



Supply/Equipment “Scavenger Hunt”

Do your staff have the best skin care supplies to prevent skin injuries?

Who can complete? Materials, Finance, Quality/Risk, Administrative Leader, Nursing Leader

- Support Surfaces
 - Med Surg: Age of surfaces: _____ Type of mattress: _____
 - ICU: Age of surfaces: _____ Type of mattress: _____
 - ED: Age of surfaces: _____ Mat thickness: _____
Type of support surfaces available in ED: _____
 - OR: Age of surfaces: _____ High density foam mattress on tables? Y/N
 - Bariatric support surfaces or equipment are delivered in a timely manner? Y/N
- Friction Management (check all that apply)
 - Glide sheets
 - Lifts and adequate slings on each unit (easily accessible)
 - Policies on safe mobilizing (no-lift or minimal lift)
 - Multi-layer soft, sacral dressing
 - Multi-layer soft, heel dressing
 - Bariatric lifting and moving equipment
- Moisture Management (check all that apply)
 - Low air loss mattresses are used for incontinent or patients with moisture
 - New female external catheters that attach to suction available
 - Male external catheters or penile pouch/wrap available
 - Non petroleum barrier cream available
 - High quality underpads are used
 - Prepared skin cleansing cloths are used (instead of soap and water)
- Assessment/Inspection Equipment (check all that apply)
 - Mirrors for patients to inspect skin and nurses to inspect heels
 - Camera and associated policies for photography
- Misc (check all that apply)
 - Heel Protectors/Boots/PRAFOs
 - Patient chair at each bedside for getting out of bed
 - Low air loss chair pads are used (for sitting in chair)
 - Whiteboard space for HAPI prevention plan and goals
 - Written patient education materials are available

Comments/Observations: _____

Actions to be taken: _____

Hospital: _____ Name: _____ Title: _____ Date: _____