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PROCEDURE SUBJECT:

Project Cleaning Rooms

PURPOSE:

To provide a clean environment and to follow standards of accreditation, infection control and Manitoba Health standards.

PROCEDURE:

- 1. Use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) according to Safety Data Sheet (SDS).
- 2. Prepare equipment. Ensure project cleaning cart is fully stocked.
- 3. Place equipment outside of the room to be project cleaned. Make sure the cart and equipment are not blocking the area.
- 4. Empty the room. Furniture should be placed in the corridor on the same side to limit obstructing the corridor.
- 5. Remove the curtains and take to the Laundry department. Clean as per manufacturers' directions.
- 6. Clean the curtain hooks.
- Scrub and refinish the floor as per the facility process. See Floor Finishing -ORG.1910.PR.049, Floor Burnishing – ORG.1910.PR.050 and Floor Stripping – ORG.1910.PR.047.
- 8. Clean lights inside and out.
- 9. Clean all vents by either vacuuming with an attachment or damp wiping or both.
- 10. With wall washing unit, clean the ceiling and all the curtain tracks. If excessive dust is evident, use a dry cloth to go over the ceiling first.
- 11. Clean the window, wipe the window blind and all mirrors as per procedure Cleaning of Curtains and Blinds ORG.1910.PR.016.

- 12. Start in one corner of the room and work systematically around the room.
- 13. Dry dust walls with dry clean cloth and extended handle, this will remove a great amount of loose soil.
- 14. Scrub spots and stains with a stain remover. Do not scrub stain so hard as to remove the paint.
- 15. Rinse with clean solution to remove any excess stain removal solution.
- 16. Begin washing walls from top to bottom with wall washing system.
- 17. Rinse the cloth often and change the water often.
- 18. Check walls and fixtures for streaks.
- 19. Shine all plug outlets, sinks, pipes with a dry cloth, etc.
- 20. Follow the same procedure for cleaning the bathroom.
- 21. Place furniture back in the room in its appropriate location.
- 22. Hang the curtains back up.
- 23. Notify nursing the client can return to their room.

*Nursing assistance may be required to remove client and client's equipment from room.

EQUIPMENT/SUPPLIES:

- 🕨 Pail
- Cleaning solution
- > Putty knife
- Rubber gloves
- > Toothbrush
- Garbage bags
- > Dusters
- Window cleaner
- Spot remover
- Scrubbing pad
- > Dry mop
- > Wet mops
- Floor pails
- Wall washing unit
- Floor burnisher
- Rotary floor machine with appropriate floor pads
- Floor Stripper as required
- > Floor neutralizer as required
- Floor wax as required
- ➢ Wet Floor signs
- Broom & dust pan

REFERENCES

ORG.1910.PR.016 - Cleaning of Curtains and Blinds ORG.1910.PR.047 - Floor Stripping ORG.1910.PR.049 - Floor Finishing ORG.1910.PR.050 - Floor Burnishing