Candidate: _____ Date: _____

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Skill Drill 9-4 Procedure for Automated External Defibrillation

Task: Perform automated external defibrillation.					
Performance Observations: The candidate shall be able to correctly perform automated external defibrillation.					
Candidate Directive: "Properly perform automated external defibrillation."					
No.	**Task Steps**	**First Test**		**Retest**	
		P	**F**	**P**	**F**
1.	Check ABCs—look, listen, and feel.				
2.	If patient is pulseless and not breathing, perform CPR for five cycles (about 2 minutes). If arrest is witnessed, proceed to step 3.				
3.	Apply adhesive electrode pads and connect to the defibrillator.				
4.	Turn AED on and allow machine to analyze rhythm. Determine if shock is indicated by the defibrillator. If shock is indicated, defibrillate the patient.				
5.	Perform five cycles of CPR (about 2 minutes) starting with chest compressions.				
6.	Repeat steps 4 and 5 until defibrillator no longer recommends a shock.				
7.	When no shock is recommended, check the pulse. If no pulse is present, check and correct breathing.				
Retest Approved By:		Retest Evaluation:			

Evaluator Comments: _____

Candidate Comments: _____

Evaluator _____ Date _____

Candidate _____ Date _____

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Retest Candidate _____ Date _____

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