



## Direct observation of procedural skills (DOPS 4) Plaster

<b>Learner details (tick one)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Intern <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please state) _____
<b>Intern Name</b>
<b>Employee Number</b>
<b>Clinical Unit / Ward</b>

<b>Assessor details (tick one)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Officer (>PGY3, Reg, Consultant) <input type="checkbox"/> Nurse Practitioner <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Physio
<b>Assessor Name Designation</b>
<b>Employee Number</b>
<b>Clinical Unit / Ward</b>

### Features of a satisfactory skill demonstration (all boxes must be ticked)

#### Learner to complete

I have reviewed the recommended reading at <http://the.emergencyphysio.com/fractures/casting/plastering-basics/>

Not sure about this procedural skill? If you would like more information please return to the Intern Assessment page for links to additional resources. (<http://monashdoctors.org/intern-assessment/>)

#### Pre procedure (assessor to complete)

- Displays an understanding of relevant procedural indications, contraindications, anatomy (including joint position) and technique
- Informed verbal consent has been obtained from patient after explanation of indication, benefits and risks
- Correctly selects appropriate materials (padding and plaster) and cold water in lined bucket

#### Skill demonstration and execution (assessor to complete)

- Demonstration correctly tensioned application of padding(2-3 layers) and plaster (12-14 layers)
- Achieves and checks correct position and joints.
- Optimises patient comfort and privacy, completes required documentation
- Maintains a clean and ordered work place, cognisant of OHS factors for staff.

#### Discharge instructions and care (assessor to complete)

- Plaster care instructions are given to the patient and confirmation of understanding is obtained
- 24 hour post application plaster check instructions given to pt
- Follow up appointment / review clinic instructions given to patient.

If patient is admitted intern is able to demonstrate understanding of the above points.

## Trainee overall performance

**Satisfactory:**



Submit form to Monash Doctors Education Unit via the website <http://monashdoctors.org/intern-assessment/>

**Not yet satisfactory (NYS):**



Direct trainee to further learning resources on Intern assessment page (<http://monashdoctors.org/intern-assessment/>) and contact the Medical Education Officer

**Authorisation: \*\*Mandatory fields please complete and ensure the form is signed**

<b>Intern Name:</b>	<b>Assessor Name:</b>
<b>Employee Number:</b>	<b>Employee Number:</b>
<b>Intern Signature:</b>	<b>Assessor Signature:</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Date:</b>

## Trainee Performance Summary

<b>Aspects of the procedure done well</b>	<b>Aspects of the procedure that need more attention</b>

## Form submission process

### 1. Ensure the following information is complete:

- Assessor classification ticked
- Trainee performance summary complete
- Trainee overall performance ticked\*
- Trainee signature completed
- Assessor signature completed
- Date completed

### 2. Submit using the below method



#### ONLINE SUBMISSIONS ONLY:

Via [monashdoctors.org/assessment](http://monashdoctors.org/assessment)

**\*Both pages are required in a PDF format ONLY\***

### 3. Further support from Monash Doctors Education (MDE)

**Email:** [mededucation@monashhealth.org](mailto:mededucation@monashhealth.org)

**Phone:** 9594 3743

**Visit:** Level 2 McCulloch House, 246 Clayton Road, Clayton.

**\*Only Satisfactory graded assessment will be accepted**

### Additional resources

Go to the <http://monashdoctors.org/intern-assessment/> and look for the additional resources page

## Reassessment

1. Co-ordination of reassessment is the responsibility of the trainee
2. Extensions for completion of DOPS will be considered once an "application for extension" email has been received by the MEO based in the Medical Education Office. Approval or refusal of extension will be communicated via email.
3. Further assessment opportunities may be co-ordinated by the Medical Education office after consultation with the Director of Clinical Training.