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Hemodialysis Skills Self-Assessment

This profile is for use by **Hemodialysis** Nurses with more than one year's experience in his/her discipline and specialty. Please return this checklist by mail or **FAX it to (800) 661-9303.**

Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Directions: Indicate your level of experience by circling the numbers below as follows:	1 = Can Function Independently 2 = Experienced, but May Need Review 3 = Limited or No Experience

Skills/Procedures			
Acute Inpatient Dialysis	1	2	3
Dialysis Home Care	1	2	3
Pediatric Dialysis	1	2	3
Predialysis Nursing Assessment	1	2	3
Teaching Patient and Family	1	2	3
Setup/Initiate:			
Bicarbonate Dialysate	1	2	3
Conductivity Testing	1	2	3
Priming Dialyzer	1	2	3
Checks for Machine/Alarm Setting	1	2	3
Prep Vascular Access	1	2	3
Fistula Gortex/Bovine Graft	1	2	3
Dialysis Collect Blood Specimens	1	2	3
Anticoagulation	1	2	3
Access pt./equipment during procedure			
Systems Assessment of Patient	1	2	3
Volume Status	1	2	3
Vascular Access Function	1	2	3
Arterial and Venous Pressures	1	2	3
Blood Flow Rate	1	2	3
Subjective Response to Treatment	1	2	3
Management of Anticoagulation	1	2	3
Conductivity	1	2	3
Ultra Filtration Calculation	1	2	3
Administration of Blood and Byproducts	1	2	3
Administration of Mannitol	1	2	3
Sequential Utrafiltration PUF	1	2	3
Documentation/Charting of Procedure	1	2	3

Care of the Patient with:			
Fluid Overload	1	2	3
Hypertension	1	2	3
Hypotension	1	2	3
Disequilibrium Syndrome	1	2	3
Hyperkalemia	1	2	3
Seizures	1	2	3
Muscle Cramps	1	2	3
Clotted Access	1	2	3
Pyrogenic Reaction	1	2	3
Hemolysis	1	2	3
Air Embolus	1	2	3
Chest Pain	1	2	3
Anemia	1	2	3
Neuropathy	1	2	3
Pericarditis	1	2	3
Filter Blood Leak	1	2	3
Cardiopulmonary Arrest	1	2	3
Machine Alarm Troubleshooting			
Blood Leak Alarm	1	2	3
Arterial Pressure Alarm	1	2	3
Venous Pressure Alarm	1	2	3
Conductivity Alarm	1	2	3
Ultra Filtration Alarm	1	2	3
High Temperature Alarm	1	2	3
Air/Foam Detector Alarm	1	2	3
Power Failure Alarm	1	2	3
Blood Pump Alarm	1	2	3
Discontinuing Dialysis			
Dialysis Catheter	1	2	3
Fistula/Vein Graft	1	2	3
Return of Blood	1	2	3
Post Treatment Access Care	1	2	3
Equipment Clean Up	1	2	3
Sterilization Procedure	1	2	3

Machines Used

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