

Vital Signs Monitor 300 Series (VSM) Competency Checklist

Name: _____ Unit: _____ Date: _____

- _____ True or False. The Vital Signs Monitor is intended to be used on adult, peds, and neonatal patients.
- _____ Locate the battery charger and check to see if the battery is being charged.
- _____ Demonstrate how to change patient modes and adjust the pulse tone volume.
- _____ Obtain a manual NIBP from the 300 Series monitor; then cancel a blood pressure in progress. Change the NIBP to automatic mode; then change the time intervals
- _____ Demonstrate how to SUSPEND an audible alarm; how long will it remain silenced?
a) 30 seconds b) 60 seconds c) 90 seconds
- _____ Demonstrate how to adjust alarm limits for each monitored vital sign.
- _____ Obtain an oral temperature. How will probe location impact the results.
- _____ Locate the Review button on the Monitor and display stored data. How many sets of data can be stored in memory? List two ways to erase all stored data.
- _____ Demonstrate how to change printer paper (if applicable)
- _____ True or False. When not in use, the Vital Signs Monitor should be plugged in to a power outlet.