

Soaker Pad Audit Tool

<p>Instructions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Each auditor will choose a unit or area to audit on 1 single day Check each bed and determine if there is a cloth soaker on the bed If there are cloth soakers on the bed, speak to nurse or HCA. Ask them to provide their rationale. Complete the Audit Tool. 	<p>Examples of appropriate reasons for short term soaker pad use:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Draining wound Diarrhea (C. Diff, etc.) Bowel regime (suppository day) Short term bladder training Bathing in bed Behavioural or dementia bladder issues (incontinence) GI bleed, Post Delivery, Vaginal bleeding (large fluid loss for a variety of reasons) Unable to use appropriate incontinence products
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Unit wing/facility: _____ **Date:** _____

Bed #	Bed		Cloth Soaker on bed?		Reasons for soaker use	Appropriate?	
	Occupied	Unoccupied	Yes	No		Yes	No
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# of beds with soaker pads on bed					# of appropriately placed soaker pads		
Total # of beds on Unit					Total # of soaker pads on Unit		