

Steps 22-4 Auscultating the Lungs

Student: _____

Date: _____

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1. Performs hand hygiene and explains the procedure.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Eliminates extraneous noise.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Provides privacy.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Assists patient to a sitting position.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Warms diaphragm of stethoscope and places it on skin of chest.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Asks patient to breathe through the mouth.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Listens in all designated locations in a methodical fashion.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Asks patient to cough to see if abnormal sounds clear.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Compares sounds from one side of chest to the other.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Replaces clothing and makes patient comfortable.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Performs hand hygiene and documents findings.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Successfully completed ☐

Needs practice and retesting ☐

Comments:

Instructor: _____