

Facility Name:	Year:
To be assessed monthly by Operational or IPC Manager	

A. Handwashing Facilities											
1. Mark each item ✓ or ✗ and then total											
Basin N°	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
1 Water available											
2 Basin clean											
3 Basin deep enough to prevent splashing											
4 Basin only used for handwashing & not for disposal of body fluids											
5 Tiled splash back											
6 Elbow operated taps											
7 Taps functional and not leaking											
8 Mixer tap allows easy rinsing to the elbow and does not point directly over basin outlet											
9 Elbow operated /non touch liquid soap											
10 Soap dispenser clean & soap available											
11 Paper towels available in dispenser											
12 Hand wash poster displayed											
13 Functional pedal /non touch bin available											
14 Bin not overflowing											
Totals											
Divided by 14											
X 100 = %											
Total % & divide by N° of basins	Total Handwashing Facilities										%

5 Moments for HAND HYGIENE



B. Hand Hygiene Practice				
1 Observe handwashing practices in the unit for at least 15mins during a busy period eg feeding time, and score compliance using the WHO hand hygiene observation tool				
2 Record scores from the WHO tool, for each moment and category of person below.				
3 Calculate overall hand hygiene practice score by totaling the score for each moment and dividing by 6.				
Moment One: Spraying/rubbing hands before touching child				
Doctors:	Nurses:	Mothers:	Other:	
Total score for Moment One:				%
Moment Two: Washing hands before a sterile(clean) procedure				
Doctors:	Nurses:			
Total score for Moment Two:				%
Moment Three: Washing hands after procedure / exposure to body fluids				
Doctors:	Nurses:	Mothers:	Other:	
Total score for Moment Three:				%
Moment four: Spraying/rubbing hands after contact with child				
Doctors:	Nurses:	Mothers:	Other:	
Total score for Moment Four:				%

Moment five: Spraying/rubbing hands after touching patient surrounding (equipment/records)			
Doctors:	Nurses:	Mothers:	Other:
Total score for Moment Five:			%
Moment six: Washing hands before entering the unit			
Doctors:	Nurses:	Mothers:	Other:
Total score for Moment Six:			%
Total combined score for hand hygiene practice:			%

C. Hand Hygiene Procedure						
1. Assess at least 6 individual performances of use of hand hygiene (either soap and water or ABHR)						
2. Assess x2 Mothers (M), Nurses (N) and Doctors (D). Preferably the individual should be unaware of being assessed						
3. Mark each item- ✓ or ✗ and then total ticks						
Category of person:						
1	All jewellery /traditional bracelets removed/covered					
2	Finger nails short, clean & no nail varnish					
3	Cuts, cracks, abrasions covered (water proof dressing)					
4	Is able to identify 5 moments for hand hygiene					
5	Hands kept above elbows throughout wash					
6	Opens taps with elbows (NA for ABHR)					
7	Wets hands (NA for ABHR)					
8	Closes taps with elbows (NA for ABHR)					
9	Applies liquid soap using elbow or 5mls (palm full) of ABHR					
10	Cleans hands-each step to a count of 5 as below:					
11	Finger tips of right hand in left palm and vice versa					
12	Right palm over left dorsum fingers interlocked & vice versa					
13	Palm to palm fingers interlocked					
14	Back of fingers to opposing palm with fingers gripped					
15	Right thumb clasped in left palm and vice versa					
16	Wash lasts at least 30secs					
17	Opens taps with elbows (NA for ABHR)					
18	Rinses hands thoroughly (NA for ABHR)					
19	Turns off tap with elbow (NA for ABHR)					
20	Dries well with paper towels/rubs till dry (ABHR)					
Totals:						
Divide by 20 (Wash) or 14 (ABHR)						
X 100		%	%	%	%	%
Add each % and divide by number of people assessed: Total		%				

HANDWASHING COMBINED SCORE			
Handwashing Facilities			%
Hand Hygiene Practice			%
Hand Hygiene Procedure			%
Add above scores and divide by 3 to get final score for Hand Hygiene compliance	FINAL SCORE:		%
Assessed By:			
Sign:		Print:	Desig:
Feedback received By:			
Sign:		Print:	Desig:

Comments/Gaps Identified:
Action Plan:

