

Sexual Assault

| GLOBAL MARK | | | |
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| CLEAR PASS | BORDERLINE PASS | BORDERLINE FAIL | FAIL |

Criteria

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| Introduces Self, confirms patient identify, Washes hands, | 2, 1 |
| Offers analgesia, ensures comfort of patient | 2 |
| Uses open questions to find out what happened | 2 |
| Finds out what kind of assault Oral rape Vaginal rape Anal rape Digital or penile penetration | 2 |
| Asks about injuries Bleeding Genital injuries Other injuries | 2 |
| Offers support Explains the patient is the victim of a crime Offers police involvement in a non-coercive way Offers SARC involvement | 2 |
| Explains role of SARC Forensic examination Samples kept for 7 years | 2 |
| Offers morning after pill | 2 |
| Explores need for PEP Identity of attacker (known HIV, BBV, African) Talks about using BASH guidelines for PEP If unknown and no risk factors – risk is small If there is bleeding risk is higher If multiple rapists, anal, bites, wounds risk is higher If HIV+VE or IVDU – risk is still small but higher | 2 |
| Explores wider safety issues Child Protection Vulnerable adults Knives/Guns involved | 2 |
| Explains will need to examine for injuries But examination will not be a forensic examination Double gloved for examination Tries not to cross contaminate different body areas | 2 |
| Offers Prophylactic antibiotics for STI Cefixime 400mg Azithromycine 1g, Metronidazole 2g | 2 |
| Explains SARC referral Asks patient to not brush teeth If clothes are removed place in a sealed bag | 2 |

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| Suggests attending GUM clinic within 2 weeks of assault for further investigations | |
| Explores safe discharge planning Gives advice about rape crisis line, victim support, havens | 2 |
| Total | |

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