

GAPS-EUS SCORESHEET

TRAINEE

A. Echoendoscope handling and navigation

5. Expertly able to handle scope, intubate, and navigate in all areas and regions of interest

4.

3. Need verbal guidance to intubate, navigate in some areas

2.

1. Unable to intubate or navigate despite coaching

B. Visualization/Recognition of the ultrasound anatomy (performer to denote organs projected on the monitor)

5. Expertly able to visualize and recognize all organs and structures

4.

3. Need verbal guidance to visualize and recognize some organs or structures

2.

1. Unable to visualize and recognize some organs despite coaching

C. Detection/Assessment of the ultrasound pathology (performer to describe pathology projected on the monitor)

5. Expertly able to detect, assess and denote the lesion(s) of interest

4.

3. Need additional information and hints to detect, assess and denote the lesion(s) of interest

2.

1. Unable to detect, assess and denote the lesion(s) of interest despite coaching

D. Targeting/Sampling lesions (incl scope positioning, choice of needle, performance of puncture and dialogue with assistants)

5. Expertly able to provide a safe and stable access to a lesion and target it with EUS-FNA/B

4.

3. Need verbal guidance to provide a safe and stable access to a lesion and target it with EUS-FNA/B

2.

1. Unable to provide a safe and stable access to a lesion and target it with EUS-FNA/B despite coaching

E. Quality of examination (includes patient management, efficiency of examination and quality of overall performance)

5. Expertly completes the examination correctly, efficiently and patient friendly

4.

3. Need verbal guidance to perform some steps

2.

1. Could not perform a satisfactory examination despite verbal and manual assistance requiring take over

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F. Trainee's assessment of diagnosis (should be verbally expressed **BEFORE** observer taking over)

Diagnosis: _____

 Malignant lesion Benign lesion**BACKGROUND and EXPERIENCE***

*) To be entered at first study procedure

H. Trainee's background :

Profession:

Age:

Sex:

 Surgeon Gastroenterologist

 Female Male

Transabdominal ultrasound experience:

 None <1 year 1-2 years 2-5 years > 5 years

Gastroscopy experience:

Independent gastroscopist since (enter number of years): _____ years

Annual volume of gastroscopies: _____

ERCP experience:

 None <1 year 1-2 years 2-5 years > 5 years

Annual volume of ERCP: _____

EUS experience:

 <1 year 1-2 years 2-5 years > 5 years

Number of EUS-examinations performed as a trainee under supervision: _____

as an independent endosonographer: _____

Current annual volume of EUS: _____