

# UPSTATE

UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

**Clinical Research Unit Leveling Criteria**

Study #: \_\_\_\_\_ Visit #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Evaluation Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Service	Points	Ck	Service	Points	Ck
<b>VITAL SIGNS</b>			<b>MEDICATION</b>		
Vital signs - T, BP, Pulse	10		Medication history - original	20	
Vital signs x 2 (or pre/post IP)	15		Concomitant medication - review	10	
Vital signs x 3 or more	20		Oral - medication administration x1	10	
Height only / weight only	5		SQ - medication administration x1	10	
Height & weight	10		IM - medication administration x1	10	
Waist-circumference measurement	5		IV push – medication administration x1	10	
Pulse Oximetry	5		IV infusion medication administration	20	
<b>ELECTROCARDIOGRAM</b>			-titrating the medication	10	
EKG – 12 lead only	10		-titrating the medication >3 hours	20	
EKG & transmitting	15		Post-medication observation x1	5	
EKG & faxing the hard copy	15		Post site assessment x1	5	
Cardiac monitor set-up (continuous)	10		Seizure precautions: pads, observation	20	
EKG review - Physician Assistant	5		<b>STUDY ASSISTED PROCEDURES</b>		
			Questionnaire < 30 mins.	10	
<b>SPECIMEN COLLECTION / POCT</b>			Questionnaire(s) > 30 mins.	20	
Urine specimen collection	10		Lumbar Puncture patient/room assist.	30	
Urine hCG - resulting	10		Other procedure - specify _____		
Multistix 10SG - resulting	10		Rater x 1	20	
Novastat Glucometer - resulting	10		<b>TEACHING</b>		
DCA Seimens A1c - resulting	10		Patient teaching up to 20 mins	10	
<b>GLUCOSE MONITORING</b>			<b>NOURISHMENT</b>		
Finger stick glucose	10		Nourishment preparation	5	
Fingers sticks glucose - multiple	20		Special dietary needs	5	
<b>IV ACCESS</b>			<b>ROOM USE ONLY</b>		
IV access sites (per site)	10		Room only visits	30	
<b>VENIPUNCTURE</b>					
Venipuncture blood collection	20		<b>Additional Services – Hourly Rate</b>		
Additional venipuncture required	10		PA hourly services	\$60.00/hour	
<b>SPECIMEN PROCESSING</b>			CRA hourly services	\$50.00/hour	
One time-point	20				
Multiple time-points	50		<b>LEVELING CODE</b>		
Dual lab needed for processing	50		<b>Level 1</b> - \$15.00	1-30	
			<b>Level 2</b> - \$25.00	31-55	
<b>METER WALK</b>			<b>Level 3</b> - \$50.00	56-80	
Meter walk - 25	5		<b>Level 4</b> - \$75.00	81-125	
Meter walk - 500	20		<b>Level 5</b> - \$100.00	>125	
<b>HOYER LIFT</b>	15		<b>Total Points:</b>		

Completed by: \_\_\_\_\_ Comments: \_\_\_\_\_