OSCE Communication tips:

- Always start your staff by introducing yourself: ‘Hello, my name is... and I am a medical student at .... University. I have been asked by your doctor to do a specific examination for you.

- Wash your hands.

- Check the patient’s identity before explaining the procedure to make sure you have your right patient.

- Always give your patients enough information in a way they that they can understand so then they give you informed consent to perform the examination.

- Reassure your patients that their information and the examination results will be kept confidential.

- Ask about pain. Also, tell them to stop you if they feel pain throughout the procedure.

- Make sure you clean your stethoscope with alcohol wipes.