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| **Procedure: Lifting and Restraining a Dog in Lateral Recumbency**  **Time Limit: 3 minutes** | **Possible Points** | **Awarded Points** |
| Used alcohol hand sanitizer or washed hands to ensure proper hygiene | 5 |  |
| Spoke to the animal in a calm reassuring manner | 5 |  |
| \*Judge states restraint on right or left side\* | - |  |
| Placed one arm in front of the patient’s chest and the other arm behind the rear legs (at stifle level) or under the abdomen | 5 |  |
| Handler held animal close to his/her body and lifted from a squatting position (using legs to prevent back injury) | 5 |  |
| Had patient sit on the exam table, and then slid the patient’s front limbs forward, encouraging him or her to lie down | 5 |  |
| Rolled patient onto the proper side | 5 |  |
| With patient’s back facing handler, draped one arm across the patient’s neck and held the front leg closest to the table (the “down” leg) | 5 |  |
| Draped the other arm across the patient’s abdomen and held the rear leg that is down (closest to the table). | 5 |  |
| Handler used the weight of his/her body to lean across the patient’s back to help immobilize until the procedure or exam is finished | 5 |  |
| \*Judge state procedure is complete\* | **-** | **-** |
| Allowed patient sit up on the table | 5 |  |
| Placed one arm in front of the patient’s chest and the other arm behind the rear legs (at stifle level) or under the abdomen | 5 |  |
| Handler held animal close to his/her body and lowered patient to the floor by squatting (using legs to prevent back injury) | 5 |  |
| **TOTAL POINTS x .84** | 50 |  |
| **TOTAL POINTS X 2** | 100 |  |