# CLABSI Surveillance

## Nursing Practice - Observation Audit

Reviewer: _________________________  Month Completed: ________________

### Needleless access device care:

1. The RN performed appropriate hand hygiene prior to preparing to access the line for medication administration, blood sampling or changing the device? [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

2. The RN scrubbed the access device at least 10-15 seconds plus allowed to dry completely. [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

3. If changing the needless access device: The RN scrubbed the hub at least 10-15 seconds plus allowed to dry completely. [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

### Dressing change technique:

4. The RN performed appropriate hand hygiene prior to preparing to change central line dressing? [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

5. The RN donned mask and clean gloves to remove existing central line dressing? [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

6. The RN donned sterile gloves before beginning site care and application of new dressing? [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

7. The RN scrubbed the site with CHG for 30 seconds and allowed site to dry completely prior to placing new dressing? *For those patients sensitive to CHG – please refer to P&P for recommended alternative. [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

8. The RN maintained sterility of gloves/hands and items in the dressing change kit – for the duration of the dressing change procedure? [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

### TOTAL NUMBER

### PERCENT COMPLIANCE

Number of correct responses x 100 = % compliance

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Comments: ____________________________________________________________

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