

SKILL GUIDE 5-2**Skill Guide**

Date: _____

(CPI) = Critical Performance Indicator

Candidate: _____

Start time: _____

End time: _____ Time allowed: 10 min.

Lifting Techniques: Multiple Person Direct Ground Lift**Objective:** To demonstrate manual lifting techniques to move patients onto other devices.

Skill	Max Points	Skill Demo	
Initiates Standard Precautions.	1		(CPI)
If patient has suspected spinal injury, does not use this lifting technique.	1		(CPI-if pt. has spinal injury)
Determines the number of lifters available for positioning: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 people—position at head, waist, and knees—on same side of pt. • 4 people—position at head, chest, waist, and knees—on same side of pt. 	1		
Prepares and position all of the equipment needed.	1		
Explains the commands, procedures, and hand positions for the lift, including distance patient is to be lifted.	1		
Positions arms under pt. Rescuer closest to pt. head directs lift.	1		
Executes the lift, rescuers rolling pt. toward their chest. Position into place, lifting and lowering the patient as a unit.	1		(CPI)

Must receive 5 out of 7 points.

Comments: _____

Failure of any of the CPIs is an automatic failure.

Evaluator: _____ NSP ID: _____

PASS FAIL