

CLINICAL PERFORMANCE EXAM
Objective and Structured Clinical Examination

(CPX – OSCE)

Guideline for Interns

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Background and Purpose

Clinical Performance Exam (CPX) is established by Dongguk University Los Angeles (DULA) to evaluate the learning outcomes of students related to their competency in clinical skills at the end of clinical internship level 2.

CPX Exam is designed to follow a format of Objective and Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE). During the CPX exam, each student will be simultaneously evaluated of their practical clinical skills competency through series of skill station phase as follows:

- Phase 1 – Competency of Neck Physical Exam
- Phase 2 – Competency of Back Physical Exam
- Phase 3 – Competency of Upper Extremities Physical Exam
- Phase 4 – Competency of Lower Extremities Physical Exam
- Phase 5 – Competency of Cupping
- Phase 6 – Competency of Moxibustion
- Phase 7 – Competency of Ear Acupuncture
- Phase 8 – Competency of Scalp Acupuncture
- Phase 9 – Competency of Body Acupuncture and Electroacupuncture
- Phase 10 – Competency of Herbology

Each phase of CPX Skill Station is designed to assess the current state of learning objectives related to the clinical skill competency that each student should acquire prior to advance to the clinical internship level 3.

Prerequisites to take CPX

Only interns' level 2 can register and participate in CPX. Furthermore, interns should also have completed at least 200 hours of clinical internship training of level 2. Special circumstances may be considered, however petition in writing should be directed in prior to OMC Director for review prior to the decision.

CPX Exam Passing Score Requirements

Interns should meet the **minimum of 70% score in overall 10 phases** (as described in this guideline) that will be tested during CPX. Registration to the next phase of clinical internship will be locked if all requirements have not been met, including passing CPX.

CPX Exam Registration Period

CPX Exam registration period is opened on a quarterly basis, starting from the 3rd – 7th week of academic quarter.

CPX Exam Date

CPX Exam is offered in every quarter. The exam will be conducted once every 10th week of academic quarter.

CPX Exam Procedure

Please follow this procedure regarding the exam registration:

1. Each student should register themselves to OMC Intern Coordinator to schedule their CPX exam date. Exam registration period is opened from 3rd – 7th week of academic quarter.
2. CPX will be delivered once every 10th week of academic quarter in DULA.
3. Each intern should bring their own human model for CPX. Special circumstances will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis under the guidance and approval of OMC Director.

4. Intern will be informed if they are approved to sit on CPX exam once the registration form has been received. If approved, the date of CPX and other related information will be informed to the registered intern.
5. Cancellation to take CPX should be submitted in written to OMC Intern Coordinator at least seven (7) days prior to CPX date.

Please follow this information regarding the technical procedure during the exam:

1. During the CPX date, each intern should bring their own human model.
2. Through the model, interns will be simultaneously evaluated on their clinical competency through 10 phases of structural skill station.

The model represents series of CPX phases as follows:

- a. **Human Model**
For CPX Phase 1 – 4: Physical Exam (Neck, Back, Upper and Lower Extremities)
 - b. **Mannequin Model**
For CPX Phase 5 – 6: Cupping, Moxibustion
 - c. **Ear and Scalp Mannequin Model**
For CPX Phase 7 – 8: Ear and Scalp Acupuncture
 - d. **Self-Treatment**
For CPX Phase 9: Body Acupuncture and Electroacupuncture
 - e. **Herbs Model (Herbs will be prepared by OMC)**
For CPX Phase 10: Herbology
3. Clinical Faculty that has been assigned by OMC Director will evaluate the interns while they are completing 10 phases of CPX.
 4. In each CPX Phase, there are list of checkpoints. Each point will be scored by clinical faculty while intern perform their clinical skill on the model.

Each checkpoints will be scored using the following score reference:

- **Score 0:** Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- **Score 1:** Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- **Score 2:** Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

The result of CPX will be informed to student individually by OMC intern coordinator.

General inquiry and consultation regarding CPX can be scheduled with OMC Intern Coordinator (omcic@dula.edu).

List of CPX Ear Acupuncture Points

During the CPX, clinical faculty will select 3 ear acupuncture points to evaluate the intern’s competency in CPX Phase 7: Ear Acupuncture. All ear acupuncture points that will be tested in CPX use the reference from “Chinese Acupuncture and Moxibustion by Cheng Xinnong – 13th printing edition, 2012”

Interns are required to be competent to locate, perform acupuncture needling and understand the function and indication of the following ear acupuncture points:

Anatomical Portion	Point Name
Helix Crus and Helix	Ear Apex
Scapha	Wrist
	Elbow
	Shoulder
Superior Antihelix Crus	Knee
	Ankle
Inferior Antihelix Crus	Ischium
Antihelix	Neck
	Chest
	Ear-Shenmen

Anatomical Portion	Point Name
Triangular Fossa	Triangular Depression
Periphery Helix Crus	Large Intestine
	Liver
Cymba Conchae	Kidney
	Heart
Cavum Conchae	Lung
	Intertragus (Endocrine)
	Spleen
Ear Lobule	Tongue
	Tonsil

List of CPX Scalp Acupuncture Points

During the CPX, clinical faculty will select 3 scalp acupuncture points to evaluate the intern's competency in CPX Phase 8: Scalp Acupuncture.

Interns are required to be competent to locate, perform acupuncture needling and understand the indication of the following scalp acupuncture points:

Point Name	Anatomical Location	Indications
Motor Area Line	<p>To begin with, draw a guidance line from midpoint of antero-posterior midline of head to intersection point where the anterior hairline meets the eyebrow line (if hair is not present, the focus location will be located directly above zygomatic arch).</p> <p>Motor Area Line: 0.5 cm posterior to midline. The line can be divided into 3 sections:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upper 1/5 • Middle 2/5 • Lower 2/5 	<p>Upper 1/5: Lower limb and trunk paralysis.</p> <p>Middle 2/5: Upper limb paralysis.</p> <p>Lower 2/5: Facial Area and Speech 1 Area (Upper Motor Neuron paralysis of face, motor aphasia, dribbling saliva, impaired speech).</p>
Sensory Area Line	<p>To begin with, draw a guidance line from midpoint of antero-posterior midline of head to intersection point where the anterior hairline meets the eyebrow line (if hair is not present, the focus location will be located directly above zygomatic arch).</p> <p>Sensory Area Line: 1.5 cm posterior to Motor Line. The line can be divided into 3 sections:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upper 1/5 • Middle 2/5 • Lower 2/5 	<p>Upper 1/5: Lower limb, head and trunk sensory related disorder (ie: pain, numbness or paresthesia).</p> <p>Middle 2/5: Upper limb area sensory related disorder (ie: pain, numbness or paresthesia).</p> <p>Lower 2/5: Facial area sensory related disorder (ie: pain, numbness or paresthesia).</p>
Chorea Tremor Control Area Line	<p>To begin with, draw a guidance line from midpoint of antero-posterior midline of head to intersection point where the anterior hairline meets the eyebrow line (if hair is not present, the focus location will be located directly above zygomatic arch).</p> <p>Chorea Tremor Control Area Line: 1.5 cm anterior to Motor Line.</p>	Sydenham's Chorea, tremors, palsy and related syndromes.
Speech 2 Area Line	Vertical line 2 cm located beside the Tuber Parietal on the posterior of the head. The Speech 2-line 3 cm in length.	Nominal Aphasia.
Speech 3 Area Line	<p>3 cm horizontal line that overlaps Vertigo and Hearing line at the midpoint continues posterior, 1.5 cm superior to auricular apex.</p> <p>For reference, the Vertigo and Hearing line is 4 cm horizontal line centering on the auricular apex 1.5 cm superior to auricular apex.</p>	Receptive Aphasia.
Stomach Area Line	Beginning of hairline 2 cm, extending posterior, directly on the inline with pupil of the eye.	Abdominal discomfort.

Vision Area Line	1 cm lateral to occipital protuberance, parallel to midline, 4 cm in length extend superior.	Cortical blindness.
Balance Area Line	3 cm lateral to external protuberance parallel to midline, 4 cm in length and extending inferior.	Losing balance due to cerebellar disorders.

List of CPX Physical Exam Orthopedic Tests

During the CPX, clinical faculty will select 3 orthopedic tests for each CPX Phase 1, 2, 3 and 4, which relates to the intern's competency in Physical Exam (Neck, Back, Upper and Lower Extremities).

Interns are required to comprehensively review and competent to perform the following physical test:

Anatomical Region	Physical Test	Reference
Neck	Spurling A Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3AlqxRrsCB4&list=PL5940A9F7D61573C3&index=7
	Spurling B Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=10MlrbqaYKo&list=PL5940A9F7D61573C3&index=6
	Hoffmann's Sign Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q_4gpNizwPg&index=15&list=PL5940A9F7D61573C3
	Babinski Sign Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q4z7Vhd0oWc&index=20&list=PL5940A9F7D61573C3
	Adson's Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EhUz2Yggz38&list=PL5940A9F7D61573C3&index=22
	L'Hermitte Sign Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c7YE-4sKOQ&index=9&list=PLKxkgBlw8L3YfULMQf9DKYoit29kJ_Xjb
Back	Straight Leg Raise (SLR) Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KziCDXXfC-4&list=PL005A7AAC229BFF9C&index=3
	Slump Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6ohO2CHy8NE&list=PL005A7AAC229BFF9C&index=5
	Sacroiliac Compression Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f4e7NSqR0vc&index=10&list=PL005A7AAC229BFF9C
	Sacroiliac Distraction Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=szqvDYflAGw&index=9&list=PL005A7AAC229BFF9C
	Kernig Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KzCvCBW-Ok0&index=26&list=PL005A7AAC229BFF9C
	Brudzinki Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MmMfBfYlJA&index=34&list=PL005A7AAC229BFF9C
	Brudzinki-Kernig Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3TZb59N9n2A&list=PL005A7AAC229BFF9C&index=33
	Bowstring Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=orb-VI51QF0&list=PL005A7AAC229BFF9C&index=36
Upper Extremities	Empty Can Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nSlrWoCfs4w
	Yergason Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DtRi96Cz6eU&list=PLDF3ABFE215B085A9&index=3
	Speed Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DtRi96Cz6eU&list=PLDF3ABFE215B085A9&index=3
	Neer Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O6k8ZV9I1ds&list=PLDF3ABFE215B085A9&index=14
	Hawkins Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DIUMizDhec4&list=PLDF3ABFE215B085A9&index=23
	Cozen Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iDQUeF77DOA
	Mill's Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sL-W5aeDsHI
	Tinel's Sign Elbow	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CPJpT_C0I4k
	Varus Stress Test Elbow	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rcIGQ7daGek&list=PL1783CA8B0D93BC89

	Valgus Stress Test Elbow	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cd25qGCokQ&list=PL1783CA8B0D93BC89&index=2
	Phalen's Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yA05fPPWmLE&list=PL1A5C58F6FB66B8AF&index=16
	Tinel's Sign Wrist	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Mega3c8lZE
	Finkelstein Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1LShKFM3rY0&list=PL1A5C58F6FB66B8AF&index=26
Lower Extremities	Thomas Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SYz1TwwlTIQ
	FABER Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CDHkXsN_FD&list=PL7ED9D127BF2EEC2A&index=21
	McMurray's Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uKvQ_6C3U_o&list=PLAFF821CC4E003B9B&index=21
	Lachman's Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=htJiomxxJ7Q&list=PLAFF821CC4E003B9B&index=24
	Varus Test Knee	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d7cHlrtz6b8&list=PLAFF821CC4E003B9B
	Valgus Test Knee	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m6m0r9anhdY&index=2&list=PLAFF821CC4E003B9B
	Anterior Drawer Test Knee	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hf0v0Py7snc&index=37&list=PLAFF821CC4E003B9B
	Posterior Drawer Test Knee	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u8hiqyxDcwo&list=PLAFF821CC4E003B9B&index=12
	Ober's Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WegGY5Yw_wg&list=PLAFF821CC4E003B9B&index=16
	Appley's Compression and Distraction Test Knee	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o60f9kEmGxE&list=PLAFF821CC4E003B9B&index=36
	Thompson's Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GtJF5cUmslI&list=PLD7027853E82AE901&index=3
	Kleiger Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DlyOoBnPf0w&list=PLD7027853E82AE901&index=13
	Achilles Tendon Palpation Test	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a9FI_0HpQ5Y&index=24&list=PLD7027853E82AE901

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 1: Physical Exam of Neck

Purpose:

- Understand general anatomy of human neck
- Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the interpretation of findings from the physical exam related to neck
- Demonstrates adequate skill to perform physical exam related to neck

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

Each intern will be tested 3 physical tests related to neck. See list of physical exam orthopedic tests (given in this guideline) to better prepare yourself for this phase.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 1 = 22 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 1 = 15 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 1:

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Explain to patient the procedure of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	2	Explain to patient the purpose of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	3	Proper instruction to prepare the positioning of the patient prior to perform each tests			
Physical Test #1	4	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	5	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #2	6	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	7	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #3	8	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	9	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Others	10	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	11	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 2: Physical Exam of Back

Purpose:

- Understand general anatomy of human upper and lower back
- Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the interpretation of findings from the physical exam related to back
- Demonstrates adequate skill to perform physical exam related to back

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

Each intern will be tested 3 physical tests related to back. See list of physical exam orthopedic tests (given in this guideline) to better prepare yourself for this phase.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 2 = 22 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 2 = 15 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 2:

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Explain to patient the procedure of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	2	Explain to patient the purpose of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	3	Proper instruction to prepare the positioning of the patient prior to perform each tests			
Physical Test #1	4	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	5	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #2	6	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	7	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #3	8	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	9	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Others	10	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	11	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 3: Physical Exam of Upper Extremities

Purpose:

- Understand general anatomy of human upper extremities
- Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the interpretation of findings from the physical exam related to upper extremities
- Demonstrates adequate skill to perform physical exam related to extremities

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

Each intern will be tested 3 physical tests related to upper extremities. See list of physical exam orthopedic tests (given in this guideline) to better prepare yourself for this phase.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 3 = 22 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 3 = 15 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 3:

<i>Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria</i>					
Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Explain to patient the procedure of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	2	Explain to patient the purpose of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	3	Proper instruction to prepare the positioning of the patient prior to perform each tests			
Physical Test #1	4	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	5	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #2	6	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	7	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #3	8	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	9	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Others	10	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	11	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 4: Physical Exam of Lower Extremities

Purpose:

- Understand general anatomy of human lower extremities
- Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the interpretation of findings from the physical exam related to lower extremities
- Demonstrates adequate skill to perform physical exam related to extremities

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

Each intern will be tested 3 physical tests related to lower extremities. See list of physical exam orthopedic tests (given in this guideline) to better prepare yourself for this phase.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 4 = 22 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 4 = 15 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 4:

<i>Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria</i>					
Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Explain to patient the procedure of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	2	Explain to patient the purpose of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	3	Proper instruction to prepare the positioning of the patient prior to perform each tests			
Physical Test #1	4	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	5	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #2	6	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	7	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #3	8	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	9	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Others	10	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	11	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 5: Cupping

Purpose:

- Demonstrates the ability to perform cupping
- Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of cupping
- Demonstrates the knowledge of contraindication of cupping
- Competently follow the CNT procedure

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

Each intern will be tested pressure cupping and fire cupping techniques on a mannequin during this phase 5.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 5 = 34 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 5 = 23 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 5:

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Understand the general body landmark that can be indicated or contraindicated for cupping			
	2	Inform consent prior using pressure and fire cupping (including function, indication and contraindication)			
	3	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	4	Proper positioning of the model (Mannequin) prior to treatment			
	5	Evaluate the condition of the skin of the treated area prior to cupping to look for any contraindication			
	6	Clean with alcohol the area that will receive cupping treatment			
Treatment	7	Perform pressure cupping using the plastic cup (1 cup only) on UB23 Shenshu 신유 (腎俞)			
	8	Perform fire cupping using the glass cup (1 cup only) on UB23 Shenshu 신유 (腎俞)			
	9	Regularly evaluate the area that received cupping and know when to remove the cupping			
After the Treatment	10	Press the finger against the flesh at the base to break the seal			
	11	Dispose the plastic cup into the Biohazard disposal			
	12	Dispose the glass cup into the Disinfectant solution basket			
	13	Clean the treatment skin area once the cups have been removed			
	14	Wash hands after the treatment is completed			
Others	15	Inform that the cupping treatment is completed			
	16	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	17	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 6: Moxibustion

Purpose:

- Demonstrates the ability to perform moxibustion
- Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of moxibustion
- Demonstrates the knowledge of various types of moxibustion treatments
- Demonstrates the knowledge of contraindication of moxibustion

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

Each intern will be tested direct moxa, indirect moxa, moxa stick and warm needling techniques on a mannequin during this phase 6.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 6 = 50 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 6 = 35 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 6:

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria					
Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Understand the general body landmark that can be indicated or contraindicated for moxibustion			
	2	Inform consent prior using moxa treatment (including function, indication and contraindication)			
	3	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	4	Proper positioning of the model (Mannequin) prior to treatment			
	5	Evaluate the condition of the skin of the treated area prior to moxa to look for any contraindication			
	6	Prepare a water bowl for moxa waste			
Treatment	11	Proper technique of indirect moxa (on mannequin) - location will be informed by examiner			
	12	Regularly evaluate the area that received moxibustion			
	13	Proper technique of moxa stick (on mannequin) - location will be informed by examiner			
	14	Regularly evaluate the area that received moxibustion			
	15	Proper technique of warm needling (on mannequin) - location will be informed by examiner			
	16	Regularly evaluate the area that received moxibustion			
	17	Proper technique of direct moxa (on mannequin) - location will be informed by examiner			
	18	Regularly evaluate the area that received moxibustion			
After the Treatment	19	Proper cleaning after the moxibustion treatment is completed (use clamp to remove the moxa cone)			
	20	Ensure there was no active fire from the moxa			
	21	Clean the treatment skin area once the moxa has been removed			
	22	Wash hand after treatment			
	23	Inform that the moxa treatment is completed			
Others	24	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	25	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 7: Ear Acupuncture

Purpose:

- Understand general anatomical landmark of ear acupuncture
- Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of prescribed ear points
- Competent knowledge of general contraindication of ear acupuncture
- Competently follow the CNT procedure

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

Each intern will be given 3 ear acupuncture points by the evaluator during the test. See the list of CPX ear acupuncture point (given in this guideline book) to better prepare yourself for this phase 7. Interns will perform ear acupuncture on an ear mannequin.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 7 = 48 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 7 = 33 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 7:

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria					
Skill Station	No	Checkpoints			
			Incompetent (Score 0)		
			Need Improvement (Score 1)		
			Competent (Score 2)		
General Competency	1	Assess any contraindications prior to ear treatment			
	2	Inform consent about your treatment plan using Ear Acupuncture and procedure			
	3	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	4	Assess eligibility of the treated skin area prior to needling to look for any contraindication			
	5	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Ear Point #1	6	Point Location (on ear mannequin)			
	7	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on ear mannequin)			
	8	Point Function and Indication			
Ear Point #2	9	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
	10	Point Location (on ear mannequin)			
	11	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on ear mannequin)			
Ear Point #3	12	Point Function and Indication			
	13	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
	14	Point Location (on ear mannequin)			
	15	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on ear mannequin)			
After the Treatment	16	Point Function and Indication			
	17	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
	18	Proper procedure of removing the needles with clean cotton (including dispose the needle one-by-one to hazard disposal)			
	19	Clean the treatment skin area once the needles have been removed			
	20	Count the needles and locate if there are any remaining needles			
	21	Wash hand after treatment			
	22	Inform once the treatment is completed			
Professionalism	23	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	24	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 8: Scalp Acupuncture

Purpose:

- Understand general anatomical landmark of scalp acupuncture points
- Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of prescribed scalp points
- Competent knowledge of general contraindication of scalp acupuncture
- Competently follow the CNT procedure
- Competent skills related to needling technique on scalp acupuncture points

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

Each intern will be given 3 scalp acupuncture points by the evaluator during the test. See the list of CPX scalp acupuncture point (given in this guideline book) to better prepare yourself for this phase 8. Interns will perform scalp acupuncture on a scalp mannequin.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 8 = 48 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 8 = 33 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 8:

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria					
Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
General Competency	1	Assess any contraindications prior to scalp treatment			
	2	Inform consent about your treatment plan using Scalp Acupuncture and procedure			
	3	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	4	Assess eligibility of the treated skin area prior to needling to look for any contraindication			
	5	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Scalp Point #1	6	Point Location (on scalp mannequin)			
	7	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on scalp mannequin)			
	8	Point Function and Indication			
Scalp Point #2	9	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
	10	Point Location (on scalp mannequin)			
	11	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on scalp mannequin)			
Scalp Point #3	12	Point Function and Indication			
	13	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
	14	Point Location (on scalp mannequin)			
After the Treatment	15	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on scalp mannequin)			
	16	Point Function and Indication			
	17	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Professionalism	18	Proper procedure of removing the needles with clean cotton (including dispose the needle one-by-one to hazard disposal)			
	19	Clean the treatment skin area once the needles have been removed			
	20	Count the needles and locate if there are any remaining needles			
	21	Wash hand after treatment			
	22	Inform once the treatment is completed			
Professionalism	23	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	24	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 9: Body Acupuncture and Electroacupuncture (EA)

Purpose:

- Understand and able to properly select the type and size of acupuncture needles to the selected points
- Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of prescribed acupuncture points
- Competent skills in the needling and manipulation techniques
- Understand and able to operate Electroacupuncture (EA) machine
- Demonstrates knowledge about indication and contraindication of Electroacupuncture (EA)
- Competently follow the CNT procedure

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Information to test-taker:

During the CPX Phase 9 test, three (3) acupuncture points will be given by clinical faculty to intern. Based on the given acupuncture points, intern will be evaluated their competency in locating the points, acupuncture needling techniques, needling manipulation techniques, knowledge of the point's function and indication. Interns will also be evaluated on their competency in Electroacupuncture (EA).

Interns will perform acupuncture and EA on their self-body while being simultaneously evaluated in this CPX phase.

Acupuncture points will consist of all regular channel points and extra points. Off-limits points include no scalp, ear, or within the hairline. Acupuncture points on groin or breast/nipple area are also off-limits and not to be included in the test.

The CPX Phase 9 test will use the acupuncture points based on the reference from "Chinese Acupuncture and Moxibustion by Cheng Xinnong – 13th printing edition, 2012"

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 9 = 74 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 9 = 51 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 9:

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Assess any contraindications prior to treatment			
	2	Understand the general body landmark that can be indicated or contraindicated for EA			
	3	Inform consent about your acupuncture procedure			
	4	Inform consent about using EA in the treatment (including function, indication and contraindication)			
	5	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	6	Assess eligibility of the treated skin area prior to needing to look for any contraindication			
	7	Turn off any active switch on the EA machine prior to begin the treatment			
	8	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Treatment	9	Acupuncture Point #1: Location skill			
	10	Acupuncture Point #1: Point Function and Indication			
	11	Acupuncture Point #1: Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling			
	12	Acupuncture Point #2: Location skill			
	13	Acupuncture Point #2: Point Function and Indication			
	14	Acupuncture Point #2: Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling			
	15	Acupuncture Point #3: Location skill			
	16	Acupuncture Point #3: Point Function and Indication			
	17	Acupuncture Point #3: Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling			
	18	Acupuncture Tonification Technique 1: Lifting-Thrusting			
	19	Acupuncture Tonification Technique 2: Needle Rotation			
	20	Acupuncture Sedation Technique 1: Lifting-Thrusting			
	21	Acupuncture Sedation Technique 2: Needle Rotation			
	22	Proper attachment of the electrodes to the needles on the evaluator's selected points			
	23	Set the EA machine (EA Model ITO-ES-130) to low frequency 2 Hz, continuous (constant) waves, 1 minute			
	24	Low Freq EA Treatment: Able to adjust the intensity level of EA to maintain the recipient's comfort level			
	25	Set the EA machine (EA Model ITO-ES-130) to high frequency 150 Hz, continuous (constant) waves, 1 minute			
	26	High Freq EA Treatment: Able to adjust the intensity level of EA to maintain the recipient's comfort level			
After the Treatment	27	After 1 minute, when EA machine is off, ask the evaluators to remove the electric plug first from the switch prior to remove the needle			
	28	Turn off all the active switch on EA machine			
	29	Remove the attached electrodes prior to removing the needles			
	30	Proper procedure of removing the needles with clean cotton			
	31	Dispose the needle one-by-one to hazard disposal			
	32	Clean the treatment skin area once the needles have been removed			
	33	Count the needles and locate if there are any remaining needles			
	34	Wash hand after treatment			
	35	Inform once the treatment is completed			
Professionalism	36	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	37	Professional Attitude			
Total Score:					

Guideline for Preparing CPX Phase 10: Herbology

Purpose:

- Able to identify the given herbs
- Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the category, function and indication, contraindication of the given single herbs
- Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the category, function and indication, contraindication of the formula

Score Reference:

- 0: Incompetent, incomplete, unsatisfied or miss (skip) the required steps, answer wrong
- 1: Able to perform the required steps, however the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2: Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints (answer correctly and perfect)

Information to test-taker:

For CPX Phase 10, intern will pick 3 herbs from the blinded box. Intern will also be asked to build 1 formula using at least 1 of the single herbs that he/she previously picked. Intern's competency in both single herbs and formula will be evaluated.

Maximum Total Score CPX Phase 10 = 28 (100%)

Minimum Passing Score CPX Phase 10 = 19 (70%)

Checklist of Skill Station for CPX Phase 10:

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria					
Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Intern pick 3 herbs from the blinded box.					
Single Herbs	1	Herbs 1: Name the herbs that you selected			
	2	Herbs 1: Name the category of the herbs that you selected			
	3	Herbs 1: Name the function of the herbs that you selected			
	4	Herbs 2: Name the herbs that you selected			
	5	Herbs 2: Name the category of the herbs that you selected			
	6	Herbs 2: Name the function of the herbs that you selected			
	7	Herbs 3: Name the herbs that you selected			
	8	Herbs 3: Name the category of the herbs that you selected			
	9	Herbs 3: Name the function of the herbs that you selected			
Build 1 formula using at least one of the single herbs that you have picked previously					
Formula	10	Name the formula and which single herbs that build up this formula			
	11	Name which single herbs from the herbs that you picked previously that build up this formula			
	12	Name the category of Formula that you built			
	13	Name the function of the Formula that you built			
	14	Name the contraindication of the Formula that you built			
Total Score:					

CPX Phase 1 - Physical Exam for Neck

Student Name:

Student ID:

Exam Date:

Purpose:

- Understand general anatomy of human neck
- Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the interpretation of findings from the physical exam related to neck
- Demonstrates adequate skill to perform physical exam related to neck

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 22 100%

Minimum Passing Score 15 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Explain to patient the procedure of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	2	Explain to patient the purpose of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	3	Proper instruction to prepare the positioning of the patient prior to perform each tests			
Physical Test #1	4	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	5	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #2	6	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	7	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #3	8	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	9	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Others	10	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	11	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:	
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Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 2 - Physical Exam for Back

Student Name:

Student ID:

Exam Date:

Purpose:

Understand general anatomy of human upper and lower back

Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the interpretation of findings from the physical exam related to back

Demonstrates adequate skill to perform physical exam related to back

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step

1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement

2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 22 100%

Minimum Passing Score 15 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Explain to patient the procedure of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	2	Explain to patient the purpose of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	3	Proper instruction to prepare the positioning of the patient prior to perform each tests			
Physical Test #1	4	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	5	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #2	6	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	7	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #3	8	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	9	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Others	10	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	11	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 3 - Physical Exam for Upper Extremities

Student Name:

Student ID:

Exam Date:

Purpose:

Understand general anatomy of human upper extremities

Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the interpretation of findings from the physical exam related to upper extremities

Demonstrates adequate skill to perform physical exam related to extremities

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 22 100%

Minimum Passing Score 15 70%%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Explain to patient the procedure of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	2	Explain to patient the purpose of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	3	Proper instruction to prepare the positioning of the patient prior to perform each tests			
Physical Test #1	4	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	5	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #2	6	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	7	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #3	8	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	9	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Others	10	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	11	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 4 - Physical Exam for Lower Extremities

Student Name:

Student ID:

Exam Date:

Purpose:

Understand general anatomy of human lower extremities

Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the interpretation of findings from the physical exam related to lower extremities

Demonstrates adequate skill to perform physical exam related to extremities

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 22 100%

Minimum Passing Score 15 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Explain to patient the procedure of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	2	Explain to patient the purpose of the test that will be conducted in physical exam			
	3	Proper instruction to prepare the positioning of the patient prior to perform each tests			
Physical Test #1	4	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	5	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #2	6	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	7	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Physical Test #3	8	Perform the test properly and correctly			
	9	Explain the meaning of the findings from the test			
Others	10	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	11	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 5 - Cupping

Student Name:

Student ID:

Exam Date:

Purpose:

Demonstrates the ability to perform cupping

Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of cupping

Demonstrates the knowledge of contraindication of cupping

Competently follow the CNT procedure

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 34 100%

Minimum Passing Score 23 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Understand the general body landmark that can be indicated or contraindicated for cupping			
	2	Inform consent prior using pressure and fire cupping (including function, indication and contraindication)			
	3	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	4	Proper positioning of the model (Mannequin) prior to treatment			
	5	Evaluate the condition of the skin of the treated area prior to cupping to look for any contraindication			
	6	Clean with alcohol the area that will receive cupping treatment			
Treatment	7	Perform pressure cupping using the plastic cup (1 cup only) on UB23 Shenshu 신유 (腎俞)			
	8	Perform fire cupping using the glass cup (1 cup only) on UB23 Shenshu 신유 (腎俞)			
	9	Regularly evaluate the area that received cupping and know when to remove the cupping			
After the Treatment	10	Press the finger against the flesh at the base to break the seal			
	11	Dispose the plastic cup into the Biohazard disposal			
	12	Dispose the glass cup into the Disinfectant solution basket			
	13	Clean the treatment skin area once the cups have been removed			
	14	Wash hands after the treatment is completed			
	15	Inform that the cupping treatment is completed			
Others	16	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	17	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 6 - Moxibustion

Student Name:
 Student ID:
 Exam Date:

Purpose:

Demonstrates the ability to perform moxibustion
 Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of moxibustion
 Demonstrates the knowledge of various types of moxibustion treatment
 Demonstrates the knowledge of contraindication of moxibustion

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 50 100%
Minimum Passing Score 35 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Understand the general body landmark that can be indicated or contraindicated for moxibustion			
	2	Inform consent prior using moxa treatment (including function, indication and contraindication)			
	3	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	4	Proper positioning of the model (Mannequin) prior to treatment			
	5	Evaluate the condition of the skin of the treated area prior to moxa to look for any contraindication			
	6	Prepare a water bowl for moxa waste			
Treatment	11	Proper technique of indirect moxa (on mannequin) - location will be informed by examiner			
	12	Regularly evaluate the area that received moxibustion			
	13	Proper technique of moxa stick (on mannequin) - location will be informed by examiner			
	14	Regularly evaluate the area that received moxibustion			
	15	Proper technique of warm needling (on mannequin) - location will be informed by examiner			
	16	Regularly evaluate the area that received moxibustion			
	17	Proper technique of direct moxa (on mannequin) - location will be informed by examiner			
	18	Regularly evaluate the area that received moxibustion			
After the Treatment	19	Proper cleaning after the moxibustion treatment is completed (use clamp to remove the moxa cone)			
	20	Ensure there was no active fire from the moxa			
	21	Clean the treatment skin area once the moxa has been removed			
	22	Wash hand after treatment			
	23	Inform that the moxa treatment is completed			
Others	24	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	25	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 7 - Ear Acupuncture

Student Name:
 Student ID:
 Exam Date:

Purpose:

Understand general anatomical landmark of ear acupuncture
 Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of prescribed ear points
 Competent knowledge of general contraindication of ear acupuncture
 Competently follow the CNT procedure

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 48 100%
Minimum Passing Score 33 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
General Competency	1	Assess any contraindications prior to ear treatment			
	2	Inform consent about your treatment plan using Ear Acupuncture and procedure			
	3	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	4	Assess eligibility of the treated skin area prior to needling to look for any contraindication			
	5	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Ear Point #1	6	Point Location (on ear mannequin)			
	7	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on ear mannequin)			
	8	Point Function and Indication			
Ear Point #2	9	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
	10	Point Location (on ear mannequin)			
	11	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on ear mannequin)			
	12	Point Function and Indication			
Ear Point #3	13	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
	14	Point Location (on ear mannequin)			
	15	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on ear mannequin)			
After the Treatment	16	Point Function and Indication			
	17	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
	18	Proper procedure of removing the needles with clean cotton (including dispose the needle one-by-one to hazard disposal)			
	19	Clean the treatment skin area once the needles have been removed			
	20	Count the needles and locate if there are any remaining needles			
	21	Wash hand after treatment			
	22	Inform once the treatment is completed			
Professionalism	23	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	24	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 8 - Scalp Acupuncture

Student Name:

Student ID:

Exam Date:

Purpose:

- Understand general anatomical landmark of scalp acupuncture points
- Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of prescribed scalp points
- Competent knowledge of general contraindication of scalp acupuncture
- Competent skills related to needling technique on scalp acupuncture points
- Competently follow the CNT procedure

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 48 100%

Minimum Passing Score 33 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
General Competency	1	Assess any contraindications prior to scalp treatment			
	2	Inform consent about your treatment plan using Scalp Acupuncture and procedure			
	3	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	4	Assess eligibility of the treated skin area prior to needling to look for any contraindication			
	5	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Scalp Point #1	6	Point Location (on scalp mannequin)			
	7	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on scalp mannequin)			
	8	Point Function and Indication			
	9	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Scalp Point #2	10	Point Location (on scalp mannequin)			
	11	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on scalp mannequin)			
	12	Point Function and Indication			
	13	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Scalp Point #3	14	Point Location (on scalp mannequin)			
	15	Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling (on scalp mannequin)			
	16	Point Function and Indication			
	17	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
After the Treatment	18	Proper procedure of removing the needles with clean cotton (including dispose the needle one-by-one to hazard disposal)			
	19	Clean the treatment skin area once the needles have been removed			
	20	Count the needles and locate if there are any remaining needles			
	21	Wash hand after treatment			
	22	Inform once the treatment is completed			
Professionalism	23	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	24	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 9 - Body Acupuncture and Electroacupuncture (EA)

Student Name:
 Student ID:
 Exam Date:

Purpose:

Understand and able to properly select the type and size of acupuncture needles to the selected points
 Demonstrates the adequate knowledge of the function and indication of prescribed acupuncture points
 Competent skills in the needling and manipulation techniques
 Understand and able to operate Electroacupuncture (EA) machine
 Demonstrates knowledge about indication and contraindication of Electroacupuncture (EA)
 Competently follow the CNT procedure

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints

Maximum Total Score 74 100%
 Minimum Passing Score 51 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Prior to Treatment	1	Assess any contraindications prior to treatment			
	2	Understand the general body landmark that can be indicated or contraindicated for EA			
	3	Inform consent about your acupuncture procedure			
	4	Inform consent about using EA in the treatment (including function, indication and contraindication)			
	5	Proper hand washing prior to treatment			
	6	Assess eligibility of the treated skin area prior to needling to look for any contraindication			
	7	Turn off any active switch on the EA machine prior to begin the treatment			
	8	Proper cleaning techniques to the location of the point prior to needling			
Treatment	9	Acupuncture Point #1: Location skill			
	10	Acupuncture Point #1: Point Function and Indication			
	11	Acupuncture Point #1: Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling			
	12	Acupuncture Point #2: Location skill			
	13	Acupuncture Point #2: Point Function and Indication			
	14	Acupuncture Point #2: Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling			
	15	Acupuncture Point #3: Location skill			
	16	Acupuncture Point #3: Point Function and Indication			
	17	Acupuncture Point #3: Proper insertion of needle including angle and depth of needling			
	18	Acupuncture Tonification Technique 1: Lifting-Thrusting			
	19	Acupuncture Tonification Technique 2: Needle Rotation			
	20	Acupuncture Sedation Technique 1: Lifting-Thrusting			
	21	Acupuncture Sedation Technique 2: Needle Rotation			
After the Treatment	22	Proper attachment of the electrodes to the needles on the evaluator's selected points			
	23	Set the EA machine (EA Model ITO-ES-130) to low frequency 2 Hz, continuous (constant) waves, 1 minute			
	24	Low Freq EA Treatment: Able to adjust the intensity level of EA to maintain the recipient's comfort level			
	25	Set the EA machine (EA Model ITO-ES-130) to high frequency 150 Hz, continuous (constant) waves, 1 minute			
	26	High Freq EA Treatment: Able to adjust the intensity level of EA to maintain the recipient's comfort level			
	27	After 1 minute, when EA machine is off, ask the evaluators to remove the electric plug first from the switch prior to remove the needle			
Professionalism	28	Turn off all the active switch on EA machine			
	29	Remove the attached electrodes prior to removing the needles			
	30	Proper procedure of removing the needles with clean cotton			
	31	Dispose the needle one-by-one to hazard disposal			
	32	Clean the treatment skin area once the needles have been removed			
	33	Count the needles and locate if there are any remaining needles			
	34	Wash hand after treatment			
	35	Inform once the treatment is completed			
	36	All the above procedure was followed in order			
	37	Professional Attitude			

Total Score:

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature:

CPX Phase 10 - Herbology

Student Name:
 Student ID:
 Exam Date:

Purpose:

Able to identify the given herbs
 Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the category, function and indication, contraindication of the given single herbs
 Demonstrates adequate knowledge of the category, function and indication, contraindication of the formula

Minimum passing score is 70% from the cumulative of 10 Phases of CPX Skill Station

Score Reference:

- 0 Incompetent / Incomplete / Unsatisfied / Miss (Skip) the step / Wrong Answer
- 1 Able to perform the required step, but the performance is not fully satisfied and need further improvement
- 2 Able to perform the required steps with adequate knowledge and satisfied the standard of competency as described according to the related checkpoints (Answer correct and perfectly)

Maximum Total Score 28 100%
Minimum Passing Score 19 70%

Checklist

Please check (✓) on the score section of each following evaluation criteria

Skill Station	No	Checkpoints	Incompetent (Score 0)	Need Improvement (Score 1)	Competent (Score 2)
Intern pick 3 herbs from the blinded box.					
Single Herbs	1	Herbs 1: Name the herbs that you selected			
	2	Herbs 1: Name the category of the herbs that you selected			
	3	Herbs 1: Name the function of the herbs that you selected			
	4	Herbs 2: Name the herbs that you selected			
	5	Herbs 2: Name the category of the herbs that you selected			
	6	Herbs 2: Name the function of the herbs that you selected			
	7	Herbs 3: Name the herbs that you selected			
	8	Herbs 3: Name the category of the herbs that you selected			
	9	Herbs 3: Name the function of the herbs that you selected			
Build 1 formula using at least one of the single herbs that you have picked previously					
Formula	10	Name the formula and which single herbs that build up this formula			
	11	Name which single herbs from the herbs that you picked previously that build up this formula			
	12	Name the category of Formula that you built			
	13	Name the function of the Formula that you built			
	14	Name the contraindication of the Formula that you built			

Total Score: _____

Evaluator Name:

Evaluator Signature: