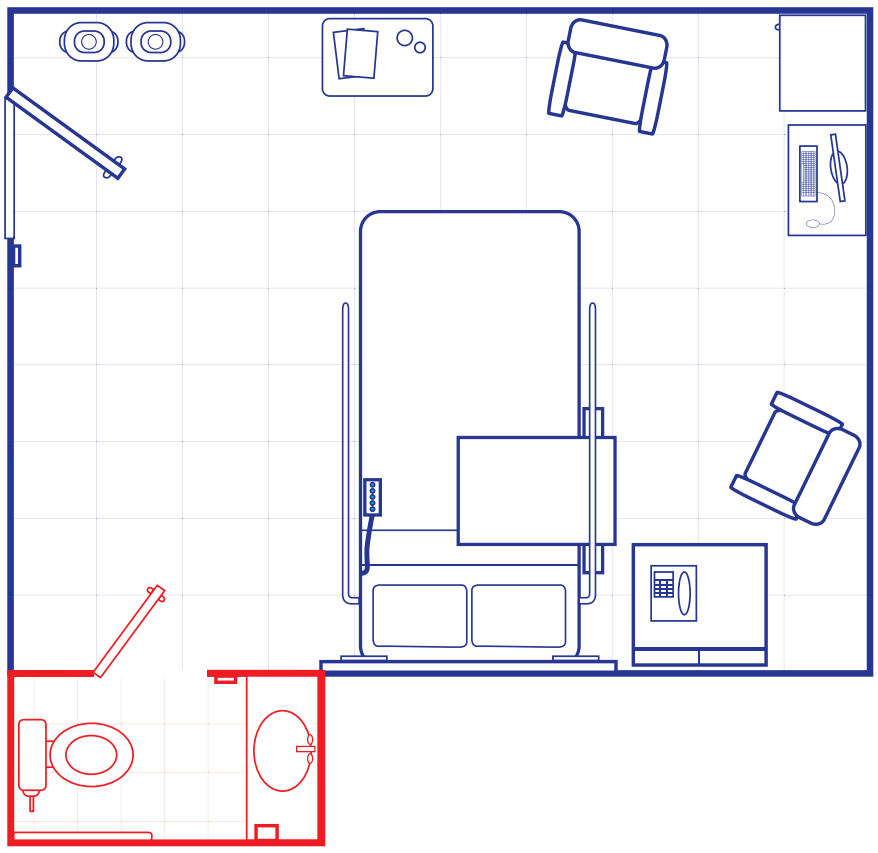
Patient Room: Daily Cleaning

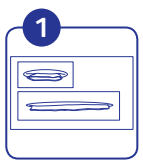
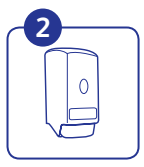
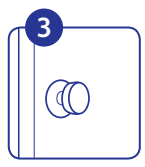


Getting Started

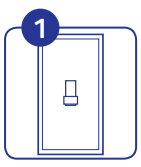
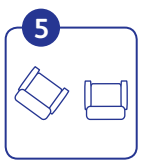
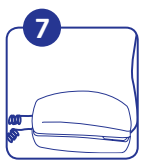
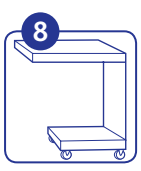
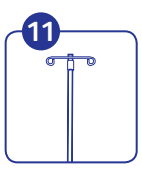
1. Gather supplies.
2. Conduct hand hygiene, put on PPE.
3. Place wet floor sign at the room entrance.
4. Inspect the room and report any issues.
5. Patient's Personal Belongings - If present, have nursing staff remove.
6. Remove trash and infectious waste.
7. Remove all linens and place in soiled linen liner change out privacy curtains per facility policy.
8. Check sharps container - if over 2/3 full, call to hav container replaced.
9. High dust horizontal surfaces and fixtures.
10. Spot clean visible soil from low touch surfaces such as walls.

Clean and Disinfectant Patient Room Surfaces

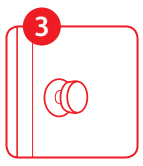
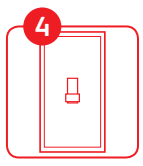
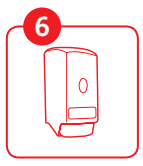
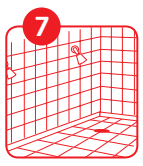
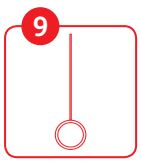
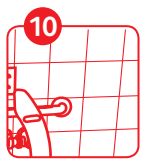
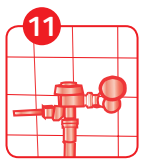
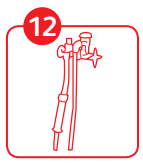
Entry Areas

1. Gather cleaning wipe moistened with disinfectant; As the wipe becomes soiled, exchange it for a new wipe
1.  PPE Holder
2.  Soap/Sanitizer dispenser
3.  Door knob

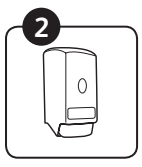
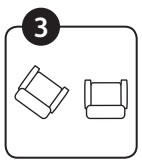
Patient Area

1.  Light switch
2. Sharps containers (exterior)
3. Nurse server
4. Computer monitor, mouse, keyboard and cart
5.  Patient and Visitor chairs
6. Bedside table, inside drawer and drawer pulls
7.  Telephone
8.  Over bed tray table; do not disturb patient's belongings
9. Call button/ TV remote
10. Patient bed rails and controls
11.  IV pole grab area, do not disturb any medication
12. Patient room closet (exterior and door pulls)
13. Trash and infectious waste receptacles - clean inside and out and reline

Restroom Area

1. Gather cleaning cloth moistened with disinfectant; As the cloth becomes soiled, exchange it for a new cloth
2. Spray toilet bowl, seat and wall area with disinfectant; let dwell
3.  Restroom door and handles - inside and out
4.  Light switch
5. Sink, faucets, and handles
6.  Soap/ sanitizer dispenser
7.  Shower area
8. Toilet grab handles/bar
9.  Pull cord
10.  Wall area around toilet
11.  Toilet Flush Handle
12.  Bed pan sprayer
13. Toilet seat and bowl
14. Clean commode, contact nursing before cleaning
15. Remove gloves, conduct hand hygiene, put on new gloves

Finishing Area

1. Refill tissue and towel dispensers
2.  Refill hand hygiene dispensers
3.  Rearrange furniture and equipment as required
4. Inspect your work
5. Mop floors
6. Remove gloves and conduct hand hygiene

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