

Please list any additional experience or skills that
have not been included above

