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Surgical Attire Initiative

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Objectives

1. Identify steps taken to initiate surgical attire made in ORs across six campuses of a nationally recognized urban teaching hospital.
2. Interpret compliance rates, culture changes, and practice sustainability over a six-month period.

Perioperative Quality/Safety Specialist

- Roles/Responsibilities
 - Unit Rounding
 - Attire
 - Universal Protocol (Time-Out)
 - Surgical Counts
 - Immediate-Use Steam Sterilization (IUSS)
 - General Survey Readiness
 - Infection Control Liaison
 - Staff Education
 - Perioperative Steering Committee Organizer
 - Investigate/Compose Quality Reviews

Surgical Attire Initiative Timeline

CMS Visit

December 2015

Policy Change, Quality Rounding, Mandatory Bouffants/Jackets/Hoods

January-February 2016

Implementation of Burgundy Scrubs for Operating Rooms ONLY, Monthly Updates at Cross-Campus Perioperative Steering Committee

Ongoing 2016-2017

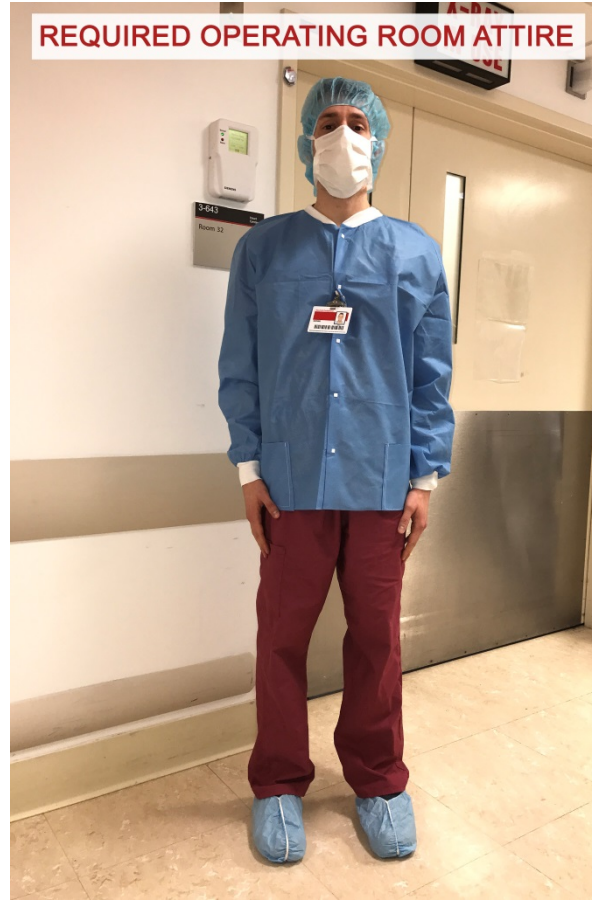
Staff Meetings, Administrative Notice, Department Chair Buy-in

December 2015-
January 2016

Daily Rounding Continues with Non-Compliance E-mails from Medical Director

Ongoing 2016-2017

Tools of the Trade



Perioperative Team Effort

- Pre-op Area
- Operating Rooms
- Post Anesthesia Care Unit (PACU)

Compliance Rates

		Yes	No	Compliance	# Immediate Corrections	Adjusted Compliance
December	AH	179	11	94%	11	100%
	CU	712	101	88%	83	98%
	LM	198	9	96%	9	100%
	MSCH	215	49	81%	45	98%
	WC	1231	72	94%	72	100%
	NYP	2535	242	91%	220	99%
January	AH	348	20	95%	19	100%
	CU	964	228	81%	86	88%
	LM	246	6	98%	6	100%
	MSCH	161	9	95%	8	99%
	WC	1519	46	97%	40	100%
	NYP	3238	309	91%	159	96%
February	AH	164	1	99%	1	100%
	CU	860	180	83%	84	91%
	LM	258	5	98%	5	100%
	MSCH	182	5	97%	5	100%
	WC	1615	44	97%	37	100%
	NYP	3079	235	93%	132	97%

Evidence-based References

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