PTA <u>133 Lab</u> Skills Check: Range of Motion/Manual Muscle Testing

Name Date

Critical Safety Elements are noted in BOLD. These are PASS/FAIL. Failure to complete critical safety elements during formal assessment will result in a zero grade and the skill check must be successfully repeated in order to pass the course.

Safety Both ROM/MMT	washes hands before and after patient contact
(\mathbf{P}/\mathbf{NP})	uses good body mechanics during the activity
	ALL chosen components of treatment within PTA scope of practice,
	plan of care, and follow contraindications/precautions
	🔲 🚟 monitors and modifies or discontinues the intervention based on the
	patient response
Communication	Explain the procedure to the patient using appropriate language (2 pts)
(3 pts)	Informed consent to proceed
Skill Performance	Joint and Motion measured:
ROM	
(7 pts)	Positioning of patient in preferred or acceptable position
	Expose joint and landmarks with proper draping as needed
	Have patient demonstrate AROM
	Take patient through full PROM
	Prevent or correct substitutions
	Maintain proper alignment of goniometer, or other measuring device
	Measure at eye level
Skill Performance	Joint and Motion tested:
MMT	
(7 pts)	Positioning of patient in preferred or acceptable position
	Expose joint and landmarks
	Have patient demonstrate AROM
	Prevent or correct substitutions
	Give resistance correctly, location and direction
	Perform test 3 times
	Grade strength accurately
Knowledge	Know normal range of motion
(2 pts)	Can define MMT grade
Documentation	Accurately document ROM measurement
(6 pts)	Accurately document MMT grade

Notes: