Visual Urine Dipstick Training and Competency Record

Skills Training and Evaluation
(At the completion of training session, the trainee should be able to complete these tasks and successfully conduct Urine Dipstick Testing)

1. Describes purpose of test and has read the Urine Dipstick Procedure in the POCT manual. Met* Unmet
2. Demonstrates hand hygiene protocol and wears gloves. Met* Unmet
3. Collects specimen in a clean, dry, plastic container. If specimen has been stored in refrigerator, allows specimen to reach room temperature before performing analysis. Met* Unmet
4. Labels patient sample with 2 patient identifiers. Met* Unmet
5. Dipstick dipped in sample quickly and excess urine removed using edge of container or blotting on paper towel. Met* Unmet
6. Performs test and compares reagent areas to corresponding color chart on strip container. Reads test pads at appropriate intervals. Met* Unmet
7. Documents patient results in patient record or on appropriate log. Met* Unmet
8. Describes proper strip and control solution storage requirements. Met* Unmet
9. Describes reason for running QC Met* Unmet
10. Properly performs QC procedure Met* Unmet
11. Describes appropriate action if results for QC are out of range Met* Unmet
12. Documents QC results on log and labels QC bottles and strip container appropriately. Met* Unmet
* All skills parameters must be “met” in order to become an authorized user of this product.

Learning Assessment/Test

1. Quality Control must be performed
   a) If the integrity of the strip is questioned
   b) Whenever a new container of strips is opened
   c) All of the above

2. A vial/container of test strips must be labeled with date opened and initialed:
   a) True
   b) False

3. Color changes that occur more than ___ minutes after dipping have no diagnostic value.
   a) two
   b) three
   c) five
   d) ten

4. In order to obtain optimal results, the urine sample must be:
   a) fresh
   b) well mixed
   c) all of the above

5. The Sentry quality control material can be used directly from the refrigerator:
   a) True
   b) False

6. According to MGH policy, Sentry quality control solutions are stable at room temperature for how long?
   a) 1 week
   b) 30 days
   c) 6 months
   d) 1 year

QC completed and documented successfully?
Date: ____________

SCORE: _______________________________
(Passing = 80% or higher)

Individual Information
*Name: __________________________
*Employee ID#: ___________________
*Care Unit: _______________________
*Date of Training: ________________

Training Status:
[ ] New/Initial
[ ] Recertification

*required fields

The trainer’s signature attests that the trainee has (a) successfully completed the program and scored 80% or better on the quiz, and (b) demonstrated successful skill in performing this procedure.

Trainer Signature __________________ Date ______

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# Training and Assessment Record Quiz Results

## ANSWER KEY

1. C
2. A
3. A
4. C
5. B
6. C