

**Cerumen Removal Management Certification Policy** 

## **Criteria and Extractions Log Form**

Name of Applicant:	 
Name of Monitor:	
Location of Training:	

## **Cerumen Extraction Requirements:**

Date of Training Completion: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant must complete twenty (20) supervised **patient** cerumen extractions Please Include the date and Monitor's initial for each extraction.

## Monitor must attest that the applicant can do the following:

- Complete a consent form and complete medical history with patient
- Perform a proper otoscopy to determine the presence of cerumen and if whether it can be removed comfortably and safely.
- Observe any abrasions, infections, abnormal growths, perforations of the tympanic membrane, or other relevant disorders.
- Determine if procedure should proceed or referred to family physician.
- □ Know the appropriate method of cerumen extraction based on otoscopy and medical history.
- Establish a protocol if cerumen extraction results in abrasion, laceration, in the event of an emergency or if medical assistance is needed
- □ Sound knowledge of infection control procedures.

Completion Date	Monitor's Signature	
Completion Date	Applicant's Signature	
Verification Date:	Chair of Education:	