

Hand Hygiene Checklist B

Hand Hygiene facilities

a)	Facilities	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENT
1	Liquid soap, in single use dispensers, is available at all hand washing sinks				
2	Paper towels are available at all hand washing sinks				
3	There are sufficient numbers of hand washing sinks available				
4	Access to hand washing basins is clear				
5	Sinks are clean and in good repair.				
6	There is appropriate temperature control to provide suitable hand wash water at all sinks				
7	Elbow operated or automated taps are available in sinks in clinical areas				
8	A poster demonstrating a good hand washing technique is available				
9	Moisturiser is available as single use or in a wall mounted dispenser				
10	Alcohol-based hand rub is available for use throughout clinical area				
b)	Practice	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENT
11	Antibacterial solutions are used for invasive procedures (but not for routine hand decontamination)				
12	All hand hygiene agents have a clean dispenser and nozzle				
13	There are no nail brushes on sinks in clinical areas				
14	The sinks are free from used equipment e.g. medicine pots, clothing				
15	Staff use the correct procedure for decontaminating hands (observe 2 staff)				
16	Staff can indicate when it is appropriate to use alcohol-based hand rub (ask 2 members of staff)				
17	Hand hygiene is performed: (observe each practice twice)				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Following patient contact				
	<input type="checkbox"/> After removal of gloves				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Prior to procedures				
	<input type="checkbox"/> After a procedure				