**Traction Splinting Practical**

Candidate:

Evaluator:

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| **Skill** | **Possible**  **Points** | **Earned Points** |  |

**Traction Splinting**

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| * Initiates Universal Precautions | 1 |  | CPI |
| * Assesses limb (OPQRST) and MOI to determine location of injury | 2 |  |  |
| * Assesses CSMs | 1 |  | CPI |
| * Manually stabilizes fracture site and limb (continues to maintain/ direct stabilization until traction splint is properly applied) | 1 |  | CPI |
| * Prepares traction splint, adjusts size using uninjured leg as guide | 2 |  | CPI |
| * Applies ankle hitch | 2 |  | CPI |
| * Applies manual inline traction by pulling on ankle hitch | 2 |  | CPI |
| * Positions the splint under injured leg without excessive movement | 2 |  |  |
| * Secures the ischial strap around upper thigh | 2 |  |  |
| * Connects ankle strap to splint and turns the crank, does not release manual traction until mechanical traction is secured | 2 |  | CPI |
| * Secures remaining straps | 2 |  |  |
| * Reassesses CSMs | 1 |  | CPI |
| * Verbalizes immobilization of patient on a backboard | 1 |  | CPI |
| * Prepares patient for transport, provides O2/treats for shock if needed | 1 |  |  |

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| **Total** | **22** | **\_\_\_/22** |  |

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**Quality Points**

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| * Efficiency | 2 |  |  |
| * Confidence | 2 |  |  |
| * Additional Medical Knowledge | 2 |  |  |

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| **TOTAL** | **28** | **\_\_\_/28** |  |

**Skill Quality Assurance – Middlebury Patrol Additional Evaluation (Select one of three options and initial)**

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| EXCEPTIONAL - This candidate appears ready to go out on a call today with knowledge and confidence demonstrated in this practical. |  |
| SUFFICIENT - This candidate has a grasp on material, and is on track. |  |
| TEXTBOOK – This candidate has done nothing to show evaluators that they have any understanding of how this practical translates into a real world scenario. This candidate appears to have only memorized practical evaluation sheet. |  |