



SENIOR TOBOGGAN

Performance Evaluation Score Card

Candidate _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____

SCORING	
1	Essential elements were not observed or were not present
2	Essential elements are beginning to appear but not at a senior level
3	Essential elements appear but are not consistently at senior level
4	Essential elements appear regularly at a senior level
5	Essential elements appear frequently, above the senior level
6	Essential elements appear consistently at a superior level

Risk Management: All those involved will communicate any concerns regarding risk management. Strict effects must be made to ensure the safety of all participants & the public.

UNLOADED TOBOGGAN: Visual cues, what do you see? Terrain: Most Difficult Smooth or Moguled Terrain	SCORE	Comments:
a. Maintains an athletic stance between the handles.		
b. Hands are on the handle(s), approximately at hip height, slightly in front of the body. Snowboarders may place one hand on the crossbar.		
c. Skis/Rides (with short swing turns) the toboggan to the accident site, maintaining a consistent & smooth fall-line descent with minimal lateral movement of the toboggan.		
d. Performs Transitions with simultaneous edge change (<i>alpine/tele</i>) or torsional flex (<i>snowboarders</i>).		
e. Stops a safe distance uphill and effectively communicates with the accident scene for instructions to position the toboggan.		
f. Effectively & correctly backs in and anchors the toboggan for patient pickup. Snowboarders may choose to have one handle locked to assist with positioning.		
Unloaded Toboggan: minimum to pass 24. subtotal		P F

LOADED TOBOGGAN: ALONE (with deployable secondary brake) Visual cues, what do you see? Terrain: Most Difficult Smooth Name	SCORE	Comments
a. Maintains an athletic stance between the handles.		
b. Select a fall line route that is safe for the patient & customers.		
c. Provides a smooth and consistent pace throughout the run.		
d. Provides effective braking (<i>including feathering the chain brake, if used</i>) throughout the run &/or executes a controlled emergency stop (if requested).		
e. Performs Transitions with simultaneous edge change (<i>alpine/tele</i>) or torsional flex (<i>snowboard</i>).		
f. Monitors the patient and all traffic to ensure a safe run for the patient and customers.		
Loaded Toboggan Alone: minimum to pass 24 subtotal		

LOADED TOBOGGAN: ALONE (with deployable secondary brake). Visual cues, what do you see? Terrain: More Difficult: Moguled or Ungroomed. (Between or Outside handles) Name	SCORE	Comments
a. Maintains an athletic stance between or outside the handles.		
b. Select a fall line route that is safe for the patient & customers.		
c. Utilizes tactics to provide a smooth & consistent pace with minimal toboggan slipping.		
d. Provides effective braking (<i>including feathering the chain brake, if used</i>) throughout the run &/or executes a controlled emergency stop (if requested).		
e. Effectively Performs Direction Changes (Falling Leaf or Turns or Transitions) as appropriate.		
f. Monitors the patient and all traffic to ensure a safe run for the patient and customers.		
Loaded Toboggan Alone: Moguled/Ungroomed: minimum to pass 24 subtotal		P F



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LOADED TOBOGGAN: LEAD Terrain: Most Difficult Smooth	Visual cues, what do you see? Name	SCORE	Comments
a. Maintains an athletic stance between the handles.			
b. Select a fall line route that is smooth, consistent, and safe for the patient and customers.			
c. Provides effective braking (<i>with or without utilization of the chain brake</i>) throughout the run & executes a controlled emergency stop (<i>if asked</i>).			
d. Performs Transitions with simultaneous edge change (<i>alpine/tele</i>) or torsional flex (<i>snowboarders</i>).			
e. Performs Traverses, maintaining pace and utilizing techniques to minimize toboggan slippage. Snowboarders should perform at least one traverse on each edge.			
f. Provides effective communication with the tail for direction, speed changes, and hazard avoidance. Monitors patient and all traffic to ensure the safe operation of the toboggan.			
Loaded Toboggan Lead: minimum to pass 24.	subtotal		

LOADED TOBOGGAN: TAIL Terrain: Most Difficult Smooth	Visual cues, what do you see? Name	SCORE	Comments
a. Holds the rope using both hands in front of the body at a waist to mid-thigh level.			
b. Alpine/Tele: Tail rope control is maintained downhill hand (closest to the toboggan) utilizing functional tension. The uphill hand holds the end of the rope. During transition, 1 coil of the rope is appropriate. Snowboarder: Tail rope control is maintained by either hand; one controls functional tension of the rope the other holds the end of the rope. All: Only one hand should be at the end loop at all times.			
c. Performs Transitions appropriately (<i>alpine /tele only</i>) following & anticipating the lead while managing functional tension (<i>all</i>). Snowboarders will maintain a heel-edge sideslip throughout the run. Transitions are not permitted for snowboarders.			
d. Traverses in the fall line, maintaining functional tension, stabilizing the toboggan with minimal slipping.			
e. Provides secondary braking (<i>as needed</i>) & ensures the "reserve braking rule" is in effect at all times			
f. Provides effective communication with the lead and monitors the patient and all traffic.			
Loaded Toboggan Tail: minimum to pass 24.	subtotal		P F

FINAL SCORE:		
The candidate must pass all sections.	PASS FAIL	PASS FAIL

* Note: If a candidate is unsuccessful in one section, they are permitted one retest in that section. If a candidate is unsuccessful in more than one section, they **are not permitted** to retest those sections.

Location: _____

Evaluator _____

NSP # _____

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