Myocardial Ischemia & Arrest	Points
Relevant Technical Actions	1 Onto
PHASE 1	
Recognition	
Tachycardia	1
Hypertension	1
ST Depression	4
PVCs	4
Pre-arrest Treatment	
Deepens anesthetic level	2
NTG or beta blocker Rx of HTN	2
NTG or beta blocker Rx of Ischemia	8
Increases FiO2	2
Lidocaine (for PVCs)	5
Requests other anti-arrhythmic drug	1
PHASE 2	
Initial Cardiac Arrest Management	
Recognizes VF/VT	EI
Declares cardiac arrest	5
Requests code cart	8
Calls for help	3
Ensures CPR is performed	EI
Checks for pulse w & w/o CPR	3
Checks ETCO2 for adequacy of	1
CPR	•
ACLS	
Charges defibrillator	5
Calls "Clear" before defibrillating	2
Administers defibrillating shock	EI
Does not shock through drapes	5
Checks ECG after shocks	2
Checks pulse or art line after shocks	2
	5
Repeats defibrillation as necessary Conforms to ACLS- 3 shocks in a	4
	4
row Gives epinephrine if defibrillation x3	EI
not successful	L 1
Administers antiarrhythmic drugs	5
Miscellaneous Cardiac Arrest and	5
Post-resuscitation Management Uses FiO2 of 1.0 after Dx of arrest	3
	2
Terminates use of volatile anesthetic	 1
Uses high fresh gas flows	4
Ventilates appropriately	•
Verifies patient is being ventilated	1
Sends ABG	2
Gives HCO3 based on ABG	1
Requests ICU bed	2
Sends blood for appropriate lab tests	1
Suggests terminating surgery ASAP	2
Requests equipment for invasive	1
monitoring	
Maximum Points Possible	100

Malignant Hyperthermia	
Relevant Technical Actions	Points
PHASE 1	
Recognition	
Tachycardia / hypertension	1
Muscle rigidity (surgeon's comments)	1
Hypercarbia (if constant MV)	2
Hyperthermia	2
Acidosis (if ABG sent)	2
Dx made "quickly" after cues	2
recognized	-
PHASE 2	
Initiation of MH Protocol	
Notifies surgeon of MH emergency	5
Requests MH box	5
Calls for help, or already present	5
Terminates triggering agent within 1	EI
minute of notifying surgeon or	
requesting MH box	
Dantrolene Administration	
Gives dantrolene \geq 20 mg within 10	EI
minutes of MH box arrival	
Gives dantrolene \geq 40 mg by end of	10
scenario	
Uses correct diluent for all vials	8
Uses >30 ml diluent for all vials	6
Request additional dantrolene (only 80	6
mg in box)	
Ventilation and Oxygenation	
Uses FiO2 of 1.0	5
Hyperventilates by ventilator or bag	5
Clears triggering agent with high flows	5
or non-rebreathing circuit	
Metabolic Management	
Requests insertion of urinary catheter	1
Gives mannitol and/or furosemide	2
Checks blood for K level	3
Sends ABG for management, not Dx	2
Hyperthermia Management	
Removes drapes	2
Calls for and places ice	2
Requests lower OR temperature	1
Requests supplies for cold lavage of	2
stomach or peritoneum	
Requests cold IV solutions	2
Considers planning for CPB	1
Miscellaneous Management	
Treats PVCs with antiarrhythmic drug	2
Places arterial line	1
Reviews MH checklist (in box)	1
Suggests terminating surgery ASAP	1
Requests ICU bed	1
Contacts MH Hotline	1
(no further actions)	
Maximum Points Possible	95