



HAND HYGIENE SURVEILLANCE INSTRUMENT

Hospital Name:		General	Personnel				HH Opportunity (Y/N)				HH Practice: Water and Soap (checkmark)			HH Practice: ABHR (Y/N)		Gloves: (Y/N)				Room setting								
Observation #	Unit/Dept Name		Physician	Nurse	Other Clinician	Other non-clinician	Before contact with patient	After contact with patient	After contact with env. surfaces in pt area	After gloves removed	Water and soap > 15 sec	Water and soap < 15 sec	Water only	ABHR available	HH with ABHR	Gloves indicated	Gloves available	Gloves used	Gloves disposed of after each pt.	# of sinks in room	Soap available (Y/N)	Unobstructed access to sink (Y/N)	# of occupied beds in room	Sink outside room (Y/N)	Unobstructed access to sink (Y/N)	Soap available (Y/N)		
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- HH = Hand Hygiene
 - ABHR = Alcohol Based Hand Rub
 - Checkmark = the cell should be filled with a checkmark (✓)
 - Y/N = the cell should be filled out with either "Y" to mean "yes" or "N" to mean "no"
 - Physician = physician including medical resident
 - Nurse = Registered Nurse
 - Other Clinician = therapist, medical students, other students, technicians, clinical staff when you are not sure of their position
 - Other non-clinician = environmental workers, pharmacist, dietician, unit secretary, transportation staff, chaplain, volunteers, technical sales support staff, etc
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