

## **CSP Patient Assessment Evaluation Questions – 2025**

| Patient Assessment Stages | 2025 Patient Assessment Questions                                       |
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| Overall:                  | Required Questions:   |
| Patient Assessment        | What do you want to achieve when you complete your Patient              |
|                           | Assessment?   |
|                           | Why do you think it's important that you understand anatomy and         |
|                           | physiology as you do your Patient Assessment?                           |
|                           | During the Patient Assessment, what typical signs or symptoms are       |
|                           | you looking and feeling for?  |
|                           | Answer one of the following questions:                                  |
|                           | When examining the chest, what additional signs or symptoms are you     |
|                           | looking and feeling for?  |
|                           | When examining the abdomen, what additional signs or symptoms are       |
|                           | you looking and feeling for?  |
| Stage 1:                  | Required Questions:   |
| Scene Survey and          | What do you hope to achieve during the Scene Survey and                 |
| Communication             | Communication stage?  |
|                           | What circumstances would prompt you to immediately request further      |
|                           | assistance?   |
| Stage 2:                  | Required Question:  |
| Primary                   | What do you hope to achieve during your Primary Assessment?             |
| Assessment                | Answer one of the following questions:                                  |
|                           | What signs or symptoms would indicate the need for oxygen?              |
|                           | What does implied consent mean?   |
|                           | What are the four Levels of Consciousness?                              |
|                           | Why does your initial assessment focus on the ABCs and SMR?             |
| Stage 3:                  | Required Question:  |
| Transportation            | What are two critical decisions you will make at the Transportation     |
| Decision and              | Decision and Communication stage?                                       |
| Communication             | Answer one of the following questions:                                  |
|                           | Does your transportation decision always follow your scene survey and   |
|                           | primary assessment? Why or why not?                                     |
|                           | What would your rationale or criteria be for "stay and treat" vs. "load |
|                           | and go"?  |
|                           | If EMS is called, is the situation always a Load & Go? Why or why not?  |
| Stage 4:                  | Required Question:  |
| Secondary                 | Why do you bother completing your Secondary Assessment?                 |
| Assessment                | Answer one of the following questions:                                  |
|                           | What is PMS?  |
|                           | Why is proper documentation important?                                  |
|                           | Why do you measure sets of vital signs at intervals?                    |