

Benton-Franklin County Emergency Medical Services ILS/ALS OTEP

HELMET REMOVAL – SKILL PERFORMANCE SHEET

Student Name _____ Date _____

	Points Possible	Points Awarded
EMT #1		
Takes or verbalizes BSI	1	
Directs application of in-line immobilization with helmet	1	
Assesses airway and determines if helmet needs to be removed	1	
Assess motor, sensory and distal circulation	1	
<i>Note: The evaluator acknowledges PMS present and normal but helmet is interfering with normal airway</i>		
EMT #2		
Cuts or removes chin strap	1	
Support occipital area with arm on ground	1	
Supports mandible along bony margin	1	
EMT #1		
Laterally spreads and removes helmet, may rotate slightly to clear nose	1	
Takes over in-line immobilization	1	
EMT #2		
Measures c-collar and places it on pts. neck	1	
Reassesses motor, sensory and distal circulation	1	
<i>Note: the evaluator acknowledges present and normal</i>		
TOTAL:	12	

CRITICAL CRITERIA

- ___ Did not maintain in-line immobilization throughout entire process
- ___ Did not communicate with EMT partner
- ___ Did not assess motor, sensory and distal circulation after helmet removal
- ___ Did not apply the correct size of cervical collar
- ___ Allowed head to drop after removal of helmet

Evaluator Initials: _____