

Marking Sheet: Non-accidental injury

Examiner _____ Candidate _____

0= Not attempted, 1=partially completed, 2=fully completed

	0	1	2
Introduces self to parent			
Candidate takes delayed history about the injury mechanism and circumstances			
Enquires about previous hospital / health care contact, if any			
Enquires about previous social services contact, if any			
Asks about delay in presentation			
Takes appropriate social history			
Asks about other children and people at home eg partner			
Indicate need to protect other sibling, with immediate effect. Possibly send emergency social worker round to check on them.			
States need to examine the injury			
States need to perform a general examination			
Indicate suspicion of NAI (inform the parent explicitly)			
Manage current injury			
Explicitly says – will not be allowed to take child home			
Refer to Paediatrics, with suspected NAI			
Indicate referral to Social Services			
Asks about domestic violence			
Does not reassure parent they he/she is blame-free! (Parent may be complicit, esp. with delayed presentation)			
Tell them that there will need to be a social services assessment – cannot bend the truth about why you are admitting			

The candidate will fail this station if they fail to explain the suspicion of NAI, or if they lie to the parent e.g. telling the parent that the child is being admitted for orthopaedic management.

Examiner's Impression:
General Comments

Pass Borderline Clear Fail