



## Accreditation & PI Staff Awareness Questionnaire #23

Employee name: \_\_\_\_\_ **Return the completed questionnaire to:**  
Title \_\_\_\_\_ Accreditation & Risk Management Office,  
Department: \_\_\_\_\_ AUBMC Phase I, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Rooms C-801 & C-802  
Id number: \_\_\_\_\_ **Deadline: August 14, 2009**  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**1. All of the following are correct for proper hand hygiene, EXCEPT:**

- a. Applying soap & water and rubbing hands for at least 15 seconds, then drying with a disposable towel.
- b. If not visibly soiled, hands can be rubbed with an alcohol based solution until dry.
- c. Washing your hands before applying gloves prior to starting a procedure.
- d. Washing your hands every 15 minutes.

**2. At least TWO patient identifiers are required for proper patient identification:**

- a. Room number and bed number.
- b. Patient triple name and patient number.
- c. Date of birth and patient triple name.
- d. Only b and c are correct.

**3. The following should NOT be done in case of fire:**

- a. Call the extension 5555.
- b. Apply RACE: Rescue, Alarm, Contain, Extinguish / Evacuate.
- c. Apply PASS when using extinguishers: Pull the pin, Aim the nozzle at the base of the fire, Squeeze the handle, Sweep at the base of the fire.
- d. Close all doors to contain the fire.
- e. Evacuate patients through the elevators.

**4. Sharps - circle THE WRONG answer:**

- a. Sharps include needles, razors, lancets, small glass objects, etc.
- b. Sharps should not be left on surfaces in the patient's room.
- c. Used needles should be recapped then disposed in sharps containers.
- d. Sharp's containers should not be overfilled.

**5. Waste disposal at AUBMC:**

- a. Bio-hazardous waste (IV bags ...) is disposed in yellow bags.
- b. Hazardous chemical waste is stored in the Chemical Room.
- c. Cytotoxic drug waste is incinerated or given to the contractor for disposal.
- d. General ordinary waste is disposed in white or black bags.
- e. All of the above.



6. Infant / child abduction - circle THE WRONG answer:

- a. Admitted infants / children should be accompanied by a parent.
- b. Only designated staff are authorized to transport infants / children.
- c. Any suspected infant / child abduction should be reported to the nurse in charge.
- d. When a child is missed, the parents activate the code pink.
- e. Protection personnel should control main exits in case of child abduction.

7. All the following are true concerning skin marking, EXCEPT:

- a. Means marking the precise site of the skin where surgery will be performed, using a clearly understood mark.
- b. Does not necessarily involve the patient.
- c. Is a requirement of the International Patient Safety Goals.
- d. Is required by the AUBMC policy on Pre-operative / Pre-procedure Verification.
- e. Single organs, sites, and organs that are difficult to see or reach are an exception for skin marking.

8. Reporting of critical test results:

- a. Is required to ensure effective communication (International Patient Safety Goal # 2).
- b. Involves reporting of a critical test result immediately to the treating physician.
- c. The person receiving the information should read back the complete test result to confirm correct receipt of the message.
- d. All of the above are true.

9. Which is NOT TRUE concerning patient falls:

- a. Fall risk assessment is conducted for patients upon admission then on a weekly basis.
- b. Patients identified at risk of fall are put on fall risk precautions.
- c. In case of patient fall, an incident report is completed only upon the patient request.
- d. The attending physician should be notified of a patient fall.

10. Regarding staff exposure to spills:

- a. AUBMC staff should know how to deal with chemical / blood spills.
- b. Staff should report any exposure to spills (chemical / blood) to their supervisor.
- c. The incident report form is completed and sent to the Environmental Health Safety & Risk Management Department (EHSRM).
- d. All of the above are correct.

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