

Suggestions for skills assessment with the **LIFEPAK® 35** Monitor/Defibrillator

Continuous Temperature Monitoring

Name: _____ Unit: _____

Reviewer: _____ Date: _____

This skills checklist assesses a trained user's ability to perform temperature monitoring with the LIFEPAK 35 monitor/defibrillator. This limited checklist does not cover all information and skills required to operate the device safely and effectively. This checklist is designed to be completed after receiving or viewing in-service training by a qualified instructor. Refer to the LIFEPAK 35 monitor/defibrillator Operating Instructions for complete directions for use, indications, contraindications, warnings, cautions, and potential adverse events. CAPITAL LETTERS indicate labels, screen messages, and voice prompts. "Push" is used when referring to keypad buttons, and "Press" is used when referring to softkeys on the touchscreen indicated by italics

Assessment criteria	Complete	Incomplete	Comments
1. Pushes the POWER button			
2. Connects the temperature adapter cable to the TEMP port on the device.			
3. Connects the temperature probe to the temperature adapter cable.			
4. Attaches the temperature probe to the patient as described in the temperature probe Instructions for Use.			Note: the temperature probe may require 3 minutes to equilibrate after placement on the patient monitoring site.
5. Confirms the temperature reading appears and is stable.			
6. Describes the three channels available for temperature monitoring with labels T1, T2, & T3. Label locations include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Esophageal • Bladder • Rectal • Skin 			
7. Describes the process to change or label a location on the device.			
8. Describes the process of cleaning reusable temperature cables.			

Notes: _____



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