

AVECCTN Skills List Pocket Version

This is not the list you will submit with your application, it is a handy summary so you can keep track of skills.

You are required to have MASTERED 29/38 skills and have them signed off.

Use the official form found at: <https://bit.ly/2r1J1EC>

Recognize abnormal heart sounds with a stethoscope	Demonstrated ability to perform urinary catheterization in female dogs or cats
Recognize abnormal lung sounds with a stethoscope	Demonstrated ability to monitor and care for patients with chest tubes *Picture Required!
Recognize signs of respiratory failure	Demonstrated ability to perform thoracentesis
Recognize and address patients needing treatment for pain	Demonstrated ability to setup, maintain and monitor continuous closed chest drainage systems (ie Thoraseal®, Sentinal Seal®, Pleurovac® etc.) *Picture Required!
Recognize signs of shock	Demonstrate the ability to setup, monitor EtCO ₂ and analyze capnographic waveforms
Demonstrated ability to place intraosseous catheters *Picture Required!	Demonstrated ability to perform manual intermittent positive pressure ventilation (with Ambubag or anesthesia reservoir bag)
Demonstrated ability to properly place and maintain single lumen central venous catheters *Picture Required!	Demonstrated ability to setup, care for, maintain and monitor a patient on a critical care mechanical ventilator (i.e. has ability to change FiO ₂ percentage) for greater than ten hours. *Picture Required!
Demonstrated ability to properly place and maintain multi-lumen central venous catheters *Picture Required!	Demonstrated ability to care for, maintain and monitor patients with tracheostomy tubes *Picture Required!
Demonstrated ability to perform arterial catheterization *Picture Required!	Demonstrated ability to administer and monitor oxygen therapy (long term)
Demonstrated ability to perform arterial blood sampling	Demonstrated ability to insert a naso-oxygen catheter (not nasal prongs)
Demonstrated ability to properly administer and monitor blood product component therapy *Picture Required!	Demonstrated ability to perform gastric lavage
Demonstrated ability to setup, maintain and monitor a continuous ECG	Demonstrated ability to perform abdominocentesis (abdominal paracentesis)
Demonstrated ability to safely induce, maintain, monitor and recover critical and/or emergent patients with inhalant anesthesia	Demonstrated ability to perform diagnostic peritoneal lavage
Demonstrated ability to perform all aspects of CPR including chest compressions, manual ventilation, and emergency drug administration.	Demonstrated ability to care for, maintain and monitor patients undergoing acute peritoneal dialysis, CRRT and/or hemodialysis. *Picture Required!
Demonstrated ability to safely perform external defibrillation *Picture Required!	Demonstrated ability to administer and maintain patients on Total Parenteral Nutrition (TPN) and/or Partial Parenteral Nutrition (PPN) *Picture Required!
Demonstrated ability to resuscitate newborn puppies or kittens after c-section	Demonstrated ability to place, monitor and care for patients with nasogastric or nasoesophageal feeding tubes
Demonstrated ability to setup, maintain and monitor direct arterial pressure *Picture Required!	Demonstrated ability to provide enteral feeding through feeding tubes
Demonstrated ability to perform indirect arterial pressure monitoring	Demonstrated ability to perform cystocentesis
Demonstrated ability to setup, maintain and monitor central venous pressure *Picture Required!	Demonstrated ability to perform urinary catheterization in male dogs or cats