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Subject: Post Meeting Agenda Notes 2-10-26 - Nursing and Patient Care CVA
Importance: High

Good Afternoon Everyone,

Below are the February post-meeting agenda notes.

Committee Updates

- Committee members are highly encouraged to bring forth agenda items as they are needed. If committee members would like to include an item for discussion, please reach out to Tyler at least one week before the next meeting to ensure it gets added to the agenda and so Tyler can include pertinent notes for the committee.
- As a friendly reminder our meetings start at 3:00pm, please ensure you are there as soon as possible so we can use as much of our time effectively as possible. Also, all committee members are highly encouraged to bring their deputy and/or send them in their absence.

Agenda Items

- **Pneumatic Compression Device: Vizient Commit provided an opportunity to review Cardinal as they hold the current commit agreement. Medline was also reviewed as a potential replacement vendor. Currie, the current vendor, was also asked to participate in the review. The committee evaluated all three vendors and concluded the following: **APPROVED to stay with Currie Medical****
 - The Cardinal pump, while technologically advanced and compact, did not have an optimal way to connect to the patient bed. It has a clamp system instead of arms which may require nursing staff to keep on floor. The sleeves were also deemed to be less comfortable as current sleeves have a cloth feel while the Cardinal have a latex feel.
 - The Medline pump had a compact design, previous experience from some committee members, it was determined that quality was questionable as well as servicing costs.
 - Currie, the new Currie pumps are compact like the Cardinal and Medline designs and are lightweight. The committee does not have any issues with the current sleeves and felt that a newer lightweight pump would improve the current experience.
- **Personal Protection Equipment: Nursing CVA Team **APPROVED** some items, and some are still **PENDING** regarding the conversion to the Commit recommended vendor: O&M.**

Gown Isolation Medical Staff Disposable XLarge Thumb Loop Cuff Film In Dispenser Box Blue Halyard - **APPROVED**

Gown Isolation Medical Staff Disposable XLarge AAMI Level 2 Over The Head Yellow Halyard Basics - **APPROVED**

Cap Surgical Medical Staff Disposable One Size 4 Ply Tissue Blue Halyard - **APPROVED**
 Cover Shoe Medical Staff Disposable One Size Adhesive Traction Strip Fluid Repellent Blue X-Tra
 Traction – **ALTERNATIVE APPROVED**
 Cover Shoe Medical Staff Disposable XLarge Adhesive Traction Strip Fluid Repellent Blue X-Tra
 Traction – **ALTERNATIVE APPROVED**
 Jacket Lab Medical Staff Disposable Large Snap Closure Knit Cuff/Collar With Pocket Universal
 Precaution SMS White – **APPROVED**
 Jacket Lab Medical Staff Disposable Medium Snap Closure Knit Cuff/Collar With Pocket Universal
 Precaution SMS White – **APPROVED**
 Jacket Lab Medical Staff Disposable Small Snap Closure Knit Cuff/Collar With Pocket Universal
 Precaution SMS White – **APPROVED**
 Jacket Lab Medical Staff Disposable XLarge Snap Closure Knit Cuff/Collar With Pocket Universal
 Precaution SMS White – **APPROVED**
 Coveralls Medical Staff Disposable 2XLarge Knit Cuff Open Leg Fluid/Chemical Exposure Low
 Spunbond White Halyard - **PENDING ALTERNATIVE PRODUCT FROM VENDOR**
 Cap Bouffant Medical Staff Disposable 24in Spunbond Polypropylene Red - **APPROVED**
 Cap Bouffant Medical Staff Disposable 24in Spunbond Blue Halyard - **APPROVED**

Action Items:

- O&M is sending over an alternative coverall that they believe will meet our sizing requirements. Once obtained clinical will verify. If approved Tyler will work to begin conversion process. NPC Council may be notified at the discretion of Ken Fry.

- **ADVANCED WOUND CARE UPDATE (Multiple SKUs):** Advanced Wound Care Subcommittee held vendor presentations for foam dressings at the end of January. Three vendors were recommended for trial of their foam dressing: Medline, Molnlycke, Smith & Nephew. Dr. Nazzal has also requested a vendor fair be held to allow the vendors to showcase their entire portfolio for advanced wound care. This fair is in the planning stages and will be held sometime in March.

Action Items:

- Tyler & Wound Care Subcommittee to work with Nursing to setup trial for foam dressing
- Tyler & Wound Care Subcommittee and Dr. Nazzal to plan out Advanced Wound Care Vendor fair
- Tyler will provide updates of subcommittee progress at the March CVA monthly meeting.

Thanks,

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