

APPENDIX D: NURSING SKILLS CHECKLIST FOR CLINICAL ROTATION

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| CASUALTY CARE | DATE | PRECEPTOR INITIALS |
| Perform head-to-toe assessment | | |
| Monitor vital signs (BP, pulse, respirations, temperature) | | |
| Perform finger stick blood sugar | | |
| Provide appropriate padding to bony protrusions to prevent pressure sores | | |
| Perform proper casualty positioning/body alignment/casualty turning | | |
| Bed-making (unoccupied/ occupied) | | |
| Bathing (conscious/unconscious casualty) | | |
| Review casualty “packaging” for transport | | |
| Isolation Procedures <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donning and Doffing of PPE | | |
| Postmortem Care | | |
| NEUROLOGICAL | DATE | PRECEPTOR INITIALS |
| Perform neuro exam | | |
| AVPU assessment | | |
| Pupil assessment | | |
| Glasgow Coma Scale | | |
| TBI/cerebral assessment | | |
| TBI/cerebral edema interventions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elevate the head of bed • Neck in neutral position to decrease ICP • Hypertonic solution (3%NaCl v. Sodium Bicarbonate) | | |
| RESPIRATORY | DATE | PRECEPTOR INITIALS |
| Auscultate lung sounds | | |
| Assess airway (open v. occluded) | | |
| Airway positioning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jaw thrust • Head-tilt, chin-lift • NPA | | |
| General mouth care, teeth brushing | | |
| Oral suctioning/ care | | |
| Endotracheal suctioning/ care | | |