

**Skill 21-1** Measuring the Temperature with an Electronic Thermometer

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1. Carries out Standard Steps A, B, C, D, and E as need indicates.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Places probe cover over probe.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Places thermometer probe in patient's mouth under the tongue with thermometer turned on.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Waits until machine indicates temperature reading is complete.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Disposes of probe cover.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Turns off unit by returning probe to base.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Records temperature.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Carries out Standard Steps X, Y, and Z.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Successfully completed ☐Needs practice and retesting ☐

Comments:

Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_