

**Emergency Medical Technician**

**NEUROLOGICAL EXAM**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

	Points Possible	Points Earned
<b>EXAMINATION STEPS AND PROCEDURES</b>		
Takes or verbalizes body substance isolation precautions	1	
<b>Cervical Spine Immobilization:</b>		
Indicate that this would be done now if not done earlier (as needed)	1	
<b>Assess Level of Consciousness (LOC):</b>		
<b>If Awake and Alert: (ask the patient)</b>		
1) What is your name?	1	
2) What happened?	1	
3) Where are you?	1	
4) What time or day is it?	1	
<b>If NOT Alert: (determine if patient responds to the following)</b>		
V) Verbal stimuli	1	
P) Palpation	1	
P) Painful stimuli	1	
U) Unconscious	1	
<b>Assess Pupils:</b>		
Check for size	1	
Check for equality	1	
Check for reactivity to light	1	
<b>Assess for Distal Perfusion, Movement, Sensation, and Capillary Refill: (PMSC)</b>		
<b>Upper Extremities:</b>		
• Assess for distal pulses (presence and equality)	1	
• Assess for distal movement in fingers	1	
• Assess for distal sensation in fingers	1	
• Assess for distal capillary refill in nail beds	1	
<b>Lower Extremities:</b>		
• Assess for distal pulses (presence and equality)	1	
• Assess for distal movement in toes	1	
• Assess for distal sensation in toes	1	
• Assess for distal capillary refill in nail beds	1	
<b>Describe Findings Verbally:</b>		
Level of Consciousness	1	
Pupils	1	
Distal perfusion, movement, sensation, capillary refill	1	
<b>Glascow Coma Scale:</b>		
Verbalize that a rating will be assigned to the patient by the paramedics	1	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>25</b>	

*Minimum Points: 20*

**CRITICAL CRITERIA**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Did not take or verbalize body substance isolation precautions
- \_\_\_\_\_ Did not assess level of consciousness
- \_\_\_\_\_ Did not assess pupils
- \_\_\_\_\_ Did not assess distal perfusion, movement, sensation, capillary refill in extremities
- \_\_\_\_\_ Did not verbalize findings to the instructor

\_\_\_\_\_ **PASS**      \_\_\_\_\_ **FAIL**                      Instructor \_\_\_\_\_