

- epidural catheter

II. RESPIRATORY

- chronic obstructive pulmonary disease
- severe acute asthma
- pneumonia
- pulmonary embolism
- pneumonectomy
- adult respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS)
- pleural chest drainage
- bi-pap
- flail chest
 - care of ventilated patients
 - tracheostomy

III. CARDIOVASCULAR

- cardiac arrhythmias
- congestive heart failure
- cardiogenic shock
- central venous pressure monitoring
- arterial pressure monitoring
- pacemaker : - permanent
- two or more inotrope infusions

IV. RENAL

- chronic renal failure
- intermittent hemodialysis
- urethral catheterization - female
- male

V. GASTROINTESTINAL

- liver cirrhosis
- Sengstaken – Blakemore tube
- hepatic failure

VII. METABOLIC

- enteral nutrition
- parenteral nutrition
- acid - base imbalance
- diabetic emergencies

VIII. TRAUMA RELATED

- multiple trauma
- faciomaxillary injury
- multiple fractures
- pelvic injury
- poisoning
- drug overdose
- 1. Basic Cardiac Life Support
- 2. Advanced Cardiac Life Support
- 3. Intravenous Line Insertion
- 4. Phlebotomy
- 5. ECG Interpretation
- 6. Care of pleural chest drains
- 7. Interpretation of arterial blood gases

Interpretation of hemodynamic pressures and related therapy

- 8. Physical Assessment.
- 9. Knowledge of normal laboratory results.
- 10. Management of continuous dialysis.
- 11. Care of the spinal injured patient.
- 12. Use of the Glasgow coma scale.

EXPERIENCE

1	2	3	4	5

FREQUENCY

1	2	3	4	5

- 13. The role of the preceptor.
- 14. Charge Nurse duties
- 15. Management of Epidural Analgesia

EXPERIENCE				
1	2	3	4	5

FREQUENCY				
1	2	3	4	5

IX. EXPERIENCE

High Acuity Unit Low Acuity Unit Mixed Acuties

1. Years of nursing experience as a registered nurse: _____ ICU _____ Total
2. Length of ICU course with certificate: _____ Year obtained: _____
3. Number of utilized beds in your present ICU: _____
4. Number of beds in the hospital: _____
5. Tertiary or Specialist Center: _____
6. Average number of patients in the unit per day: _____
7. Average number of ventilated patients in the ICU per day: _____
8. Average nurse to patient ratio: _____ to _____
9. Type of ICU's previously employed:
 - General
 - Trauma
 - Neonatal
 - Pediatric
 - Cardiac
 - Neurology

GENERAL NURSING KNOWLEDGE

- Knowledge of evidence-based practice
- Knowledge of reflective practice
- Knowledge of nursing critical thinking

YES	NO

COMPUTER SKILLS

- Microsoft Word
- Internet (email and www searches)
- Email - name the application e.g. Outlook, Express
- Electronic Medical Records - name the system, e.g. Per Se, Oracle, Cerner, etc.

YES	NO