

Accu-Chek Performa Meter Competency Checklist

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COMPETENCY	Trainer Initials	Trainee Initials
Identifies meter components <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Able to press power button and check status Understands meter turns on when strip inserted into meter Checks battery status and knows how to change battery 		
Understands storage requirements of QC and test strips		
Demonstrates QC testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aware to write opening date on QC vials; Discard 3 months after opening Inverts vial to mix, wipes tip & discards first drop Inserts strip into meter correctly Waits for meter directions before applying QC solution Applies solution to the front edge of the test strip Explains corrective action when QC FAILS 		
Demonstrates patient testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understands skin puncture process and supplies knows acceptable sample types Simulates patient testing/strip in meter before applying blood Understands to discard first drop of blood and use second drop for testing Explains critical values and follow up actions Knows to document results immediately on patient chart to prevent errors 		
Understands cleaning frequency & drying technique		
Passes Performa Quiz		

Employee Signature:	Date:
Instructor Signature:	Date: