

Intravenous Therapy
Class Preparation
Nursing 201: Nursing Care of Special Populations

After reviewing the Beebe Healthcare IV Therapy and Vascular Access Devices policy with Lippincott Procedures links, answer the following questions.

- Hand hygiene and gloves are indicated for IV insertion and removal; for drawing blood; and discontinuing of any vascular access device.

TRUE

FALSE

- Prior to accessing an intravascular cap, how many seconds do you scrub the hub?

5 seconds & allow to dry completely

- For incompatible solutions/medications, flush the line with 10ml NS before and 10ml NS after administering the medication.

- Pediatric IV sites should be assessed Q 1 hours.

- Only Grade 2 infiltrations require a Safety Tracking Tool (STT) to be completed.

TRUE

FALSE

- A physician's order is not required to initiate intravenous (IV) access.

TRUE

FALSE

- Intravenous sites must be changed every 96 hours.

TRUE

FALSE

- When an extravasation occurs, the nurse should immediately remove the intravenous (IV) site.

TRUE

FALSE

- IV sites are assessed and documented on at least every 4 hours and PRN.

- An intravenous site that is initiated in suboptimal aseptic conditions can stay in place if assessing within normal limits.

TRUE

FALSE