

Marking Sheet: Respiratory Examination

Examiner _____ Candidate _____

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

	0	1	2
Candidate introduces themselves to patient, confirms correct patient and washes hands			
Exposes the chest adequately			
Ensures patient adequately positioned (45 degrees)			
Observes general appearance			
Comments on recession, tracheal tugging, pursing of lips			
Checks surrounding for oxygen, inhalers, cigarettes			
Assesses Respiratory Rate			
Asks for oximetry/ oxygen saturations			
Checks Pulse and BP			
Examines hands for cigarette stains, wasting, clubbing			
Examines mouth / central cyanosis			
Tracheal position			
Palpates for lymphadenopathy			
Palpates for apex beat			
Inspection of chest from anterior			
Inspection of chest from posterior			
Tests chest expansion anteriorly or posteriorly			
Palpates for tactile vocal fremitus			
Percuss chest anteriorly or posteriorly			
Auscultation of chest anteriorly			
Auscultation of chest posteriorly			
Checks peak flow			
Offers to check inhaler technique			
Able to summarise findings			
Suggests appropriate management plan			
Offers asthma plan			
Safety Net and follow up GP, Asthma nurse			

Examiner's global score (1-5)

Actor's global score (1-5)

Examiner's Impression:
Comments

Pass Borderline Clear Fail