

Standard ANTT Aseptic Non Touch Technique

Infection Prevention Principles Uncomplicated Wound Dressing in a Facility

Prepare Well



Consult client care record to inform wound care^{1,2}



With clean hands, use wipe to clean all trolley surfaces³



Gather equipment and waste bag/container⁶ place on bottom shelf



Perform hand hygiene³



Prepare your equipment⁴. Ensure you have a bag/container ready and open for waste⁶ Open pack, assemble equipment and position on top shelf



Put on non-sterile gloves^{2,5} If further PPE is required put on before gloves⁵

Perform ANTT



Position towel or drape under the wound, remove old dressing, place into waste bag/container



Dispose of gloves and perform hand hygiene³



Put on non-sterile gloves^{2,5}



Cleanse the wound² using a non touch technique



Dress the wound using a non touch technique²



Dispose of gloves and waste⁶. Perform hand hygiene³

Complete Procedure



Clean the work space and equipment



Perform hand hygiene³

Good practice points (GPP):

1. Always ensure a wound care plan has been completed. Check before commencing care and update as required at the end of care.
2. If asepsis cannot be maintained using Standard ANTT, use Surgical ANTT (incorporating a critical aseptic field and sterile gloves).
3. Hand hygiene may be performed using soap and water or a waterless product.
4. Use a non touch technique at all times to protect key parts and key sites.
5. If it is absolutely necessary to touch the wound or key parts directly, use sterile gloves. Determine if further PPE is required if there is a potential for splash of blood or body substances.
6. Waste must be disposed of as per your agency policy. Waste bag/container may be attached to trolley or free standing if within reach.