

Cluster Area: Surgery 7, Oncology 6, Med/Surg 5, Emergency Department

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A. EQUIPMENT			
Seizure Pads			
LEVEL 3: UNIT SPECIFIC COMPETENCIES			
CAPD Warmer (MS 5)			
Traction (S7 & MS 5)			
CPM (S7 & MS 5)			
B. DOCUMENTATION/COMMUNICATION			
Utilizes effective written communication			
Documents vital signs, I/O's, weights and fingersticks on appropriate paperwork			
C. CLINICAL SKILLS			
Patient Discharge:			
Assists with patient discharge as delegated by the RN/LPN			
Assists the RN/LPN to provide post-mortem care			
Packs up patient belongings upon discharge			
Respiratory Care:			
Assists with patient respiratory care as delegated by the RN/LPN (Specimen Collection, IS, Turn/Cough/Deep Breath)			
Verbalizes difference between oxygen and air set-ups in room			
Pain Management			
Assists with patient pain management as delegated by the RN/LPN			
Reports patient pain to RN			
Dietary Care			
Assists with dietary management as delegated by the RN/LPN			
Verbalizes understanding of aspiration precautions			
Assists with Elimination			
Assists patient with bowel and bladder management as delegated by the RN/LPN			
Reports changes in stools			
Reports changes in urine to RN (Hematuria/Color/Clarity/Odor)			
Assists Patient to Ambulate per MD Order			
Aware of patient safety precautions when ambulating/transferring patients (unsteady gait, tubes/drains)			
Utilizes Safe Patient Handling Equipment when necessary			

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Assists with Patient Personal Care as Delegated by RN			
Reports to RN/LPN any skin or wound changes			
Reports changes in mouth/tongue/gums/teeth to RN/LPN			
Performs pulse oximetry per protocol			
Verbalizes understanding of universal precautions, contact precautions, respiratory precautions and reverse isolation			
Unit Specific			
Attends Radiation Inservice and verbalizes precautions to be taken when caring for a radiation patient (S7)			
D. CLERICAL SKILLS			
Level 1:			
Receptionist Duties:			
Answers phone according to UCHC standards			
Identifies who takes a verbal lab report on critical values			
Identifies mechanism to access beeper system			
Identifies types of inpatient transportation procedures			
Demonstrates ability to utilize ADT/IDX properly			
Demonstrates complete transcription of verified medication orders			
E. ENVIRONMENT MANAGEMENT			
Maintains patient rooms and unit in neat/orderly fashion according to JDH standard			
Identifies environmental problems and reports appropriately			
Unit Specific:			
Identifies different surgical specialties (General Surgery, ENT, Orthopedics, etc.) and demonstrates appropriate room set-up for the specific patient population (Surg 7, Onc 6 and MS 5)			
Identifies different medical specialties and demonstrates appropriate room set-up for the specific patient population (suction, oxygen set-ups) (Med 4, Onc 6 and MS 5)			
Identify location of chemotherapy spill kit (Onc 6 and MS 5)			

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