Slit Lamp Workshop Checklist

Please proceed to Grosse Pointe Ophthalmology immediately. Building entrance will be secured for exit only. Parts of slit lamp are referenced by illustrations below.

**Step 1: Identify four components of the slit lamp**

- **Check**
- **Tasks**
  - Headrest (10-15, 17)
  - Instrument base (7-9, 19-20)
  - Observation unit (3-5) – microscope
  - Illumination unit (1-2) – light source, apertures, filters

**Step 2: Prepare instrument and patient**

- **Check**
- **Tasks**
  - 1. Sanitize forehead (15) and chin rest (13) for the patient.
  - 2. Unlock instrument base (19) and shift by pulling toward you.
  - 3. Adjust eye pieces (3) for your interpupillary distance (pull/push eye pieces laterally) and refractive error (rotate knurled rings).
  - 4. Adjust table height (16) and/or chair(s) – neither patient nor examiner should be hunched over. Lock table.

**Step 3: Illuminate ocular structures**

- **Check**
- **Tasks**
  - 5. Adjust chinrest to align patient’s lateral canthus with black level marker ring.

Workshop Instructor Signature ___________________________ Date ___________________________

Resource on protocol: [http://www.opt.indiana.edu/riley/homepage/newslitlamp/1_part_one_slitlamp.html](http://www.opt.indiana.edu/riley/homepage/newslitlamp/1_part_one_slitlamp.html)