

NHSN: PROCEDURE-ASSOCIATED MODULE

WB 2312

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: The goal of this activity is to teach healthcare personnel how to collect and report procedure – associated hospital infection data to the National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN). Additionally, another goal is to teach the same audience how to analyze their own facility's incidence of procedure – associated infections, ways to present the data to their staff, and use the data to improve performance and enhance patient safety.

OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion of the session, the participant will be able to:

1. List the procedure – associated modules in the Patient Safety Component of NHSN
2. Describe the NHSN surveillance methodology
3. Explain key terms and definitions for infections and identify surgical site infection (SSI) events using protocol criteria
4. Describe the Monthly Reporting Plan and demonstrate how to collect data effectively and efficiently relevant to Healthcare - associated infections
5. Calculate SSI infections rates, and interpret and respond to data for performance improvement and patient safety

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URL: <http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/training/>

HARDWARE/SOFTWARE: Computer Internet; Lectora Software

MATERIALS: None

TARGET AUDIENCE: Physicians Registered Nurses,
Epidemiologists, Laboratorians,
Nurse Technicians

PREREQUISITES: None

FORMAT: Wed-based program

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