

SCENARIO 2 Breaking Bad Examiner's form

Domain	Criteria for High Rating
Communication	<p>Clear, concise, jargon free language</p> <p>Allows patient the opportunity to ask questions</p> <p>Clearly communicate issues of case</p> <p>Empathic language</p>
Professionalism	<p>Shows respect and empathy</p> <p>Professional appearance and conduct</p>
Medical Expertise	<p>Recognises possible Medicolegal implications of presentation</p> <p>Should have at minimum liaison with Coroner to determine whether Coroners case</p>

SCENARIO 2 Candidate's information

The son of the patient you have just ceased resuscitation efforts on is waiting in the relatives room.

He understood that the situation was grave, but is currently unaware of the outcome of your resuscitation efforts.

The Social worker has been called but will be some time before arriving in the ED.

Please discuss with the patient's son the results of the attempted resuscitation.

You have 7 minutes for this task.

Domains assessed;

Communication

Professionalism

Medical expertise

SCENARIO 2 Breaking Bad Actor's information

You are the son of Mr Smith (patient from question 1).

Mr Smith is 80 years old widower and has recently come to stay with you and your family due to ill health. He has had significant heart problems over the last few years including heart failure and Coronary bypass surgery, as well as COPD, type II diabetes and moderate renal impairment (not on dialysis).

Over the last few months he has become increasingly more confused and debilitated, and was unable to look after himself at home. Since staying with you, you have noticed that he frequently wanders, and has intermittently had urinary incontinence. He can no longer remember his wife.

Over the preceding 3 days he has been quite short of breath, and more confused than usual. Last night he had complained of chest pain before you put him into his bed and thought he was settled, but he obviously got out of bed sometime in the middle of the night.

This morning you found him lying on the floor in the hall, unconscious. You didn't know what to do so called 000.

You have for some time been considering placement options for your father. You have not discussed previously any Advanced Care plans, but would not have wanted anything heroic anyway.

Prompts

If the candidate does not specifically discuss this you may use the following prompts

“Did he suffer at all”

“What was the cause”

“The nurse mentioned something called a Coroners case. Is that something that applies here”



Question 2 Breaking Bad

Candidate Name:

A. Component Assessment

Select ONE option that best represents the candidate's performance in this OSCE. Use the 9-point graded scale, where 1 is poorest and 9 is best. TICK ONE CELL for each row below.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Professionalism									
Communication									
Medical Expertise									

B. Station Difficulty (please circle): Low Moderate High

C. Examiner Notes on Candidate Performance

Positives

Areas for Improvement

Suggestions

D. Global Rating for Standard Setting (please circle)

Clear Fail

Marginal Fail

Borderline

Marginal Pass

Clear Pas