



CLABSI PREVENTION WEEK

JAN 19 - 25, 2026

SUNDAY



HUDDLE CARD

THE NECESSITY CHECK

GOAL	: Reduce dwell time to reduce risk.
THE CHECK	: Ask the provider during rounds: "Does this patient still need this line today?"
ACTION	: If there are no active IV meds or clinical indications, remove the line immediately.



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MONDAY



SCRUB
THE HUB

HUDDLE CARD

SCRUB THE HUB (EVERY LINE. EVERY TIME)

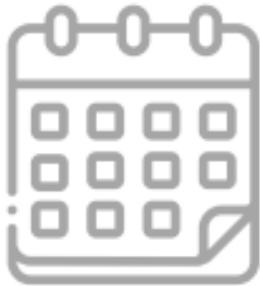
GOAL	: Prevent entry of organisms into the bloodstream.
THE CHECK	: Observe a hub access. Are we scrubbing for a full 15 seconds with friction?
ACTION	: Use an alcohol or CHG prep pad. Let it dry completely before connecting.



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TUESDAY



HUDDLE CARD

TUBING & TIMING (THE 96H/7D RULE)

GOAL	: Ensure administration sets are within safety windows.
THE CHECK	: Check every IV pole. Is the tubing dated?
ACTION	: Continuous: Change every 96 hours to 7 days. Intermittent: Change every 24 hours.



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WEDNESDAY



HUDDLE CARD

DRESSING INTEGRITY

GOAL : Maintain a sterile barrier.

THE CHECK : Is the dressing Clean, Dry, and Intact?

ACTION : If there is any peeling, moisture, or blood under the dressing, it must be changed immediately using sterile technique.



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THURSDAY



HUDDLE CARD

CHG BATHING & SITE CARE

GOAL	: Reduce skin colonization.
THE CHECK	: Was the patient bathed with CHG today? Is it documented?
ACTION	: Ensure CHG is applied to the skin around the insertion site and the entire body (below the jawline) for all patients with central lines.