# Dialysis Staff Infection Prevention

# Scavenger Hunt



This activity reinforces key infection prevention practices while promoting teamwork and staff engagement. Have fun and stay safe! For additional resources, explore the CDC's comprehensive tools and guidelines for infection prevention in dialysis settings.

#### **Instructions for Participants:**

- Find Each Item: Use the scavenger hunt sheet to locate each item.
- **Complete the Task:** Perform the associated infection spread prevention task.
- **Answer the Quiz Questions:** After completing each task, answer the corresponding quiz question.
- **Review and Discuss:** Once all items are found and tasks are completed, gather as a group to review the answers and discuss the importance of each item and task in preventing the spread of infections.

#### **Materials Needed:**

- Scavenger hunt sheets for each participant or team
- Pens or markers

#### **Hunt:**

• Have participants search for the items and complete the infection spread prevention tasks, marking the location or taking a selfie with each item.

#### **Completion:**

• Gather participants and review the items found and tasks completed. Discuss the importance of each item and task in preventing the spread of infections.

#### Cleanup:

- Collect any remaining prizes.
- Store materials for future use.



# **Scavenger Hunt Item Sheet**

Explore each item below to complete hands-on tasks that highlight how your facility prevents the spread of infections.

<ol> <li>Location of Infection Prevention Policies and Procedures</li> <li>Task: Identify one policy that helps prevent the spread of infections and explain its importance.</li> </ol>
<ol> <li>Safety Data Sheets (SDS) Binder</li> <li>Task: Find the SDS for a disinfectant and explain how it helps prevent the spread of infections.</li> </ol>
3. Blood/Body Fluid Spill Kit  Task: Demonstrate the correct use of the spill kit to prevent infection spread.
<b>4. Sharps Containers Task:</b> Describe the importance of proper sharps disposal in preventing the spread of infections.
<ul><li>5. Eyewash Stations</li><li>Task: Explain how using the eyewash station can prevent infections in case of exposure.</li></ul>
<ul><li>6. Biohazard Waste Collection Area</li><li>Task: Identify what types of waste go here and how proper disposal prevents the spread of infections.</li></ul>
7. Hand Hygiene Posters  Task: Demonstrate proper handwashing technique and explain its role in preventing the spread of infections.
8. Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Stations  Task: Show how to correctly don and doff PPE to minimize infection risk.
<ul><li>9. Disinfectant Wipes or Sprays</li><li>Task: Clean a dialysis station following the proper disinfection protocol to prevent the spread of infections.</li></ul>
10. Dialysis Station Disinfection Checklist  Task: Complete a mock disinfection checklist for a dialysis station, emphasizing steps that prevent the spread of infections.



## **Post-Hunt Quiz**

This quiz will help reinforce the knowledge and skills needed to prevent the spread of infections.

<b>1. Infection Prevention Policies and Procedures</b> What is one key policy that helps prevent the spread of infections, and why is it important?
2. Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) Binder What information can you find in the SDS for a disinfectant, and how does it help prevent the spread of infections?
3. Blood/Body Fluid Spill Kit Describe the steps to properly use the spill kit to prevent infection spread.
4. Sharps Containers Why is proper disposal of sharps crucial in preventing the spread of infections?
<b>5. Eyewash Stations</b> What are the steps to use an eyewash station, and how does it help prevent infections?
<b>6. Biohazard Waste Collection Area</b> What types of waste should be disposed of in the biohazard waste collection area, and how does this prevent the spread of infections?



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7. Hand Hygiene Posters
Demonstrate and describe the proper handwashing technique. Why is this important in preventing
the spread of infections?
8. Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Stations
Explain the correct procedure for donning and doffing PPE to minimize infection risk.
9. Disinfectant Wipes or Sprays
What is the proper protocol for cleaning a dialysis station with disinfectant wipes or sprays to prevent the spread of infections?
10. Dialysis Station Disinfection Checklist
Complete a mock disinfection checklist for a dialysis station. What are the critical steps that help
prevent the spread of infections?
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