

CLABSI Surveillance

Nursing Practice - Observation Audit

Reviewer: _____ Month Completed: _____

Unit						
	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y	N
Needleless access device care:						
1. The RN performed appropriate hand hygiene prior to preparing to access the line for medication administration, blood sampling or changing the device?						
2. The RN scrubbed the access device at least 10-15 seconds plus allowed to dry completely.						
3. If changing the needleless access device: The RN scrubbed the hub at least 10-15 seconds plus allowed to dry completely						
Dressing change technique:						
4. The RN performed appropriate hand hygiene prior to preparing to change central line dressing?						
5. The RN donned mask and clean gloves to remove existing central line dressing?						
6. The RN donned sterile gloves before beginning site care and application of new dressing?						
7. The RN scrubbed the site with CHG for 30 seconds and allowed site to dry completely prior to placing new dressing? *For those patients sensitive to CHG – please refer to P&P for recommended alternative.						
8. The RN maintained sterility of gloves/hands and items in the dressing change kit – for the duration of the dressing change procedure?						
TOTAL NUMBER						
PERCENT COMPLIANCE						

Number of correct responses x 100 = % compliance