



Appendix A Care Under Fire

Conditions: While in a combat environment, you encounter a casualty. You have your individual personal protective equipment (PPE) and your casualty's improved first aid kit (IFAK).

Standards: Perform care under fire following the correct sequence without exposing yourself to unnecessary enemy fire.

Required equipment and supplies: ballistic helmet, individual body armor, a writing instrument, a fully stocked improved first aid kit (IFAK), and rescue manikin or leg assembly.

ACTIONS:	1st	2nd <small>Attempts</small>	3rd
1. Return Fire as direct or required to suppress enemy fire.			
2. Determine if casualty is alive or dead.			
3. Provide care to the live casualty.			
3a. Direct the casualty to return fire, move to cover and apply self-aid (if possible).			
3b. If casualty is unable to move and you are unable to move casualty to cover, direct casualty to "play dead."			
** EVALUATOR CUE** "Fire has been suppressed."	X	X	X
4. In a battle buddy team, approach the casualty using the most direct route.			
5. Apply a HASTY tourniquet (if evidence of extremity bleeding is present).			
6. Move the casualty, his/her weapon, and ammunition behind cover.			
7. Recheck tourniquet (if applied) once both are behind cover and not under enemy fire.			
		Attempts	
CRITICAL CRITERIA	1st	2nd	3rd
Did not return fire until enemy fire was suppressed.			
Did not determine if casualty was alive or dead.			
Approached casualty before enemy fire was suppressed.			
Provided ANY aid other than a hasty tourniquet to a limb.			
Did not move weapon and ammunition with casualty to cover.			
OVERALL EVALUATION: A NO-GO on any "critical criteria" step will result in a NO-GO for the entire task.			
G (GO) or No Go (NG):			

Student Name: _____ Platoon: _____ Date: _____
 Drill Sergeant: 1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____