

#43 - DISCONTINUING IV THERAPY**(TEST-Complete in Hospital Clinical)**

I acknowledge I have physically practiced and successfully learned the following skill(s):

Student: _____ Date: _____

	P1	P2	TEST	Points/ Comments
1. Verified the health care provider's orders.				*
2. Gathered the necessary equipment and supplies.				*
3. Performed hand hygiene.				*
4. Provided for the patient's privacy.				*
5. Introduced self to the patient and family				*
6. Identified the patient using two identifiers. Compared the identifiers in the MAR/medical record with information on the patient's identification bracelet, and/or asked the patient to state his or her name.				*
7. Explained the procedure to the patient before removing the catheter. Instructed him or her to hold the affected extremity still.				2
8. Turned the IV tubing roller clamp to the "off" position, or turned the electronic infusion device off and the roller clamp to the "off" position.				1
9. Performed hand hygiene, and applied clean gloves.				*
10. Carefully removed the IV site dressing and stabilized the IV device. Removed the tape securing the extension set.				2
11. Placed clean sterile gauze above the insertion site, and withdrew the catheter using a slow, steady motion. Kept the hub parallel to the skin.				1
12. Applied pressure to the site for a minimum of 30 seconds until bleeding had stopped. Applied pressure for at least 5 to 10 minutes on the site if the patient was on anticoagulant therapy.				2
13. Inspected the catheter for intactness after removal; noted the integrity and length of the catheter tip.				1
14. Watched for complications.				1
15. Applied a sterile, folded gauze dressing over the insertion site, and secured it				1

with tape.

16. Discarded the IV catheter in the sharps container.			*
17. Discarded used supplies, removed gloves, and performed hand hygiene.			*
18. Helped the patient into a comfortable position, and placed toiletries and personal items within reach.			1
19. Placed the call light within easy reach, and made sure the patient knew how to use it to summon assistance.			*
20. Raised the appropriate number of side rails and lowered the bed to the lowest position. Ensured bed wheels were locked			*
21. Left the patient's room tidy.			1
22. Documented and reported the patient's response and expected or unexpected outcomes.			*

S = Satisfactory **U** = Unsatisfactory **NP** = Not Performed *****=Must Perform to Pass

TOTAL POINTS _____ / **13** _____

% _____

PASS _____

FAIL _____

Instructor: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / _____

By signing below I acknowledge that I witnessed the skill performed and the student successfully passed the skill.

Practice 1: Evaluator: _____ Signature: _____

Practice 2: Evaluator: _____ Signature: _____

FINAL Student Evaluator: _____ Signature: _____

TIME	INTERDISCIPLINARY NOTES