

Surgical Technologist Competency Assessment

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Surgical Technologist Competency Exam

1. All of the following can be found on a Tonsillectomy setup EXCEPT for:
 - a. Yankauer Suction
 - b. Hurd
 - c. Satinsky Clamp
 - d. Red Robinson Catheter

2. A sponge is left intentionally in a patient.
 - a. A report is made to the Supervisor
 - b. Notated on the Operative Report
 - c. An Incident Report is made

3. Where does a Surgeon generally stand on a Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy?
 - a. Patient's right
 - b. Patient's left
 - c. At the Head
 - d. Between patient's leg

4. During ear surgery, gelfoam pledgets used to control bleeding are generally soaked in:
 - a. Marcaine
 - b. Epinephrine
 - c. Lidocaine
 - d. Papaverine

5. The drain that has a reservoir to create a negative pressure to facilitate drainage is:
 - a. Penrose
 - b. Hemovac
 - c. Stent
 - d. Levin

6. **A sponge used in Brain Surgery is a(n)**
 - a. Xeroform
 - b. Scarlett red
 - c. Peanut
 - d. Cottonoids

7. **A clingy dressing used in padding for a cast or splint is:**
 - a. Webril
 - b. Kerlix
 - c. Kling
 - d. Bias

8. **McBurney's Incision is for a(n)**
 - a. ACL Repair
 - b. Laparoscopic Nissen
 - c. Appendectomy
 - d. PLIF

9. **An example of an Orthopaedic elevator is**
 - a. Cobb elevator
 - b. Cottle
 - c. Rosen
 - d. Otis

10. **Which local anesthetic would you use for an excision ganglion index finger?**
 - a. Thrombin
 - b. Lidocaine with epinephrine
 - c. Lidocaine Plain
 - d. Epinephrine

11. **What retractor would be used for a Anterior Cervical**
 - a. Finochetti
 - b. Shadowline
 - c. St. Marks
 - d. Adson-Beckmon

12. **What is the name of the retractor used for abdominal hysterectomy:**
 - a. Deep Gelpi
 - b. Weitlaner
 - c. O'connor, O'Sullivan
 - d. Charnley

13. A Hulka forcep is used in what service

- a. Orthopaedics
- b. Gynecology
- c. ENT
- d. Eyes

14. When are counts done?

- a. Whenever you feel like
- b. At the beginning of the case
- c. At the beginning and end of the case
- d. At the beginning of the case, as you close, and at skin closure

15. What is the antiseptic solution of choice for skin prep?

- a. Silver Nitrate
- b. Povidine-iodine
- c. Papaverine
- d. Thrombin

16. An elastic cohesive bandage used for pressure dressings is

- a. Webril
- b. Kerlix
- c. Conform
- d. Elastoplast

17. Which procedure would you use a Kerrison Ronguer?

- a. Hysterectomy
- b. Total Knee
- c. Laminectomy
- d. Hysteroscopy

18. What is the drill of choice for burr holes

- a. Micro-100
- b. Stryker System 5
- c. Anspach
- d. Hand Drill

19. An instrument used in nasal surgery is

- a. Takahashi
- b. Ferris Smith
- c. Sauerbach
- d. Rib Shears

20. A Small Needle holder used in Plastic Surgery

- a. Mayo Hegar
- b. Castro Viejo
- c. Takahashi
- d. Webster

21. A self retaining retractor is

- a. St Marks
- b. Gelpi
- c. Richardson
- d. Ragnells

22. A typical repair of a Hernia would include

- a. TVT Mesh
- b. Mesh Plug and Patch
- c. DBX
- d. Stent

23. A Small Fragment set could be used on

- a. Craniotomy
- b. Appendectomy
- c. ORIF Ankle
- d. ESWL

24. What personal protective equipment should you wear if fluoroscopy is indicated?

- a. X-Ray Gown
- b. Lead Glasses
- c. Hair cover
- d. All of the Above

25. The patella is

- a. Appendix
- b. Pelvis
- c. Tibia
- d. Kneecap