

At the practical exam site candidates do not have access to a sink for handwashing. During the examination parts of the procedure must be demonstrated as a mock performance to show knowledge of the correct steps. Candidates will be required to demonstrate blood exposure (self-cut) as follows:

Real Blood Exposure	Exam Site Mock Blood Exposure
Student will stop the service	Candidate will skip this step at the exam site
Explain situation to the client and excuse yourself	Candidate will skip this step at the exam site
Proceed to the handwashing area equipped with first aid supplies.	Candidate will skip this step at the exam site
Wash your hands with soap and running water and dry with a disposable towel. (If punctured area is on the hand you would combine hand washing with washing the punctured area)	Candidate will skip this step at the exam site
Wash the punctured area with soap and running water and dry with a disposable towel.	Candidate will simulate washing hands sanitizer and dry with a disposable towel
Student will place the disposable towel in the waste container.	Candidate will place the disposable towel in the waste container.
If cut is still bleeding the student would apply pressure over the wound with a disposable towel. (Once removed must be immediately placed in the waste container)	Candidate will skip this step at the exam site
Student will remove adhesive bandage and antibiotic cream from first aid kit.	Candidate will remove adhesive bandage and antibiotic cream from first aid kit.
Student will apply an adhesive bandage and/or antibiotic cream to the cut	Candidate will apply both an adhesive bandage and antibiotic cream to the cut
Student will drop all single-use items in waste container	Candidate will immediately drop all single-use items in waste container
Student will apply protective gloves	Candidate will apply protective gloves
Student will remove implements from workstation, then properly clean and disinfect implements.	Candidate will skip this step at the exam site
Student will clean and disinfect station	Candidate will clean and disinfect station only in the area where items from the first aid kit were placed
Student will remove gloves from hands and dispose immediately in waste container.	Candidate will remove gloves from hands and dispose immediately in waste container.
Wash hands with soap and running water, keeping the bandage dry.	Candidate will simulate washing hands sanitizer and dry with a disposable towel
If the injured area is on the hands, fingers or thumb apply disposable, protective gloves or a finger guard ensuring the injured area is covered.	Candidate will skip this step at the exam site
Student will return to the service	Candidate will skip this step at the exam site