

COMPETENCY EVALUATION SHEET

Coronal Polishing

Student Name _____ Date _____

Objective: The student will acquire the skills necessary to competently polish teeth and fixed restorations, removing all plaque and extrinsic stains from the coronal surfaces. The student will perform this competency, after practice on a manikin, a total of three times. There will be one competency on a manikin and two competencies on classmates.

Grading Criteria: 3 = Students meets most of the criteria without assistance
2 = Student requires assistance to meet stated criteria
1 = Student did not prepare accordingly for the stated criteria
0 = Not applicable

Total points this test _____ pass fail

	Peer Review	Instructor Review
1. Complete the Preparations assemble equipment and necessary materials greet patient seat patient in dental chair place patient napkin		
2. Complete Preliminary Procedures review health history with patient take and record vital signs explain procedure to the patient	—	—
3. Don PPE have patient wear safety glasses don PPE assume position on operator's stool	—	—
4. Apply Disclosing Agent give patient instructions for disclosing agent have patient chew up tablet or apply liquid agent show patient areas of plaque on teeth call for 1 st instructor's check	—	—
5. Coronal Polish Procedure maxillary right quadrant: follow proper sequence hold handpiece correctly use fulcrum use mouth mirror for retraction and reflection	—	—

maxillary left quadrant: follow proper sequence
hold handpiece correctly
use fulcrum
use mouth mirror for retraction and reflection
mandibular left quadrant: follow proper sequence
hold handpiece correctly
use fulcrum
use mouth mirror for retraction and reflection
mandibular right quadrant: follow proper sequence
hold handpiece correctly
use fulcrum
use mouth mirror for retraction and reflection

6. Floss and Fluoride

floss the patient's teeth
give oral hygiene instructions
call for 2nd instructor's check
apply fluoride
give post-treatment instructions

7. Dismiss the Patient

clean patient's face
remove patient napkin
dismiss patient

8. Cleanup Procedure

take disposables and contaminated materials to
sterilization area, remove gloves, wash hands
record procedure on patient's chart, return chart to
proper place
don utility gloves, disinfect operatory, flush lines,
prepare and sterilize instruments, disinfect, clean
and remove gloves, wash hands

If the student does not sufficiently pass the three required competencies, they will be required to reschedule the competencies at the instructor's discretion. The student may also be asked to provide a patient(s) for the competency.