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Chapter: 500 Health Services		
Subject: Contamination of Catheter or Other Sterile Supplies		

POLICY

All Division of Adult Institutions shall promptly recognize and follow-up on contamination or potential contamination. This is essential to minimize the risk of developing Peritonitis. Each episode of contamination shall be evaluated by the Peritoneal Dialysis Nurse and treated accordingly.

REFERENCES

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DEFINITIONS, ACRONYMS AND FORMS

CQI – Continuous quality improvement

DOC – Department of Corrections

PD – Peritoneal Dialysis

PROCEDURE

I. General Guidelines

- A. Prior to independently performing PD, all inmate patients shall be educated on the proper procedure to take when there is an episode of potential contamination of the catheter or sterile supplies.
- B. Each episode of contamination shall be reported to the PD nurse.
- C. Advanced care providers, nurses, and inmate patients shall evaluate the specific circumstances of a contamination or potential contamination.
- D. Algorithm for PD contamination or potential contamination of catheter end:
 1. Close catheter clamp, if open.
 2. Inmate patient not to proceed with dialysis.
 3. Call PD nurse immediately for further direction and treatment recommendations per the PD standing orders.

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- 4. Sterile tubing (transfer set) change shall be completed by the PD nurse within 24 hours.
- E. After each case of contamination, inmate patient education shall be reinforced.
- F. The CQI process shall be utilized to review all trends in contaminations.

Bureau of Health Services: _____ **Date Signed:** _____
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DIVISION OF ADULT INSTITUTIONS FACILITY IMPLEMENTATION PROCEDURES

Facility: Name		
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Will Implement <input type="checkbox"/> As written <input type="checkbox"/> With below procedures for facility implementation		
Warden's/Center Superintendent's Approval:		

REFERENCES

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FACILITY PROCEDURE

- I.
 - A.
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RESPONSIBILITY

- I. Staff
- II. Inmate
- III. Other