PTA 104L Orthopedic Dysfunctions Lab- Sp '12
Laboratory Practical Exam 1

📕 **Critical Safety Elements** are noted in **BOLD.** These are **PASS/NO PASS.** Failure to complete critical safety elements during formal assessment will result in **a zero grade and the lab final must be successfully repeated in order to be eligible to pass the course. Minimum points for passing = 63/90 points.**

☐ 📕**uses good body mechanics throughout the lab exam**

☐ 📕**demonstrates hand washing before and after patient contact**

☐ 📕**Checks surroundings; maintains safe conditions to reduce the risk of injury to the patient.**

Prepares for Treatment (7pts)	☐ Verbalizes review of treatment plan with examiner; formulates possible treatment ideas for the assigned case; confirms protection phase according to the case; completes within 1 minute	/3
	☐Indicates whether or not there are clarifying questions for the supervising PT regarding POC	/2
	☐ 📕**verbalizes signs and symptoms of a possible emergency (changes in bowel/bladder function, sudden loss of muscle function, bilateral symptoms)**	**P/NP**
	☐Gathers and prepares treatment equipment (pillows, bolsters, gait belt, treatment stool)	/1
	☐Clears area of obstructions	/1
Communication (22 points)	☐ Introduces self as SPTA and name	/2
	Collects subjective data from patient within 2-3 minutes: (changes, best/worse pain, location/quality of pain, what increases/decreases sxs, patient questions/concerns/goals	/14
	☐ Selects interventions based on chart review and subjective data	/4
	☐ Briefly explains rationale using person-first language with patient; rationale is consistent with patient condition and supported by course content	/4
	☐ 📕**Seeks input from PT if patient status is inconsistent with information documented in plan of care**	**P/NP**
Treatment (31 points)	☐ Selects appropriate stabilization activity based on the patient case	/4
	☐ 📕**Explains rationale for manual contact and confirms patient understanding prior to hand placement**	**P/NP**
	☐ Uses demonstration, allows opportunity for practice and provides feedback (verbal/tactile/visual as needed) during stabilization	/3

	☐ Assess patient ability to correctly perform and/or progress with stabilization	/2
	☐ Selects an activity to improve functional gait based on the patient's goals	/3
	☐ 🚩 **Applies transfer belt and checks buckle**	**P/ NP**
	☐ Confirms fit (approximately 20-30 degrees elbow flexion, upright posture)	/1
	☐ Examine equipment for safe operation (check loose nuts/pins, integrity of grips and weight bearing surfaces	/1
	☐ Guards patient during transfers and gait using the most appropriate technique for the case	/4
	☐ Uses demonstration, allows opportunity for practice and provides feedback during functional gait activity instruction	/4
	☐ Educates patient on how the exercise intervention or the gait training activity is connected to treatment goals	/4
	☐ Monitors patient response to instruction & modifies activity or approach as needed	/2
	☐ Ask patient about any question prior to concluding Rx	/3
Timeliness (10 points)	☐ completes intervention (including clean-up) in the time allotted	/5
	☐ organizes treatment approach to maximize efficiency	/5

Progress Note (14pts)	'S'	☐ includes relevant patient status (pain: worst/best/quality/location aggravating/easing (function), goals for session	/ 2
	'O'	☐ includes consent to treat	/ 1
		☐ includes documentation of activity description and parameters (intervention, frequency, reps, cues (tactile/verbal, position), assist, device, gait distance/quality/level of independence	/ 4
		☐ includes documentation communication with the PT when applicable	/ 2
	'A'	☐ statement of treatment outcome reflects skilled PT services and critical thinking using specific and relevant terminology	/ 3
	'P'	☐ plan for next visit and/or follow-up is connected to PT goals and treatment outcome	/ 2

Reimbursement & Practice Act (6pts)		☐ includes date, time, duration (in minutes) of treatment	/ 1
		☐ documentation reflects care provided (no omissions or additions)	/ 2
		☐ uses appropriate medical terminology, abbreviations, and person-first language	/ 1
		☐ errors handled correctly (single line through with initials)	/ 1
		☐ includes signature with credentials or electronic authentication	/ 1

Circle Practical Exam Rating:

V+	*Excellent, safe and effective >=(81/90)* 😄
V	*Safe and Effective* 😄
V-	*omissions, ineffective Rx, below appropriate level* 😕 *(<=70/90)*
Repeat	*indicates unsafe and/or ineffective Rx* 😟 *(<63/90)*

Final Comments: