

HAND HYGIENE OBSERVATION RECORD

Center _____
 Date _____
 Observer _____

Health Care Worker (HCW) Codes:

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|---------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 = Physician | 3 = Technician | 5 = Environmental Services Worker |
| 2 = Nurse | 4 = Aide or Orderly | 6 = Other |

HR = Handrubbing HW = Handwashing

HCW Code	Hand Hygiene Before Patient Contact (Mark the appropriate column)			Gloves Worn if Required (Mark the appropriate column)			Hand Hygiene After Contact with Patient, Equipment, Environment or Removing Gloves (Mark the appropriate column)			Hand Hygiene Before and After		
	See Key	HR	HW	No	Yes	No	N/A	HR	HW	No	Yes	No
1												
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25												
Totals							Totals					
Percent Adherence*							Percent Adherence*					

* For glove use: Total number of "Yes" ÷ (Number of rows with data - Number of "N/A") x 100
 For hand hygiene, Total number of "Yes" ÷ Number of rows with data x 100

For an example, please see the next page.

HAND HYGIENE OBSERVATION RECORD: EXAMPLE

Center ABC Surgery Center
 Date May 5, 2010
 Observer Jane Doe, RN

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		See Key	HR	HW	No	Yes	No	N/A	HR	HW	No	Yes
1	2	x			x			x			x	
2	2	x			x			x			x	
3	2		x		x				x		x	
4	3		x			x			x		x	
5	3	x			x			x			x	
6	3			x		x				x		x
7	1	x			x			x			x	
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		Totals			5	2	0	Totals			6	1
		Percent Adherence*			71			Percent Adherence*			86	

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