

## IV INSERTION

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

	<b>Completed</b>	<b>Not Completed</b>
1. Confirms correct patient (student states)		
2. Obtain informed consent <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Indication for IV</li> <li>• Complications – pain, bleeding, nerve damage, fainting</li> </ul>		
3. Check that all necessary equipment is available		
4. Flush saline lock		
5. Wash hands		
6. Apply tourniquet.		
7. Identify insertion site		
8. Put on gloves		
9. Clean insertion point. Must use at least 3 wipes with swab.		
10. Insert needle superficially with bevel side up; with flashback of blood advances the catheter over the needle.		
11. Remove tourniquet to release pressure on vein.		
12. Using one finger to put pressure at the end of the catheter to stop blood flow, removed the needle. (if using needleless device, retracted the needle first).		
13. Disposed of needle in Sharps container <u>without</u> recapping.		
14. Attach saline lock.		
15. Flush IV with saline to ensure patency.		
16. Thoroughly secure cannula with tape.		
17. Documents procedure in patient's chart (examinee can state this) including location of IV and any complications.		
18. Patient comfort was priority		
19. Maintained sterility appropriately throughout the procedure.		

**RESULT (CHECK ONE):**    **SATISFACTORY** \_\_\_\_\_    **REQUIRES ADDITIONAL TRAINING** \_\_\_\_\_

**EXAMINER NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_