## Crime Scene Investigation

### I. Describe or explain activities prior to conducting a crime scene search.

**Tasks Instructions:**

Each number to the right refers to a single student/candidate (1-10). Place a check (✓) in the respective column for the appropriate student/candidate number (1-10) if the skills listed below are observed as stated. Leave blank if not observed. Student/candidate will only get credit for the skills they have demonstrated.

| Obtain information from responding officer |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Secure the crime scene |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Document proper procedures for checking vital signs of a victim |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Demonstrate the proper procedure for certifying the death of a victim |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

*Safety and infection control are adhered to during all aspects of this task.*

*The student completed task within the time limited.*

**Points earned**

**Total possible points (6)**

### II. Explain and demonstrate the use of crime scene photography.

**Tasks Instructions:**

| Demonstrate proper crime scene photography |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Document photographs taken at the crime scene |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Demonstrate the proper use of camera settings when taking crime scene |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
Photographs

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The student completed task within the time limited.

Points earned

Total possible points (5)

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III. Demonstrate standard procedures for searching for, collecting, removing and evaluating physical evidence from a crime scene.

Tasks Instructions:

- Explain and demonstrate appropriate search method to use
- Identify evidence at a crime scene
- Document the location where evidence was collected
- Explain methods for collecting DNA evidence
- Explain and demonstrate proper bagging and marking of all evidence
- Follow chain of custody protocols

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Points earned

Total possible points (8)

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IV. Draw a crime scene sketch using proper measurements, symbols and labels.
V. Apply proper procedures for dusting and collecting clear and legible latent fingerprints from a crime scene.

**Tasks Instructions:**

- Explain and demonstrate the ability to properly lift and mount a latent fingerprint from a designated item of evidence
- Demonstrate the proper technique for marking a latent fingerprint card
- Check for legibility of collected prints

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**Points earned**

**Total possible points (5)**
VI. Release a crime scene properly and legally.

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- Demonstrate the ability to prepare an evidence inventory
- Demonstrate the ability to properly remove all evidence from the crime scene
- Demonstrate the ability to remove all equipment from a crime scene

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Points earned

Total possible points (5)

VII. Work together as a professional team to conduct a crime scene investigation.

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- Demonstrate professional bearing and demeanor
- Demonstrate the ability to assign team members' tasks equal to their aptitude

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Points earned

Total possible points (4)

Total points earned for all sections (A)

Total possible points for all sections (B) 37
| Student/candidate score (divide A/B) |   |   |   |   |   |