BAG-VALVE-MASK VENTILATION

NAME:

	Completed	Not Completed
1. Check that all necessary equipment is available (must state)		
• Oxygen, ambu bag, oral and nasal airways, suction,		
stethoscope		
2. Confirms correct patient (student states)		
3. Wash hands		
4. Put on gloves		
5. Chooses appropriate sized mask (not in patient's eyes and		
lower portion rests between lower lip and chin).		
6. Attaches Oxygen with tubing and adjusts regulator to maximum flow, 15 liters.		
7. Checks patient's mouth for foreign material and/or small or		
ill-fitting dental devices.		
8. Head-tilt, chin-lift performed.		
9. Head positioned – (one-handed technique) to fit and seal the		
bag against the face.		
Proper hand placement: thumb and index finger		
on body of mask, 3 rd and 4 th digits on jawbone, 5 th		
digit at the angle of the jaw		
Little or no pressure to the sub-mandibular soft		
tissue		
10. Head positioned – (two-handed technique) to fit and seal the		
bag against the face.		
 Assessor would need to squeeze the bag for 		
student		
Proper hand placements: thumbs and index fingers		
on the body of the mask, 3 rd and 4 th digits on		
jawbone, 5 th digit at the angle of the jaw.		
Little or no pressure to the sub-mandibular soft		
tissue		
11. Assessor prompt "What needs to be checked now?"		
Correct response "Look for chest rise, listen for breath		
sounds, check for CO2 trace if inline capnography		
available. Listen for air leak around the mask and adjust		
for good seal as necessary. If chest is not rising consider		
need for jaw thrust and/or oral/nasal airway" (can state,		
does not need to do).		
12. Documents procedure in patient's chart (examinee can state		
this) including indication for BVM ventilation, if one or two		
person, time, response to ventilation, complications		

RESULT (CHECK ONE): SATISFACTORY_____ REQUIRES ADDITIONAL TRAINING______

EXAMINER NAME:_____