**Direct Observation Procedural Skill:** Wound Suturing Skills for Skin Closure

1.	Alocated Time	15 minutes			
2.	Assessed Level of Competence	Level 4: Able to demonstrate technical ability in wound suturing skills for simple skin closure competently			
3.	Competence Evaluation	Tools preparation     Aseptic and antiseptic (including draping)     Instruments handling     Suturing handling     Patient communication and education skill Professionalism			
4.	Anatomy System Category	Skin and subcutaneous tissue			
5.	Instruction for Test Participants	CLINICAL SCENARIO:  Mrs. Martini, 28 years old, complains of wound at her left palm with the length of 3 cm caused by broken glass 30 minutes before arriving at the hospital. The patient came to ED where you are the general practitioner on duty. General examination: patient is cooperative, stable, vital signs within normal limits.  Local examination: at the left palm, there is a wound with the length of 3cm and depth of 3mm, without active bleeding.  Participants' Tasks:  1. Communicate and prepare before minor surgical procedure  Do simple interrupted sutures to the patient, starting from tools preparation to wound dressing  GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS  1. Observe and score (0/1/2/3) for the tasks performed by the participant as well as Global Rating scorappropriately on the grading paper and computer.  2. Avoid interruption and/or other proceedings except for the ones instructed on examiners' instruction.  3. Provide relevant information/results, only when it is important.			
6.	Instruction for Test Examiners				
7.		SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS  1. Examiners assess preparation Tools preparation: Sterile gloves, sterile gauze, sterile drape, suturing set (needle holder, anatomic forceps, blunt forceps, suture scissors, sterile container, instrument tray), suture (non-absorbable), povidone iodine, non-sterile gloves.  2. Examiners assess the ability of participants to differ between sterile and non-sterile 3. Examiners assess the ability of participants to correctly handle the instruments 4. Examiners assess the ability of participants to suture (simple interrupted reef knot) rapidly and correctly 5. Examiners assess the professionalism of participants  Foto			
8.	Mannequin Requirement	Yes – Hecting Pad			
9.	Tools Requirement	Hecting(suturing) set, Sterile gloves, sterile gauze, sterile drape with 15x15cm opening, hecting set (needle holder, anatomic forceps, chirurgic forceps, suture scissors, sterile container, instrument tray), suture (absorbable atau non absorbable), povidone iodine, non-sterile gloves, medical waste plastic bag or container			
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Participant's Name : Examiner Name: Date of Examination : Location:

## DOPS SCORING RUBRIC Wound Suturing Skills for Skin Closure

**Scoring Rubric** 

COMPETENCE	0	1	2	3	WEIGHT	SCORE	Final Score ( weight X Score)
Communicati on and professionali sm to the patient	Participant did not ask for permission verbally and failed to do 1-2 points below thoroughly:  1. Carefully and thoroughly do every step as to not endanger the doctor and the patient  2. Pay attention to patient's comfort  3. Do every step based on priority  4. Show respect to the patient	Participant asked for permission verbally and did 1-2 points below thoroughly:  1. Carefully and thoroughly do every step as to not endanger the doctor and the patient  2. Pay attention to patient's comfort  3. Do every step based on priority  4. Show respect to the patient	Participant asked for permission verbally and did 3 points below thoroughly:  1. Carefully and thoroughly do every step as to not endanger the doctor and the patient  2. Pay attention to patient's comfort  3. Do every step based on priority  4. Show respect to the patient	Participant asked for permission verbally and did all 4 points below thoroughly:  1. Carefully and thoroughly do every step as to not endanger the doctor and the patient  2. Pay attention to patient's comfort  3. Do every step based on priority  4. Show respect to the patient	2		
2. Tools preparation	Participant did not do 6-step hand washing and/or prepare only 1-3 of the tools listed below:  1. Sterile surgical gloves 2. Needle and suture 3. Hecting set 4. Syringe 5. Lidocaine 6. Mannequin / hecting pad 7. Betadine 8. Sterile drape 9. Gauze and plaster	Participant did not do 6-step hand washing and/or prepare only 4-5 of the tools listed below:  1. Sterile surgical gloves 2. Needle and suture 3. Hecting set 4. Syringe 5. Lidocaine 6. Mannequin / hecting pad 7. Betadine 8. Sterile drape 9. Gauze and plaster	Participant did not do 6-step hand washing and/or prepare only 6-7 of the tools listed below:  1. Sterile surgical gloves 2. Needle and suture 3. Hecting set 4. Syringe 5. Lidocaine 6. Mannequin / hecting pad 7. Betadine 8. Sterile drape 9. Gauze and plaster	Participant did not do 6-step hand washing and/or prepare at least 8 of the tools listed below:  1. Sterile surgical gloves 2. Needle and suture 3. Hecting set 4. Syringe 5. Lidocaine 6. Mannequin / hecting pad 7. Betadine 8. Sterile drape 9. Gauze and plaster	3		

3.	Aseptic and antiseptic (including draping)	Participant did not care for sterility	Participant did 1-2 out of 5 aseptic and antiseptic steps:  1. Determining sterile area and putting sterile objects inside the sterile area  2. Correctly wear medical gloves  3. Carefully maintain sterility  4. Sterilizing the area using betadine, in a circular motion from inward to outward, and not going back inward  5. Setting up sterile drape at the wound	Participant did 3-4 out of 5 aseptic and antiseptic steps:  1. Determining sterile area and putting sterile objects inside the sterile area 2. Correctly wear medical gloves 3. Carefully maintain sterility 4. Sterilizing the area using betadine, in a circular motion from inward to outward, and not going back inward 5. Setting up sterile drape at the wound	Participant did all of 5 aseptic and antiseptic steps:  1. Determining sterile area and putting sterile objects inside the sterile area  2. Correctly wear medical gloves  3. Carefully maintain sterility  4. Sterilizing the area using betadine, in a circular motion from inward to outward, and not going back inward  5. Setting up sterile drape at the wound	5	
4.	Correct instruments handling	Participant did not possess any knowledge of the instruments	Participant was able to correctly handle the instruments, did 1 out of 3 listed below:  1. Correctly handle the forceps  2. Correctly handle the needle holder  3. Correctly picked up and handle the needle (did not handle the thread with instruments and did not handle sharps directly with hands)	Participant was able to correctly handle the instruments, did 2 out of 3 listed below:  1. Correctly handle the forceps 2. Correctly handle the needle holder 3. Correctly picked up and handle the needle (did not handle the thread with instruments and did not handle sharps directly with hands)	Participant was able to correctly handle the instruments, did all items listed below comprehensively:  1. Correctly handle the forceps 2. Correctly handle the needle holder 3. Correctly picked up and handle the needle (did not handle the thread with instruments and did not handle sharps directly with hands)	5	
5.	Suturing handling and wound dressing application.	Participant did not do any of the suturing handling and technique,nor the wound dressing application.	Participant did only 2 out of 5 items listed below:  1. Applying local anaesthetics 2. Checking that the area had been anaesthetised adequately 3. Doing the crossing maneuver, making a reef knot 4. Doing simple interrupted suture correctly and orderly (3 simple interrupted sutures for 3cm wound) 5. Dressing the wound with sterile gauze and tape	Participant did only 3-4 out of 5 items listed below:  1. Applying local anaesthetics 2. Checking that the area had been anaesthetised adequately 3. Doing the crossing maneuver, making a reef knot 4. Doing simple interrupted suture correctly and orderly (3 simple interrupted sutures for 3cm wound) 5. Dressing the wound with sterile gauze and tape	Participant understood the principles of suturing and did all steps correctly starting from local anaesthetics until wound dressing (all of 5 items listed below):  1. Applying local anaesthetics 2. Checking that the area had been anaesthetised adequately 3. Doing the crossing maneuver, making a reef knot 4. Doing simple interrupted suture correctly and orderly (3 simple interrupted sutures for 3cm wound) 5. Dressing the wound with sterile gauze and tape	5	

FINAL SCORE : Comments:		
Feedback:		
Sign and Name of Examiner:		