

**TUFTS MEDICINE CARE AT HOME
CLINICAL TEAM COMPETENCY
CoaguChek XS System**

EMPLOYEE _____

STAFF POSITION _____

Date _____

COMPETENCY STATEMENT: RN and LPN will verbalize and demonstrate ability to perform a CoaguChek XS System test.

Disciplines Involved: RN & LPN Clinical Staff

Performance Criteria	Date	*Method of Assessment (√ all that apply)										Skill met (M) or unmet (U)
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
User assembles CoaguChek XS Meter and Test Strips				X								
Verbalizes when coding is needed, turning meter off before inserting or removing code chip, remove old code chip if one is installed, and insert a new code chip until it snaps into place.					X							
Verbalizes washing hands and putting on disposable gloves, properly prepares lancet device, turns meter on, inserts test strip, obtains blood sample correctly, applies blood to test strip correctly, read result, records result, properly discards used test strip and blood drawing supplies.					X							
Demonstrates correctly recalling results stored in memory.				X								
Verbalizes to refer to error messages in user manual when a problem occurs, follow proper troubleshooting steps if control is not in the acceptable range, and is aware of the 24-hour Technical Support phone number.					X							
Demonstrates/Verbalizes minimum cleaning frequency, exterior cleaning procedure as stated in the User Manual, properly cleans test strip guide, removal and replacement of batteries.				X	X							

Summary Assessment Findings:

- ☐ Knowledge/skill level satisfactory
☐ Knowledge/skill level needs improvement

Specify plan to promote level of competency

Competency reevaluation in: ____ 6mos. ____ 1year ____ other

Employee's Signature: _____ Date _____

Evaluator's Signature: _____ Date _____

***Method of Assessment Legend**

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| 1) Review credentials/experience | 6) Post Test |
| 2) Review Cont. Ed./In-services | 7) Team Mts./Case |
| 3) Observation of Performance | 8) Yearly Performance |
| 4) Verbal Review | 9) Review of Self Study |
| 5) Record Review | 10) Other (specify) |

Form to be filed in employee's personal record in Human Resources.

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