

Self-assessment form for mastoidectomy performance		Participant ID	Date	Procedure #
Mark with circle your self-rated performance from 1-5.		_____	_____	_____
0. Technique	1 Often drills with the burr obscure, using excessive force or cutting burrs near vital structures, incorrect stroke vector. 2	3 The burr mostly visible, mostly the right amount of force, mostly using finer burrs near vital structures and mostly drills along the structures with soft strokes. 4	5 Always keeps the burr under direct vision, always uses the right amount of force, always uses fine burrs near vital structures, and always drills along the structures with soft strokes. 5	
1. Antrum	1 Antrum not sufficiently entered (the ossicles not visible), the semicircular canals exposed to a great extent. 2	3 Antrum entered (just adequate overview of the ossicles), most cells in antrum removed, the semicircular canals only limited exposed. 4	5 Antrum entered with a perfect overview of incus, the level of the lateral semicircular canal identified and intact. 5	
2. Tegmen	1 Tegmen covered by cells or several large holes. 2	3 Tegmen with only few remaining cells and minor holes. 4	5 Tegmen with no remaining cells, no holes. Ossicles intact. 5	
3. Sinodural angle	1 The sinodural angle obstructed by cells. 2	3 The sinodural angle clearly defined but with few remaining cells. 4	5 The sinodural angle sharp and without remaining cells. 5	
4. Sigmoid sinus	1 The sigmoid sinus not defined, some overhand, many remaining cells or larger holes. 2	3 The sigmoid sinus defined, minimal overhang, few cells remain, few smaller holes. 4	5 The sigmoid sinus well defined and without overhang, no remaining cells and no holes. 5	
5. The mastoid tip	1 The digastric ridge not defined, many remaining cells. 2	3 The digastric ridge identified, few remaining cells. 4	5 The digastric ridge well-defined, followed towards the stylomastoid foramen, and no cells remain. 5	
6. Posterior canal wall	1 The posterior canal wall not thinned and with many remaining cells or large holes. 2	3 The posterior canal wall thinned but with some remaining cells or small holes. 4	5 The posterior canal wall thinned without remaining cells or holes. 5	
7. Posterior tympanotomy	1 The facial nerve exposed. No or limited view of the round window niche. 2	3 The facial nerve with minor exposed nerve sheath. Partial view of the round window niche. 4	5 The facial nerve identified with close to no exposed nerve sheath. Clear view of the round window niche. 5	

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