

Infection Prevention & Control

Training DVD

2009 Edition

'Infection Prevention and Control' based on World Health Organisation guidelines, provides valuable training and ongoing education on standard precautions for staff operating in a range of healthcare settings. The DVD focuses on four key content areas: Infection Prevention & Control; Hand Hygiene; Waste Management & Decontamination Issues and Personal Protection. Development of the DVD was guided by best practice recommendations made by leading experts in the field of infection control, microbiology and waste management. By demonstrating the practical application of standard precautions, this DVD provides an easy transfer of skills to healthcare staff. This DVD is designed to facilitate both tutor-led group training sessions and individualised self-paced learning, is easy to follow and is suitable for staff at all levels, clinical and non-clinical.

Features

- Based on World Health Organisation guidelines.
- Step-by-step demonstrations of hand hygiene techniques.
- Demonstration illustrating the order to don and remove personal protective equipment
- Includes cough etiquette; a new element of standard precautions.
- Support materials (Facilitator's Guide and Participant Workbook) are provided.

Target Audience

- All healthcare staff (clinical and non-clinical) operating in:
 - Acute Settings
 - Primary Care
 - Nursing Homes
 - Home Help
- Recruitment/Nursing Agencies
- Universities/Colleges
- Contract Cleaners



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Infection Prevention & Control



- What a healthcare associated infection is
- The main types of healthcare associated infection
- Why healthcare associated infection has increased in recent years
- How infections are spread (the chain of infection)
- Why the need to control infection
- Your role in infection prevention and control

Duration: 8 minutes

2

Hand Hygiene



- Why hand hygiene is so important
- What is on your hands
- Effective hand hygiene
- Performing hand washing
- Decontamination using alcohol-based products
- When to use each technique
- Your role in hand hygiene

Duration: 13 minutes

3

Waste Management & Decontamination Issues



- What healthcare waste is (risk-waste/non-risk waste)
- Packaging and disposal of healthcare risk waste
- Correct management of sharps
- Appropriate segregation of laundry
- Single use and reusable equipment
- Decontamination of healthcare equipment
- Reprocessing of instruments and equipment
- Management of blood spillages
- Your role in healthcare waste management and decontamination

Duration: 16 minutes

4

Personal Protection



- Why the need for personal protective equipment
- The use of gloves
- The use of aprons and gowns
- The use of eye protection and face masks
- Donning personal protective equipment
- Removing personal protective equipment
- Inoculation injuries
- Cough etiquette
- Your role in personal protection

Duration: 12 minutes



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