

Blanchard Valley Health System Site: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Training / Competency Assessment** for Laboratory Point of Care Testing Date of Hire / Transfer: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Method:** POCT Nova StatStrip Xpress 2 Glucose Meter Date of Initial Training: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Test Analyte:**  Whole blood glucose

Associate Name and Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_

(print legibly) Associate ID number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

CLIA Complexity: Waived (2 areas must be assessed) (CAP approved areas 1 – 6) (JC approved areas 1, 3, 5, 6)

\_\_\_ Training assessment after initial training (new hires) and/or new method and/or new test analytes Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Competency assessment annually Date Due: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Trained operators using the Xpress 2 glucose meter will perform the following tasks:

* Place the test strip into the meter. Have an understanding of expiration dates (strips: 6 months, QC: 3 months)
* Have an understanding of how to take a blood sample from a patient following hospital protocol (capillary, arterial or venous).

(A simulated patient sample is analyzed in class.)

* Touch a drop of blood to the end of the test strip.
* *Warning: The test strip must fill completely upon touching the blood droplet. If the test strip does not fill completely,*

***do not touch the test strip to the blood droplet a second time.*** *Discard the test strip and repeat the test with a*

*new test strip.*

* View test data on screen. Accept or reject the result. Record result. Then remove and dispose of the test strip properly.

**1.\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_ Perform QC testing as required**. **(Properly running QC under direct observation and recording acceptable test**

**results meets CAP/JC competency requirements for elements 1, 2, 3.)**  Record results and enter in Cerner if indicated:

**Glucose** QC Level 1 Control \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ QC Level 3 Control \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ PASS / FAIL (circle)

**4.\_\_\_\_ Check batteries for corrosion and then clean and disinfect meter. (Properly performing instrument maintenance and function checks under direct observation and documenting acceptable results meets CAP/JC competency requirements for element 4.)** Record results:

Monthly batteries check: Acceptable? YES / NO (circle)

Cleaned and disinfected meter with appropriate germicidal wipe. PASS / FAIL (circle)

Associate Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Qualified Trainer/Assessor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Job title of Qualified Trainer/Assessor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1-5 Satisfactory / Unsatisfactory

**6. \_\_\_\_An evaluation of problem solving skills by written exam in Net Learning with 70% passing score will be assigned to meet CAP/JC competency requirements for element 6.**

Assigned: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Due: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Completed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Score: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ PASS / FAIL (circle)

Reviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_