

**Standard-ANTT<sup>®</sup>** - After basic precautions and appropriate personal protective equipment are applied such as hand cleaning and glove use, all the Key-Parts are protected **individually**, by **non-touch technique** and individual **Micro Critical Aseptic Fields**.

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<b>Job Title:</b>			<b>Ward / Department:</b>
<b>An Observational Assessment or a Simulation of Practice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only assessors with evidence of ANTT<sup>®</sup> competence can assess staff - healthcare worker (HCW)</li> <li>The assessor must include the theory and practice questions before or during the procedure</li> <li>This tool allows for assessment of three clinical procedures – if required</li> </ul>			
<b>Competency Assessment (mark all components : ✓ X or n/a)</b>			
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Date:</b>	<b>Date:</b>	<b>Procedure Types (abbreviations)</b> Venepuncture – <b>V</b> ; Cannulation – <b>C</b> ; Urinary catheterisation – <b>UC</b> Blood cultures – <b>BC</b> ; Simple wound care – <b>SW</b> ; Complex Wound Care – <b>CW</b> Intravenous drug admin./ flush – <b>IV</b> ; Other – <b>O</b>
<b>Initial:</b>	<b>Initial:</b>	<b>Initial:</b>	
<b>Type:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	
<b>Other Procedures &amp; abbreviations:</b> _____			
<b>ANTT<sup>®</sup> principles &amp; practice terms</b>			
			<b>Pre-Procedure</b>
			State the three main ways that equipment can be contaminated during aseptic technique
			State a short definition of the terms a) Sterile b) Aseptic c) Clean
			State the practice aim of ANTT <sup>®</sup>
			State the type of invasive procedures ANTT <sup>®</sup> is suitable for
			State the fundamental practice <b>concept</b> that ANTT <sup>®</sup> is based upon
			Name the two types of ANTT <sup>®</sup>
			Explain the type of ANTT you are going to use and why you selected it
			State some practice variables you've considered when determining the type of ANTT
			Then state the ANTT Risk Assessment question that selects the type of ANTT
			<b>Inter-Procedure</b>
			Ask the practitioner to identify all the procedure Key-Parts of the procedure
			State the definition of a Key-Part
			State the definition of a Key-Site
			State the Key-Part / Key-Site <b>Rule</b>
			State the three types of aseptic field used in ANTT. Point them out in the procedure

Preparation			
			Did the HCW clean their hands prior to equipment preparation?
			If a cleanable procedure tray is used was it disinfected effectively?
			Was all equipment gathered before cleaning hands and initiating equipment assembly?
			Was the personal protective equipment (PPE) appropriate for the procedure?
			Did the HCW clean their hands at the start of the procedure?
			Was the choice of glove type appropriate for this Standard-ANTT <sup>®</sup> procedure?
			Were gloves applied at the appropriate stage for the procedure?
			When assembled was the equipment placed into a main General Aseptic Field (e.g. plastic or cardboard tray as per local policy)?
			Was only necessary equipment in the tray and kept organised throughout?
			Did the HCW avoid touching Key-Parts (i.e. non-touch technique)?
			Were all Key-Parts protected by Micro Critical Aseptic Fields when not in use (e.g. aseptic caps, covers or inside of packaging)?
			Were Key-Parts were not touched by any objects or surfaces
Procedure			
			Did the HCW remove or avoid any obvious environmental risks – such as bed making or dusting taking place near the procedure area?
			Did the HCW clean their hands and apply appropriate PPE before starting the procedure?
			Were inactive Key-Parts disinfected before use (e.g. IV injection hub – scrubbed for 15 sec with an alcoholic /CHG wipe & allowed to dry)?
			Were all Key-Parts individually protected at all times when not in use during the procedure by Micro Critical Aseptic Fields (Caps, covers, inside of packaging)?
			Was the asepsis of Key-Parts promoted by organised management of the General Aseptic Field throughout the procedure?
			Did the HCW avoid touching all Key-Parts with their gloved hands?
			Did any Key-Part touch any objects or surfaces such as the procedure tray or <i>non</i> -Key-Parts.
			Did the patients' Key-Site(s) touch any <i>non</i> -Key-Parts or gloved hands?
Decontamination			
			Did the HCW safely dispose of all sharps, equipment and waste according to local policies?
			Did the HCW clean their hands IMMEDIATELY after glove removal?
			Did the HCW decontaminate and disinfect the General Aseptic Field (e.g. plastic tray), and allow it to dry before storage?

Assessors' signature: \_\_\_\_\_ HCW's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Passed: \_\_\_\_\_ Failed: \_\_\_\_\_