

Community College of Aurora
Practical Exam Skill Sheet
Joint Immobilization

Modeled after the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians Practical Examination

Student name: _____ Date: _____

Examiner: _____ Signature: _____

	Possible Points	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes body substance isolation precautions	1	
Directs application of manual stabilization	1	
Assesses motor, sensory, and distal circulation	1	
<i>Note: The examiner acknowledges present and normal</i>		
Selects proper splinting material	1	
Immobilizes the site of the injury	1	
Immobilizes the joint above the injury site	1	
Immobilizes the joint below the injury site	1	
Reassesses motor, sensory, and distal circulation	1	
<i>Note: The examiner acknowledges present and normal</i>		
Total	8	
CRITICAL CRITERIA		
	Did not support the joint so that the joint did not bear distal weight	
	Did not immobilize bone above and below the injured joint	
	Did not assess motor, sensory, and distal circulation before and after splinting	

You must factually document your rational for checking any of the above critical items on the reverse side of this form.