



Working together

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Our beginning

National audit 2006

80% compliance for hand hygiene

What can I do?

- Unit and small staff group meetings to raise awareness of audit results
- Action plan

Action Plan

- Unit based education programme to include; distributing leaflets, hand washing demonstrations, Glo box training
- Cleanliness Champions utilised to take forward education programme
- Meet visitors at unit door and ask them to gel their hands on entering
- Addressed other Infection Control issues
- Audit - opportunity based

Scottish Patient Safety Programme

- Launch at SECC January 2008
- What can we do by Tuesday?

Bundle

- 1st audit on Monday using Hand Hygiene Co-ordinator's Hand Hygiene Bundle, one patient, one nurse
- Bundle paperwork revised to be more user friendly
- Education to inform staff of the Patient Safety Programme
- Key moments posters displayed at entrance to each room
- Tested for 6 weeks
- Revised bundle taken to adjacent ward

Results

- 95% compliance by week 3
- 100% compliance by week 5

Issues

- Sustainability
- Education of staff out with own area
- Changing behaviour

That's me.....

