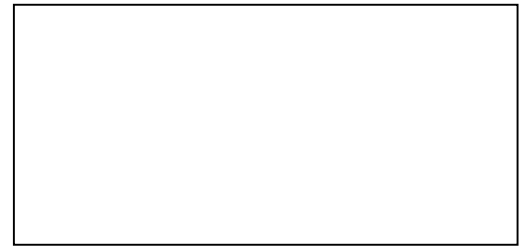


**Procedure Competency Form:
Bedside Trans-abdominal Pelvic Ultrasound**



Patient Addressograph

Resident:

Faculty observing:

Date:

- Informs patient/family of procedure including risks and benefits and obtains verbal consent as appropriate
- Enters patient name and MR number into ultrasound machine
- Places patient in proper position
- Explains steps of procedure to patient throughout the examination
- Chooses appropriate ultrasound transducer
- Resident cleans the transducer before use
- Obtains long and short axis views of the uterus scanning the entirety from fundus to cervix
- Accurately identifies the presence or absence of free fluid in the cul-de-sac
- Scans through both ovaries in two planes (if visible)
- Accurately identifies the presence or absence of an intrauterine pregnancy
- Measures the endo-myometrial mantle and recognizes that thickness less than 7 mm is concerning for an interstitial pregnancy
- Performs a FAST exam if the patient has a positive pregnancy test with absence of a visualized intrauterine pregnancy

- Documents each area of interest with either a representative still image or a video clip
- Relays findings to the patient and the team involved in the care of the patient
- Prepares the machine for the next user
- Writes a procedure note

Assessment:

- Unsatisfactory
- Proficient
- Mastered

Comments:

Faculty signature: _____