

2019 Tarleton State University Area
Veterinary Science

Practicum #2

Administering and Intramuscular Injection

Instructions: Please answer yes or no to the following questions. Select your choice by bubbling in the correct answer in the “**Assessment and Solution**” section of the Scan sheet.

Yes = A ☐
No = B ☐

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11. Did the student select the caudal thigh muscles?
12. Did the student sterilize the injection site using a cotton ball saturated with alcohol?
13. Did the student hold the syringe horizontally toward the head for caudal?
14. Did the student use moderate pressure to direct the needle through the skin and into the muscle of the caudal aspect of the thigh?
15. Did the student inject the medication into the muscle with slow steady pressure?
16. Did the student withdraw the needle from the injection site at the same angle it was inserted?
17. Did the student leave the needle uncapped?
18. Did the student place the needle into the sharps container?
19. Did the student massage the area where the injection was given?
20. Did the student praise the patient?

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30. The student is selecting the caudal thigh muscles.
31. The student is using a tissue and water to sterilize the injection site.
32. The student is holding the syringe horizontally to the head.
33. The student is using moderate pressure through the skin and into the muscle.
34. The student is injecting the medication into the muscle with slow steady pressure.
35. The student withdraws the needle from the injection site at the same angle it was injected.
36. The student is now recapping the needle.
37. The student now places the needle in the trash can.
38. The student is massaging the area where the injection was given.
39. The student praises the patient after administering the intramuscular injection.

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Answer Key

11. A

12. B

13. A

14. A

15. A

16. A

17. B

18. B

19. A

20. A

5 points each for 50 total points