

University of Illinois College of Medicine

Procedural Competencies for Graduating Medical Students*

1. Arterial puncture
2. Demonstrate proper use of an inhaler/ peak flow meter instruction and interpretation
3. EKG lead placement
4. Injection: intradermal
5. Injection: intramuscular
6. Injection: subcutaneous
7. Inserting a Foley catheter, male patient
8. Inserting a Foley catheter, female patient
9. Inserting an intravenous catheter
10. Inserting a nasogastric tube
11. Lumbar puncture
12. Manage an airway, including endotracheal intubation
13. Obtaining informed consent
14. Skin suturing/ removal of sutures
15. Venipuncture

*The competencies listed represent only a subset of all technical skills and procedures required for graduation. Those that are requirements in courses or clerkships are listed separately among those learning objectives.

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