



## Competency Checklist

<b>Date:</b>	
<b>Employee Name:</b>	
<b>Preceptor/Evaluator's Name</b>	
<b>Competency:</b>	<b>Intradermal Injection</b>

### INDICATORS OF PERFORMANCE LEVEL SUMMARY

How Met		Level of Competency	
O	Direct Observation/Return Demonstration	1	Below expected standards
V	Verbalization/Discussion	2	Fully meets standards
T	Test	3	Well above standards. May precept peers
NA	Not applicable		

If overall performance or competency is rated below the minimum competency level of 2, that performance or competency must be reassessed within 30 days of this review.

The employee demonstrates skills and competence in the following:	How Met	Level of Competency 1 2 3	Evaluated by:
Gather all necessary supplies including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medication</li> <li>• Gauze</li> <li>• Gloves</li> <li>• Unit dose(1ml) tuberculin syringe with 1/4-1/8 in 27- gauge needle</li> <li>• Pen to mark the site</li> </ul>			
Introduce self, identify patient with ID band and explain procedure			
Follows standard precautions, washes hands according to CDC guidelines and wear gloves			
Select lesion free injection site on undersurface, upper third of forearm for skin testing			
Cleanse area with antimicrobial wipe and allow to air dry			
Remove needle guard			
Grasp the client's dorsal forearm to gently pull the skin taut on ventral forearm			
Holding syringe almost parallel to skin, insert needle at a 10-15 degree angle with bevel facing up, about 1/8 inch. Needle point should be visible under skin. DO NOT ASPIRATE			
Inject medication slowly, observing for a wheal (blister) formation and blanching at the site.			
Withdraw needle at same angle as inserted. DO NOT MASSAGE SITE			
Activate needle safety feature and discard syringe unit in puncture proof container			
Mark injection site with pen for future assessment			
Return client to comfortable and safe position			
Dispose of gloves and perform hand hygiene			

Record site and antigen in client's record			
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- Employee is competent to perform the above tasks independently and without supervision
- Employee's level of competence is below 2. Reassess competency on: \_\_\_\_\_

Employee's Signature	
Evaluator's Signature	