

## Procedure Competency Assessment Tool – Anoscopy

Provider: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Procedure: [  ] 46600 Diagnostic Anoscopy [  ] Other: \_\_\_\_\_

How many of this procedure have you completed thus far? \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle the descriptor corresponding to the candidate's performance in each category, **irrespective of the training level.**

### Context of Examination:

Novice	Competent	Expert
Not sure of the patient's history or indications for the test	Understands the general indications and clinical value of test; able to explain to patient	Clearly articulates the indications, clinical value, limitations, and implications of the test to patient

### Knowledge of Specific Procedure:

Novice	Competent	Expert
Deficient knowledge; unable to articulate procedure steps	Able to articulate all important steps of procedure	Demonstrates familiarity with all aspects of procedure

### Procedure Setup:

Novice	Competent	Expert
Does not gather required supplies, poor patient positioning, or does not properly identify landmarks	Gathers key instruments and supplies; properly positions patient; identifies landmarks	Anticipates supplies needed for unexpected complications; ergonomic setup of all instruments and supplies

### Flow of Procedure:

Novice	Competent	Expert
Frequently stops procedure and seems unsure of next move	Demonstrates some forward planning with reasonable progression of procedure	Obviously plans course of procedure with effortless flow from one move to the next

### Anoscope Handling:

Novice	Competent	Expert
Repeatedly makes tentative or awkward moves with improper use of speculum; inadequate visualization	Competent use of anoscope without direction, but occasionally appears stiff, awkward or uncertain; adequate visualization of key structures	Fluid moves without awkwardness; comfortable with application and extraction

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**Recognition of Key Findings:**

Novice	Competent	Expert
Has difficulty identifying any of the key structures or findings: pectinate line, mucosal lesions, vasculature, hemorrhoids, fissures	Able to identify key all key structures or findings, including: pectinate line, mucosal lesions, vasculature, hemorrhoids, fissures	Rapidly and accurately identifies all key structures and findings

**Collection of Specimen (Anorectal Cytology): [ ] Not Applicable**

Novice	Competent	Expert
Unsure of how to collect or where to collect from; unsure what to place specimen in	Properly collected specimen	Smooth collection of specimen without incident

**Patient Comfort:**

Novice	Competent	Expert
Unresponsive to patient discomfort; does not seek patient feedback regarding comfort	Seeks patient feedback; recognizes patient discomfort; alters technique as needed to reduce discomfort	Anticipates sources of discomfort and eliminates them to ensure maximal comfort

**Overall on this task did the provider demonstrate competency to perform this procedure independently?**

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments:**

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**Attending Name (Print):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature/Date:** \_\_\_\_\_