

**IMMOBILIZATION
LONG BONE**

STEPS TO BE PERFORMED	ACTION/VERBAL RESPONSE	POINTS POSSIBLE	POINTS AWARDED
* Takes or states appropriate body substance isolation precautions	I will take appropriate BSI precautions.	(1)	

Direct application of manual stabilization of injury	I will either direct the patient to continue holding the injury or ask my partner to take over for the patient.	(1)	
* Assess circulation, sensation and motor function	I will now assess circulation, sensation and motor function of the extremity.	(1)	

The Examiner states: *Distal circulation, sensation and motor function are present and normal.*

Measure immobilization device	I will select an appropriate device and size it to insure that it will fit the extremity.	(1)	
Apply device	I will apply the device to the extremity insuring that it is well padded.	(1)	
* Immobilize joint above the injury site	I will immobilize the joint above the injury site.	(1)	
* Immobilize the joint below the injury site	I will immobilize the joint below the injury site.	(1)	
Secure entire extremity	I will secure the entire extremity to minimize movement.	(1)	
Insure hand/foot in position of function	I will insure that the hand/foot is in the position of function.	(1)	
* Reassess circulation, sensation and motor function	I will reassess circulation, sensation and motor function.	(1)	

The Examiner states: *Distal circulation, sensation and motor function are present and normal.*

* = CRITICAL CRITERIA (Must Perform to Pass)	POINTS POSSIBLE: 10 MINIMUM PASSING SCORE (80%): 8
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Date: _____

Student's Name: _____

Evaluator's Name: _____

Critical Criteria

Grossly moves the injured extremity

Did not assess/reassess circulation, sensation and motor function before and after immobilization

Did not immobilize the joint above and below the injury site