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**PROCEDURE SUBJECT:**

Wall Washing

**PURPOSE:**

To provide a clean and sanitary environment.

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1. Use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) according to Material Data Sheet (MDS).
2. Prepare equipment.
3. Fill pails with appropriate diluted cleaning solution.
4. Move all furniture, pictures and other items to one side of the room or into the corridor and place against the wall. If moving furniture into the corridor, keep it all to one side to minimize disruption of traffic.
5. Start in one corner of the room and work systematically around the room.
6. Dry dust walls with dry clean cloth and extended handle, this will remove a great amount of loose soil.
7. Scrub spots and stains with a stain remover.
8. Do not scrub stain so hard as to remove the paint
9. Rinse with clean solution to remove any excess stain removal solution.
10. Begin washing walls from top to bottom with wall washing system.
11. Rinse the cloth often and change the water as you begin to see the soiling in the water (water darkening). You may need to change the water up to 3 to 4 times in a double room. Always start with a fresh cleaning solution and cloths for the bathroom.
12. Check walls and fixtures for streaks.

13. Put back all of the contents of the room in their original position.

**EQUIPMENT/SUPPLIES:**

Cleaning Solution

Scrubbing Pads

Wall Washing System

Pails

Ladder

Cleaning Cloths

Gloves