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GENERAL COMPETENCY 1.1 Function as a professional.				
SPECIFIC COMPETENCY	SUB COMPETENCIES			
1.1.a Maintain patient dignity.	S	P	P	P
	Define "dignity".	Discuss "dignity".	Discuss "dignity".	Discuss "dignity".
		Identify cultural characteristics that impact patient dignity.	Identify cultural characteristics that impact patient dignity.	Identify cultural characteristics that impact patient dignity.
	Acknowledge cultural differences.	Acknowledge cultural differences.	Acknowledge cultural differences.	Acknowledge cultural differences.
	Acknowledge personal privacy.	Acknowledge personal privacy.	Acknowledge personal privacy.	Acknowledge personal privacy.
	Demonstrate empathy.	Demonstrate empathy.	Demonstrate empathy.	Demonstrate empathy.
	Demonstrate care appropriate to situation.	Integrate care appropriate to situation.	Integrate care appropriate to situation.	Integrate care appropriate to situation.
	Demonstrate care appropriate to the needs of special populations.	Adapt care appropriate to the needs of special populations.	Adapt care appropriate to the needs of special populations.	Adapt care appropriate to the needs of special populations.
1.1.b Reflect professionalism through use of appropriate language.	S	P	P	P
	Identify language appropriate for patients, peers and other professions.	Distinguish language appropriate for patients, peers and other professions.	Distinguish language appropriate for patients, peers and other professions.	Distinguish language appropriate for patients, peers and other professions.
	Choose language appropriate to situation.	Choose language appropriate to situation.	Choose language appropriate to situation.	Choose language appropriate to situation.
	Communicate verbally using appropriate language.	Communicate verbally using appropriate language.	Communicate verbally using appropriate language.	Communicate verbally using appropriate language.
1.1.c Dress appropriately and maintain personal hygiene.	A	P	P	P
	Identify appropriate dress for situation and environment.	Identify appropriate dress for situation and environment.	Identify appropriate dress for situation and environment.	Identify appropriate dress for situation and environment.

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	Identify characteristics of personal hygiene.	Identify characteristics of personal hygiene.	Identify characteristics of personal hygiene.	Identify characteristics of personal hygiene.
	Acknowledge appearance and personal hygiene.	Acknowledge appearance and personal hygiene.	Acknowledge appearance and personal hygiene.	Acknowledge appearance and personal hygiene.
		Integrate knowledge of situation and environment to dress appropriately.	Integrate knowledge of situation and environment to dress appropriately.	Integrate knowledge of situation and environment to dress appropriately.
		Demonstrate personal hygiene.	Demonstrate personal hygiene.	Demonstrate personal hygiene.
1.1.d Maintain appropriate personal interaction with patients.	A	A	A	A
	Describe appropriate personal interaction.	Discuss appropriate personal interaction.	Discuss appropriate personal interaction.	Discuss appropriate personal interaction.
	Describe inappropriate personal interaction.	Discuss inappropriate personal interaction.	Discuss inappropriate personal interaction.	Discuss inappropriate personal interaction.
	Value appropriate professional relationships with patients.	Value appropriate professional relationships with patients.	Value appropriate professional relationships with patients.	Value appropriate professional relationships with patients.
1.1.e Maintain patient confidentiality.	A	P	P	P
	Describe legislative and regulatory requirements related to patient confidentiality.	Discuss legislative and regulatory requirements related to patient confidentiality.	Discuss legislative and regulatory requirements related to patient confidentiality.	Discuss legislative and regulatory requirements related to patient confidentiality.
	Acknowledge conduct necessary to maintain patient confidentiality.	Acknowledge conduct necessary to maintain patient confidentiality.	Acknowledge conduct necessary to maintain patient confidentiality.	Acknowledge conduct necessary to maintain patient confidentiality.
		Integrate confidentiality into effective patient care.	Integrate confidentiality into effective patient care.	Integrate confidentiality into effective patient care.

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1.1.f Participate in quality assurance and enhancement programs.	A	A	A	A
	Describe common quality assurance and enhancement processes.	Explain common quality assurance and enhancement processes.	Analyze common quality assurance and enhancement processes.	Analyze common quality assurance and enhancement processes.
	Acknowledge the relevance of quality assurance and enhancement programs to paramedic practice.	Acknowledge the relevance of quality assurance and enhancement programs to paramedic practice.	Acknowledge the relevance of quality assurance and enhancement programs to paramedic practice.	Acknowledge the relevance of quality assurance and enhancement programs to paramedic practice.
1.1.g Utilize community support agencies as appropriate.	A	A	A	A
	Identify common community support programs.	Identify common community support programs.	Identify common community support programs.	Identify common community support programs.
	Describe situations that may require expertise of community support agencies.	Discuss situations that may require expertise of community support agencies.	Discuss situations that may require expertise of community support agencies.	Discuss situations that may require expertise of community support agencies.
	Describe related legislative requirements.	Discuss related legislative requirements.	Discuss related legislative requirements.	Discuss related legislative requirements.
	Acknowledge the need for additional intervention.	Acknowledge the need for additional intervention.	Acknowledge the need for additional intervention.	Acknowledge the need for additional intervention.
	Communicate options to patient.	Communicate options to patient.	Communicate options to patient.	Communicate options to patient.

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1.1.h Promote awareness of emergency medical system and profession.	A	P	P	P
	Describe the characteristics of local emergency medical services.	Describe the characteristics of local emergency medical services.	Describe the characteristics of local emergency medical services.	Describe the characteristics of local emergency medical services.
		Describe characteristics of emergency medical services in Canada.	Describe characteristics of emergency medical services in Canada.	Describe characteristics of emergency medical services in Canada.
		Discuss emergency medical services in Canada.	Analyze strengths and weaknesses of emergency medical services in Canada.	Analyze strengths and weaknesses of emergency medical services in Canada.
		Integrate knowledge of local service into professional practice.	Integrate knowledge of local service into professional practice.	Integrate knowledge of local service into professional practice.
1.1.i Participate in professional association.	A	A	A	A
	Identify professional associations for paramedics in Canada.	Identify professional associations for paramedics in Canada.	Identify professional associations for paramedics in Canada.	Identify professional associations for paramedics in Canada.
	Describe the role of professional associations.	Describe the role of professional associations.	Describe the role of professional associations.	Describe the role of professional associations.
			Discuss participation in professional association(s).	Discuss participation in professional association(s).
	Acknowledge the benefits of participation in professional association(s).	Acknowledge the benefits of participation in professional association(s).	Acknowledge the benefits of participation in professional association(s).	Acknowledge the benefits of participation in professional association(s).

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1.1.j Behave ethically.	A	P	P	P
		Define "ethics".	Define "ethics".	Define "ethics".
	Describe "ethical behaviour".	Analyze "ethical behaviour".	Evaluate "ethical behaviour".	Evaluate "ethical behaviour".
	Value professional code of ethics and beliefs.	Value professional code of ethics and beliefs.	Value professional code of ethics and beliefs.	Value professional code of ethics and beliefs.
		Integrate ethical behaviour with patients, peers, co-workers, medical staff and allied agencies.	Integrate ethical behaviour with patients, peers, co-workers, medical staff and allied agencies.	Integrate ethical behaviour with patients, peers, co-workers, medical staff and allied agencies.
1.1.k Function as patient advocate.	A	P	P	P
		Define "patient advocacy".	Define "patient advocacy".	Define "patient advocacy".
	Discuss situations where patient advocacy is required.	Discuss situations where patient advocacy is required.	Discuss situations where patient advocacy is required.	Discuss situations where patient advocacy is required.
	Describe ways in which a practitioner can advocate for patients.	Explain ways in which a practitioner can advocate for patients.	Explain ways in which a practitioner can advocate for patients.	Explain ways in which a practitioner can advocate for patients.
	Value patient advocacy.	Value patient advocacy.	Value patient advocacy.	Value patient advocacy.
		Integrate advocacy to patient care.	Integrate advocacy to patient care.	Integrate advocacy to patient care.
GENERAL COMPETENCY 1.2 Participate in continuing education.				
SPECIFIC COMPETENCY	SUB COMPETENCIES			
1.2.a Develop personal plan for continuing professional development.	X	A	A	A
	List professional development activities.	Describe professional development.	Describe professional development.	Describe professional development.
			Evaluate professional development options.	Evaluate professional development options.
		Value professional development.	Value professional development.	Value professional development.

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1.2.b Self-evaluate and set goals for improvement, as related to professional practice.	X	A	A	A
	Identify strategies for professional improvement.	Discuss strategies for professional improvement.	Discuss strategies for professional improvement.	Discuss strategies for professional improvement.
		Value goal setting and self-evaluation.	Value goal setting and self-evaluation.	Value goal setting and self-evaluation.
1.2.c Interpret evidence in medical literature and assess relevance to practice.	N	A	A	A
		Identify sources of research evidence.	Identify sources of research evidence.	Identify sources of research evidence.
		Explain the importance of research in emergency medical services.	Explain the importance of research in emergency medical services.	Explain the importance of research in emergency medical services.
			Analyze research evidence.	Evaluate research evidence.
			Describe the process of conducting a literature search.	Describe the process of conducting a literature search.
		Acknowledge research applicability.	Acknowledge research applicability.	Acknowledge research applicability.
GENERAL COMPETENCY 1.3 Possess an understanding of the medicolegal aspects of the profession.				
SPECIFIC COMPETENCY	SUB COMPETENCIES			
1.3.a Comply with scope of practice.	S	P	P	P
	Define "scope of practice".	Define "scope of practice".	Define "scope of practice".	Define "scope of practice".
	Describe role of Medical Control.	Discuss role of Medical Control.	Discuss role of Medical Control.	Discuss role of Medical Control.

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		Discuss protocols, standing orders and directives.	Discuss protocols, standing orders and directives.	Discuss protocols, standing orders and directives.
				Identify variances in specific protocols / standing orders / advanced directives between various clinical sites.
		Describe the process to be followed for situations not covered by protocols, standing orders or directives.	Describe the process to be followed for situations not covered by protocols, standing orders or directives.	Describe the process to be followed for situations not covered by protocols, standing orders or directives.
	Acknowledge importance of compliance with protocols.	Justify deviation from protocols, standing orders and directives.	Justify deviation from protocols, standing orders and directives.	Justify deviation from protocols, standing orders and directives.
	Communicate scope of practice.	Communicate scope of practice.	Communicate scope of practice.	Communicate scope of practice.
1.3.b Recognize “patient rights” and the implications on the role of the provider.	A	A	A	A
	Identify legislative requirements.	Identify legislative requirements.	Identify legislative requirements.	Identify legislative requirements.
	Identify legal issues pertaining to patient rights.	Discuss legal issues pertaining to patient rights.	Discuss legal issues pertaining to patient rights.	Discuss legal issues pertaining to patient rights.
	Value patient rights.	Value patient rights.	Value patient rights.	Value patient rights.

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1.3.c Include all pertinent and required information on ambulance call report forms.	S	P	P	P
	Organize information for documentation.	Organize information for documentation.	Organize information for documentation.	Organize information for documentation.
	Apply principles of correct documentation.	Apply principles of correct documentation.	Apply principles of correct documentation.	Apply principles of correct documentation.
	Acknowledge the importance of appropriate documentation.	Acknowledge the importance of appropriate documentation.	Acknowledge the importance of appropriate documentation.	Acknowledge the importance of appropriate documentation.
	Demonstrate proper documentation.	Perform proper documentation.	Perform proper documentation.	Perform proper documentation.
GENERAL COMPETENCY 1.4 Recognize and comply with relevant provincial and federal legislation.				
SPECIFIC COMPETENCY	SUB COMPETENCIES			
1.4.a Function within relevant legislation, policies and procedures.	A	A	A	A
	Discuss legislation, policies and procedures.	Discuss legislation, policies and procedures.	Discuss legislation, policies and procedures.	Discuss legislation, policies and procedures.
	Acknowledge the rationale for policies and procedures.	Acknowledge the rationale for policies and procedures.	Acknowledge the rationale for policies and procedures.	Acknowledge the rationale for policies and procedures.
GENERAL COMPETENCY 1.5 Function effectively in a team environment.				
SPECIFIC COMPETENCY	SUB COMPETENCIES			
1.5.a Work collaboratively with a partner.	S	P	P	P
		Discuss characteristics of interpersonal relationships.	Discuss characteristics of interpersonal relationships.	Discuss characteristics of interpersonal relationships.

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	Acknowledge the impact of interpersonal relationships between team members on patient care.	Acknowledge the impact of interpersonal relationships between team members on patient care.	Acknowledge the impact of interpersonal relationships between team members on patient care.	Acknowledge the impact of interpersonal relationships between team members on patient care.
	Describe characteristics of teamwork.	Integrate teamwork into the provision of care.	Integrate teamwork into the provision of care.	Integrate teamwork into the provision of care.
	Demonstrate working co-operatively as a team member.	Adapt to work co-operatively as a team member.	Adapt to work co-operatively as a team member.	Adapt to work co-operatively as a team member.
1.5.b Accept and deliver constructive feedback.	S	P	P	P
	Describe constructive feedback.	Discuss constructive feedback.	Discuss constructive feedback.	Discuss constructive feedback.
	Receive constructive feedback.	Receive constructive feedback.	Receive constructive feedback.	Receive constructive feedback.
	Acknowledge constructive feedback.	Acknowledge constructive feedback.	Acknowledge constructive feedback.	Acknowledge constructive feedback.
		Communicate with the intent to provide constructive feedback.	Communicate with the intent to provide constructive feedback.	Communicate with the intent to provide constructive feedback.
	Demonstrate providing constructive feedback within professional practice.	Integrate constructive feedback within professional practice.	Integrate constructive feedback within professional practice.	Integrate constructive feedback within professional practice.
1.5.c Work collaboratively with other emergency response agencies.	A	P	P	P
	List community emergency response agencies.	List community emergency response agencies.	List community emergency response agencies.	List community emergency response agencies.

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	Describe the roles of and relationship to other emergency response agencies.	Describe the roles of and relationship to other emergency response agencies.	Describe the roles of and relationship to other emergency response agencies.	Describe the roles of and relationship to other emergency response agencies.
	Describe mutual assistance and tiered-response.	Discuss mutual assistance and tiered-response.	Discuss mutual assistance and tiered-response.	Discuss mutual assistance and tiered-response.
	Value collaborative work with other emergency response agencies.	Value collaborative work with other emergency response agencies.	Value collaborative work with other emergency response agencies.	Value collaborative work with other emergency response agencies.
		Demonstrate collaborative work with other emergency response agencies.	Demonstrate collaborative work with other emergency response agencies.	Demonstrate collaborative work with other emergency response agencies.
1.5.d Work collaboratively with other members of the health care team.	A	P	P	P
	List other members of the health care team.	List other members of the health care team.	List other members of the health care team.	List other members of the health care team.
	Describe the roles of and relationship to other health care professionals.	Describe the roles of and relationship to other health care professionals.	Describe the roles of and relationship to other health care professionals.	Describe the roles of and relationship to other health care professionals.
	Value working collaboratively with other health care professionals.	Value working collaboratively with other health care professionals.	Value working collaboratively with other health care professionals.	Value working collaboratively with other health care professionals.
		Demonstrate collaborative work with other health care professionals.	Demonstrate collaborative work with other health care professionals.	Demonstrate collaborative work with other health care professionals.

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GENERAL COMPETENCY 1.6 Make decisions effectively.				
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1.6.a Exhibit reasonable and prudent judgement.	S	P	P	P
	Describe reasonable and prudent judgement.	Discuss reasonable and prudent judgement.	Discuss reasonable and prudent judgement.	Discuss reasonable and prudent judgement.
	Value reasonable and prudent judgement.	Value reasonable and prudent judgement.	Value reasonable and prudent judgement.	Value reasonable and prudent judgement.
	Demonstrate reasonable and prudent judgement.	Integrate reasonable and prudent judgement.	Integrate reasonable and prudent judgement.	Integrate reasonable and prudent judgement.
1.6.b Practice effective problem-solving.	S	P	P	P
	Describe effective problem solving.	Discuss effective problem solving.	Discuss effective problem solving.	Discuss effective problem solving.
	Apply effective problem solving.	Apply effective problem solving.	Apply effective problem solving.	Apply effective problem solving.
	Value the process of problem solving.	Value the process of problem solving.	Value the process of problem solving.	Value the process of problem solving.
	Demonstrate problem solving.	Integrate problem solving.	Integrate problem solving.	Integrate problem solving.
1.6.c Delegate tasks appropriately.	S	P	P	P
	Describe appropriate task delegation.	Discuss appropriate task delegation.	Discuss appropriate task delegation.	Discuss appropriate task delegation.
	Describe tasks delegated to non-healthcare professionals.	Discuss tasks delegated to non-healthcare professionals.	Discuss tasks delegated to non-healthcare professionals.	Discuss tasks delegated to non-healthcare professionals.
	Value importance of leadership.	Value importance of leadership.	Value importance of leadership.	Value importance of leadership.
	Demonstrate task delegation.	Perform task delegation.	Integrate task delegation.	Integrate task delegation.