

Suggestions for Performance Evaluation with the LIFEPAK® 12 Defibrillator/Monitor

Invasive Pressure (IP)

Name: _____ Unit: _____

Reviewer: _____ Date: _____

This Performance Evaluation is a suggested assessment of one's ability to operate the Invasive Pressure component in the LIFEPAK 12 defibrillator/monitor series. This is a limited evaluation and does not cover all information and skills required to operate the device safely and effectively. This evaluation is designed to be completed after viewing the appropriate inservice video or observing an equipment demonstration given by a qualified instructor. For complete information, review the LIFEPAK 12 defibrillator/monitor Operating Instructions. References to buttons are in **bold** and screen display messages are indicated in *italics*.

Invasive Pressure Monitoring

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION	COMPLETE	INCOMPLETE	COMMENTS
1. Ensures monitor/defibrillator is on			
2. Prepares transducer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Per local protocol and transducer operating instructions 			
3. Connects IP adapter cable			
4. Selects appropriate channel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selects appropriate channel in main screen Select appropriate waveform Selects default or P1/P2 from the menu Selects ART, PA, CVP, ICP, LAP as appropriate 			
5. Zeroes transducer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Loosens luer lock stopcock cap Opens transducer stopcock to air to zero the transducer Selects <i>P1</i> or <i>P2</i> as appropriate Selects zero from menu Verifies <i>ZEROED</i> message appears and pressure values are 0 			
6. Obtains pressure reading <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closes stopcock to air Tightens/replaces stopcock cap Confirms pressure amplitude correlates to digital readout 			

