

PATIENT POSITIONING

Student Name _____

Date _____

| | Points Possible | Points Earned |
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| EXAMINATION STEPS AND PROCEDURES | | |
| Takes or verbalizes body substance isolation precautions | 1 | |
| Supine: | | |
| Patient is lying on back | 1 | |
| Prone: | | |
| Patient is lying on stomach | 1 | |
| Recovery Position: | | |
| Patient is lying on side (preferably left side) | 1 | |
| Fowler's Position: | | |
| Patient is in the sitting position (legs may be straight out or bent) | 1 | |
| Semi-Fowler's Position: | | |
| Patient is leaning back in a semi-sitting position (legs may be straight out or bent) | 1 | |
| Trendelenburg (Shock) Position: | | |
| Patient is lying on back with legs elevated | 1 | |
| Patient is lying on back with head slightly lower than feet | 1 | |
| Reverse-Trendelenburg Position: | | |
| Patient is lying on back with head raised slightly higher than feet | 1 | |
| TOTAL | 9 | |

Minimum Points: 7

CRITICAL CRITERIA

- _____ Did not take or verbalize body substance isolation precautions
- _____ Did not verbalize all definitions of patient positioning

_____ **PASS** _____ **FAIL**

Instructor _____