

# Competencies/Evaluations

A. Each student will complete the prescribed clinical competencies as noted in their syllabi each semester, and a master list of the RPT competencies is provided below. The student must assure that these are completed. The proper sequence will be covered by the clinical director. It is the student's responsibility to see that all competencies are completed in the laboratory each semester. Clinical competencies are to be completed in accordance with the clinical course syllabi and the clinical core competencies master document.

B. If the student receives an evaluation that is unsatisfactory, or less than satisfactory they will be counseled. Upon the second unsatisfactory evaluation, the student is on probationary status and re-evaluated by the Director of Clinical Education. Upon the third unsatisfactory evaluation, the student will be dismissed from clinical resulting in dismissal from the program. **No Exceptions!**

C. Failure to safely perform a critical skill in the clinical setting will result in remediation of the student. Upon the second failure the student will be dismissed from the program.

D. Evaluations are turned in to the designated faculty weekly. These evaluations are to be completed by the preceptor. Any information that is forged will result in expulsion from the program.

## RPT CLINICAL COMPETENCIES

Adjunctive Breathing Techniques

Arterial Line Monitoring

Arterial Line Sampling

Arterial Puncture

Bacteriologic Surveillance

Basic Spirometry

Bedside Pulmonary Function

Breath Sounds

Bronchoscopy Assisting

Capillary Sampling

Changing ventilator circuit

Chest Percussion and Postural

Drainage

Chest Tubes

Chest X-Ray Interpretation

CPAP

CVP and PAP Monitoring

DPI Administration

ECG

Endotracheal Suctioning

End-Tidal Monitoring

Equipment processing

Extubation

Flutter Valve Therapy

Hand Washing

Vest Airway Clearance System

Incentive Spirometry

Initiation of Mechanical

Ventilation

Initiation on New born

Mechanical Ventilation

Intrapulmonary Percussive

Ventilation

Intubation

Isolation Procedures

Manual Resuscitation

MDI Administration

Monitoring Mechanical Ventilation

Monitoring Cuff Pressure

Monitoring Newborn Mechanical

Ventilation

Nasotracheal Suctioning

**NON-Invasive Mechanical  
Ventilation  
Oxygen Administration  
Oxygen Concentrations  
Oxygen Supply Systems  
PEP Mask Therapy  
Physical Assessment  
Pressure Support  
Pulse Ox Monitoring  
Small Volume Neb Therapy  
Spontaneous Breathing  
Parameters  
Tracheostomy and Stoma care  
Transcutaneous Monitoring  
Vital Signs  
Wave Form Analysis**