

May 2018 Nursing Policy Updates				
Policy Name	Policy #	Interim/Full	What's New	Date Effective
Blood Product and Blood Derivative Transfusion Management	NURS 0063	Interim (Fast Track)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated albumin tubing (now primary vented tubing) to be changed every 4 hours • Included information for Rockingham Cancer Center 	April 2018
Central Venous Access Device (CVAD): Care and Maintenance	NURS 0074	Full	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added in best practices for blood draws • Clarified size of biopatch to use for what type of CVAD • Updated language for biopatch placement can be less than 90 degrees but not in line with catheter • Added in statement to allow alcohol to dry after cleansing needleless access connector • Added link to Infection Control resource for dressing supplies • Changed use of PainEase to spray before cleansing site for central line dressing change, as contents are no longer considered sterile • Formatting changes • Updated flush volume changes for pediatrics • Included information on push-pause flushing technique • Added link to Mclendon Lab tube guide 	May 2018

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated hyplinks and references 	
Gastric Tubes: Feeding and Decompression	NURS 0200	Interim	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Added NasoGastric Securement Device and included Lawson #, inserted hyperlink to instructional video for application of NasoGastric Securement Device. • Updated information related to Intermittent, Bolus or Continuous Feedings, added instructions for use of Ready to Hang System. • Updated protocol for the Care of the Patient with Enteral Feeding to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 4 hour volume limit in open feeding system used for pediatric enteral products ○ 24 hour hang time for ready to hang bottles and spike and flush bags used for adult enteral products ○ Label feeding bag or ready to hang feeding bottle with patient name, date/time product was hung, room, TF product, goal rate, water flush rate/frequency 	May 2018
Former Name: Chest Vest (Adult) New Name: Vest Physiotherapy/Percussive Therapy	NURS 574	Full	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes nursing care for all patients requiring chest physiotherapy vest and/or pediatric patients requiring percussive therapy • Added additional contraindications for vest physiology; added care of the patient with vest physiotherapy or percussive therapy 	May 2018

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated references • Name change 	
Intradermal Sterile Water Injection for Labor Analgesia	NURS 0587	Full	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated references, • updated statistics and information in rationale dependent on new literature. 	May 2018
Critical Congenital Heart Defect Screening in the Newborn	NURS 0589	Full	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated references- remember one reference is where we obtained our algorithm and process, • added NCCC, • updated considered CCHDs 	May 2018
Care of the Oncology Patient: Skin Care and Thiotepa	NURS 0600	Interim (Fast Track)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • added in information for low doses of thiotepa <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ every 8 hour dressing changes, baths, linen changes ○ not to place biopatch until 3 days after last dose ○ no cleansing with CHG for CVAD dressing until 24 hours after last dose 	April 2018
			<i>The following Policies had only editorial or reference updates</i>	
			<i>n/a</i>	