

**Security Forces Hospital Program  
DEPARTMENT OF NURSING**

**RECRUITMENT CHECKLIST**

**CORONARY CARE UNIT  
(C C U)**

To: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Name of Candidate**

**Note:** Please complete the skills checklist to ensure your individual experience may be clearly understood.

Tick (/) the appropriate column. The information will be used to ensure best possible placement based on your clinical expertise and our hospital's needs.

*I believe that this is an honest and accurate assessment of my skills, abilities and knowledge. I understand that failure to perform and/or meet the checked duties will affect my evaluation and progress.*

*Please See Checklist Legend Below for Parameters A, B, C:*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Applicant's Signature*

**Nurse: Patient Ratio from Last Position = 1 Nurse: \_\_\_\_\_ Patients**

<b>Clinical Skills</b>		<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
• Basic Cardiac Life Support (BCLS)				
• Certified Advance Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)				
• Intensive Care Training Course				
• Knowledge of Isolation / Standard Precautions				
• Knowledge of Glasgow Coma Scale				
• Mechanical Ventilation				
• BIPAP Management				
• Interpretation of 12 Lead ECG				
• Haemodynamic Monitoring & Interpretation				
	- Arterial pressure			
	- CVP			
	- Pulmonary Artery Pressures / Cardiac Output			
• Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy (CRRT) Management				
• Percutaneous Coronary Intervention				
• Perform Cardioversion / Defibrillation				
• Identification of Cardiac Dysrhythmias & Management				
• Charge Nurse Responsibilities				
• Preceptor Skills				

**A = Competent, 2+ years recent experience: Independent in skill and knowledgeable of disease process.**

**B = Novice: Knowledgeable of skill/disease but needs supervision.**

**C = Unskilled: Lack knowledge/skill to attend to patient/need.**

<b>Clinical Skills</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
• Interpretation of Arterial Blood Gases			
• Knowledge and Understanding of Advanced Pharmacology e.g. Dopamine, Dobutamine, Nipride, Streptokinase, T.P.A. etc.			
• Blood Extraction			
• Peripheral Cannulation			
• Intra-Aortic Balloon Pump (I.A.B.P.) Management			
<b>Preparation for / Assist with Procedures</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
• Insertion of C.V.P. Catheter			
• Insertion of Arterial Line			
• Insertion of Swan Ganz Catheter			
• Insertion of Temporary Pacing Wire			
• Insertion of Gain Catheter			
• Femoral Arterial/Venous Sheath Removal			
• Pericardiocentesis			
• Temporary Pacemaker			
• Stress Test			
• Coronary Angio Gram			
• Myocardial Perfusion Imaging			
• Cardioversion / Defibrillation			
• Transcutaneous Pacing			
• Intubation / Extubation			
• Dobutamine Echo Stress			
<b>Equipment / Instruments Used</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
• ACT Machine			
• Cardiac Monitors			
• Ventilators			
• Infusion / Syringe Pumps			
• Patient Controlled Analgesia Pumps			
• 12 Lead ECG			
• Defibrillator			
• Temporary Pacemaker Pulse Generators			
• Pulse Oximeters			
• Transcutaneous Pacing Device			
• Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy (C.R.R.T.)			
• Intra-Aortic Balloon Pump (I.A.B.P.)			
• AIRTRAQ			
• BIPAP (Bilevel Positive Airway Pressure) Device			

<b>Equipment / Instruments Used</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
• Glucometer			
• Vascular Doppler Machine			
<b>Specific Cardiac Condition Managed</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
• Heart Block			
• Acute Coronary Syndrome			
• ST Elevation MI/Non-ST Elevation MI			
• Pulmonary Edema			
• Cardiogenic Shock			
• Endocarditis			
• Cardiac Tamponade			
• Atrial Fibrillation			
• Ventricular Fibrillation			
• Hypertensive Crisis			
• Congestive Heart Failure			
• Ventricular Tachycardia			
• Supra Ventricular Tachycardia			
• Wolff Parkinson White Syndrome			
• Malfunction of Automated Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator (AICD)			