



## Instructional Module 6 - UNIT STAFF GUIDELINES

### CLINICAL SKILLS THAT MAY BE PERFORMED BY CSON STUDENTS

All Instructional Module 6 students **MUST** be accompanied by a CSON instructor or a licensed nurse when performing medication administration, invasive patient procedures, or when requested by student, instructor, patient, or TPCN. IM6 Students **May NOT** transport an infant to or from the Respite Nursery **without** a licensed nurse or the banded mother or support person.

- Perform assessments & Document
- Provide assistance with ADL's
- Basic Newborn Care
  - o Transition/Bathing
  - o Newborn Assessment
  - o Vital Signs
  - o Diaper changing
  - o Assist with feedings/bonding
  - o Assist with Transition
  - o **Heel stick lab draws only**
- IV Therapy
  - o Insertion, site care
  - o Blood draw & IV start
  - o DC IV's
- Central Lines
  - o Blood Draws & Dressing Changes
- Pre-op Care
  - o Shave prep / CHG wipes
  - o Fetal heart tones
  - o Urinary Catheter Insertion
- Post-op Care
  - o Immediate
  - o Vital Signs
  - o Staple Removal
  - o Dressing Changes
  - o SCD's, TED hose
- DC Urinary Catheter
- Medication Administration
  - o All routes
  - o Rhogam (IM)
  - o Rubella (SQ)
  - o Tdap (IM)
  - o Depo-Provera (IM)
- Patient Education
  - o Self-care & Infant Care
  - o Discharge Teaching
- Room Set Up
  - o PP Care Packs
  - o IV Pump
  - o Paperwork & Water Pitcher
  - o Newborn Bassinet
- Patient Room – Cleanliness
  - o Remove Used Linens
  - o Empty Trash Cans
  - o Remove Dirty Trays
- Accu-check
- Breastfeeding Assistance
  - o Work with Lactation Specialists
- Clean Dirty Equipment & Store properly
- Help answer call lights, doorbell, & phone
- Assist with admission/discharge process

#### **REQUIREMENTS for student**

- **Be Prepared, Engaged and Attentive!**
- **Perform assessments & document**
- **We respect staff's time, so we simply ask to observe Med admin/assessment in MB, NSY & AP on at least 1 patient to assess student/pt interaction & dosage calculation**
- **Provide majority of care on patients to aid with time management skills**
- **Observe as many procedures as possible**

A CSON Instructional Module 6 Instructor will be available during clinical hours should you have any questions, need further clarification, or have concerns. Please contact us should you need assistance.

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- Obtain info in patient chart for clinical paperwork/ SBAR report
- Med admin is rare in LD so opportunities for observation/learning are much appreciated