

Catheter associated blood stream infection (CABSI)

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CABSI



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- Great emphasis
- Clearly written policies and guidelines
- Care-bundles
 - Central lines
 - Peripheral lines
 - Insertion and ongoing care

Central venous catheter care bundle

□ Insertion

- Catheter type
- Insertion site
- PPE
- Skin preparation
- Hand hygiene
- Dressing
- Safe disposal of sharps
- Documentation

- <http://hcai.dh.gov.uk/files/2011/03/2011-03-14-HII-Central-Venous-Catheter-Care-Bundle-FINAL.pdf>

□ Ongoing Care

- Hand hygiene
- Site inspection
- Dressing
- Catheter injection ports
- Catheter access
- Administration set replacement
- Catheter replacement

Central venous catheter care bundle

Insertion
1. Catheter type <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Single lumen catheter is used unless otherwise indicated.▪ Antimicrobial impregnated catheter is used if the duration is estimated to be of 1-3 weeks and the risk of CR BSI high.
2. Insertion site <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Catheter is inserted into the subclavian or internal jugular.
3. Personal protective equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Maximal sterile barriers and aseptic technique, including a sterile gown, sterile gloves, and a large sterile drape, used for the insertion of a central venous access device.▪ Eye/full protection is worn if there is a risk of splashed blood or other bodily fluids.
4. Skin preparation <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 2% chlorhexidine gluconate in 70% isopropyl alcohol is used and allowed to dry for at least 30 seconds. <i>If a patient has a sensitivity use a single patient use povidone-iodine application.</i>▪ In line with local policy for neonates.
5. Hand hygiene <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Hands are decontaminated immediately before and after each episode of patient contact using the correct hand hygiene technique. <i>(Use of the World Health Organizations '5 moments of hand hygiene' or the NPSA 'Clean your hands campaign' is recommended).</i>
6. Dressing <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ A sterile, transparent, semi permeable dressing is used which allows observation of insertion site.
7. Safe disposal of sharps <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Sharps disposed of safely at the point of care and in line with local policy
8. Documentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Details of insertion are documented in the records (including date, location, catheter lot number and signature and name of operator undertaking insertion).

Central venous catheter care bundle

Ongoing care actions

1. Hand hygiene

- Hands are decontaminated immediately before and after each episode of patient contact using the correct hand hygiene technique. (*Use of the World Health Organization's '5 moments of hand hygiene' or the NPSA 'Clean your hands campaign' is recommended*).

2. Site inspection

- Site is inspected daily for signs of infection and is recorded in the patient's record.

3. Dressing

- An intact, dry, adherent transparent dressing, is present.
- Insertion site should be cleaned with 2% chlorhexidine gluconate in 70% isopropyl alcohol prior to if dressing changed.

4. Catheter injection ports

- Injection ports are covered by caps or valved connectors.

5. Catheter access

- Aseptic techniques are used for all access to the line.
- Ports or hubs are cleaned with 2% chlorhexidine gluconate in 70% isopropyl alcohol prior to catheter access.
- Flush line with 0.9% sodium chloride for lumens in frequent use.

6. Administration set replacement

- Set is replaced immediately after administration of blood/blood products.
- Set is replaced after 24 hours following total parenteral nutrition (if it contains lipids).
- Set is replaced within 72 hours of all other fluid sets.

7. Catheter replacement

- Catheter is removed if no longer required or decision not to remove is recorded.
- Details of removal are documented in the records (including date, location, and signature and name of operator undertaking removal).

Peripheral intravenous cannula care bundle

□ Insertion

- Aseptic techniques
- Hand hygiene
- PPE
- Skin preparation
- Dressing
- Documentation

- <http://hcai.dh.gov.uk/files/2011/03/2011-03-14-HII-Peripheral-intravenous-cannula-bundle-FIN....pdf>

□ Ongoing care

- Hand hygiene
- Continuing clinical indication
- Site inspection
- Dressing
- Cannula access
- Administration set replacement
- Cannula replacement
- Documentation

Peripheral intravenous cannula care bundle

Insertion actions

1. Aseptic Technique

- Procedure is carried out using a recognised aseptic technique.
- Needle free device used when available.
- A new cannula is used for each attempt.
- Cannula is flushed in line with local policy.

2. Hand hygiene

- Hands are decontaminated immediately before and after each cannula insertion contact using the correct hand hygiene technique. *Use of the World Health Organizations '5 moments of hand hygiene' or the National Patient Safety Agency (NPSA) 'Clean your hands campaign' is recommended.*

3. Personal protective equipment

- Disposable apron and gloves to be worn and disposed of following use and between patients.

4. Skin preparation

- 2% chlorhexidine gluconate in 70% isopropyl alcohol is used and allowed to dry for at least 30 seconds. *If a patient has a sensitivity use a single patient use povidone-iodine application.*
- In line with local policy for neonates.

5. Dressing

- A sterile, semi-permeable, transparent dressing is used allowing observation of insertion site.

6. Documentation

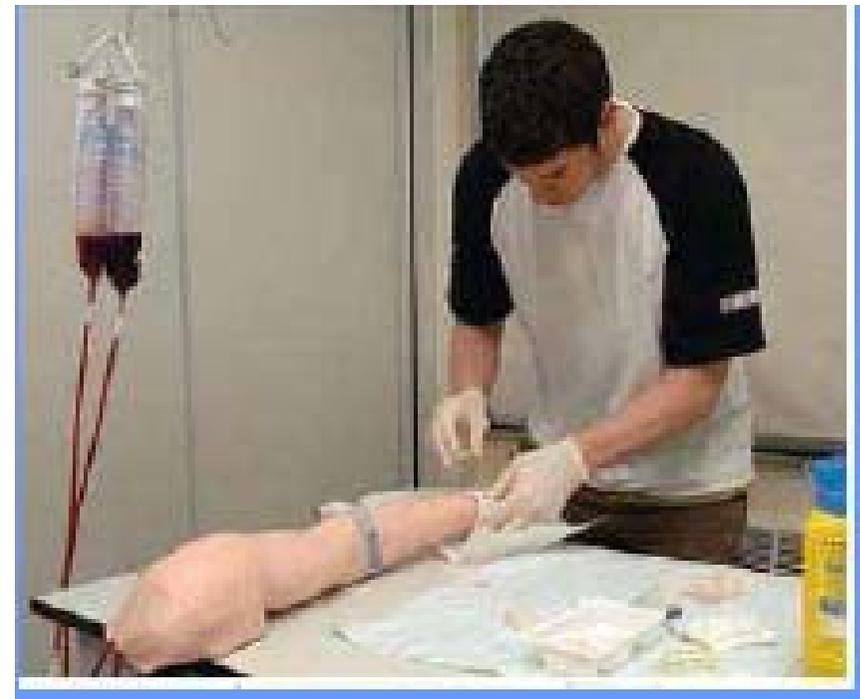
- Document date, reason for insertion, catheter size, operator undertaking insertion and if insertion was high risk with signature.

Peripheral intravenous cannula care bundle

Ongoing care actions
1. Hand hygiene <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Hands are decontaminated immediately before and after each episode of patient contact using the correct hand hygiene technique. <i>Use of the World Health Organizations '5 moments of hand hygiene' or the NPSA 'Clean your hands campaign' is recommended.</i>
2. Continuing clinical indication <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Indication for Intravenous cannulae is assessed twice daily and cannulae is removed where it is no longer indicated.
3. Site inspection <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Documented review of cannula site for signs of infection i.e. (VIP Scoring) at least daily.
4. Dressing <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ A sterile, semi-permeable, transparent dressing is used allowing observation of insertion site.
5. Cannula access <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 2% chlorhexidine gluconate in 70% Isopropyl alcohol is used to decontaminate port and surrounding area, and allowed to dry prior to the administering fluid or injections via the cannulae. <i>If a patient has a sensitivity use a single patient use povidone-iodine application.</i>▪ Patency is maintained
6. Administration set replacement <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Immediately after administration of blood, blood products, lipids and TPN.▪ In line with local single use item policy, for Intermittent administration All other fluid sets after 72 hours.
7. Cannula replacement <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Cannula re- sited before 72 hours or before if high risk insertion or clinically indicated.▪ Documented review of cannula site i.e. (VIP Scoring) at least daily.▪ Where venous access is limited, the cannula can remain in situ if there are no signs of infection and risk assessment undertaken.
8. Documentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Document in notes details of date and time of removal of cannula, operator undertaking removal with signature.

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- ❑ Training
- ❑ Easily accessible resources via internet/ intranet
- ❑ <http://hcai.dh.gov.uk/>
- ❑ Educational Videos: Aseptic non-touch techniques, hand hygiene, etc.

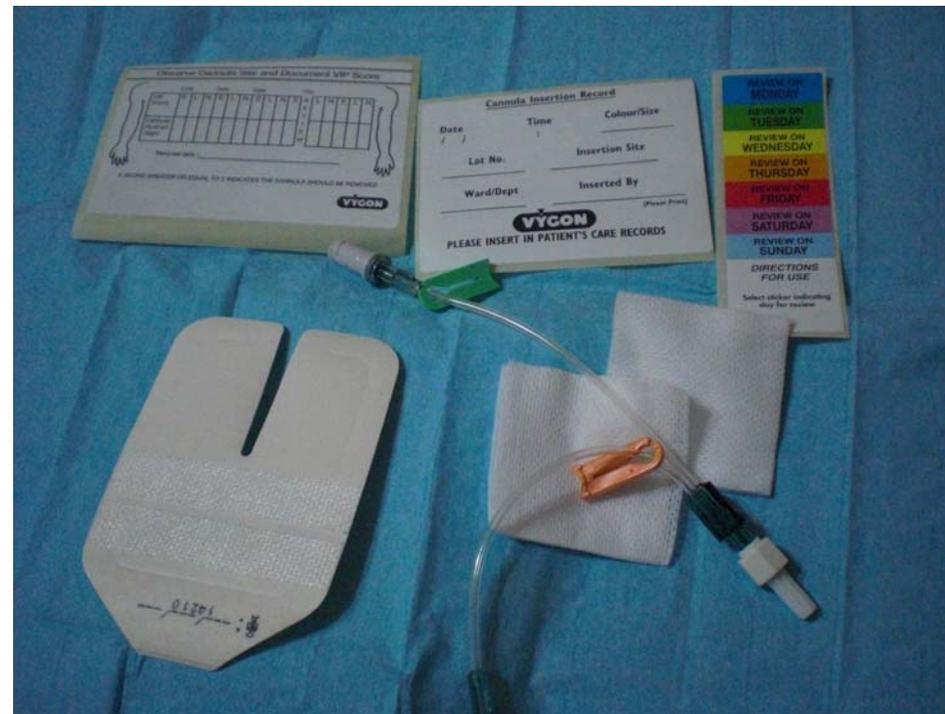


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▣ Cannulation pack



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- ▣ Various stickers

Observe Cannula Site and Document VIP Score

	Date			Date			Date			72hr						
VIP Score	E	L	N	E	L	N	E	L	N	E	R	L	N	E	L	N
Cannula Flushed (Sign)											R	L	N	E	L	N

Removal date : _____

A SCORE GREATER OR EQUAL TO 2 INDICATES THE CANNULA SHOULD BE REMOVED

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Cannula Insertion Record

Date / / Time : Colour/Size _____

Lot No. Insertion Site _____

Ward/Dept Inserted By _____

(Please Print)

VYGON

PLEASE INSERT IN PATIENT'S CARE RECORDS

REVIEW ON MONDAY

REVIEW ON TUESDAY

REVIEW ON WEDNESDAY

REVIEW ON THURSDAY

REVIEW ON FRIDAY

REVIEW ON SATURDAY

REVIEW ON SUNDAY

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Select sticker indicating day for review

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- Phlebitis score
- Visual Infusion Phlebitis score

Phlebitis Score

All patients with an intravenous access device should have the IV site checked every shift for signs of infusion phlebitis. The subsequent score and action(s) taken (if any) must be documented on the cannula record form.

The cannula site must also be observed:

- When bolus injections are administered
- IV flow rates are checked or altered
- When solution containers are changed

IV site appears healthy	0	No signs of phlebitis OBSERVE CANNULA
One of the following signs is evident: • Slight pain near IV site OR • Slight redness near IV site	1	Possibly first signs of phlebitis OBSERVE CANNULA
TWO of the following are evident: • Pain at IV site • Redness • Swelling	2	Early stage of phlebitis RESITE CANNULA
ALL of the following signs are evident: • Pain along path of cannula • Redness around site • Swelling	3	Medium stage of phlebitis RESITE CANNULA CONSIDER TREATMENT
ALL of the following signs are evident and extensive: • Pain along path of cannula • Redness around site • Swelling • Palpable venous cord	4	Advanced stage of phlebitis or the start of thrombophlebitis RESITE CANNULA CONSIDER TREATMENT
ALL of the following signs are evident and extensive: • Pain along path of cannula • Redness around site • Swelling • Palpable venous cord • Pyrexia	5	Advanced stage thrombophlebitis INITIATE TREATMENT RESITE CANNULA

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- ❑ Cannula assessment record
- ❑ WWW insertion/ removal the line
- ❑ Lot no. and No. of attempts
- ❑ Daily assessment/ scoring
- ❑ Reasons for keeping the line />72 hrs

PATIENT

HOSPITAL NUMBER

CANNULA ASSESSMENT RECORD

Royal Free Hampstead

NHS Trust

DATE & TIME INSERTED:

DATE & TIME OF REMOVAL:

BY:

SIGNATURE:

DESIGNATION:

INSERTION

GAUGE: 24 22 20 18 17 16 14

Lot No Number of Attempts

CONSENT GAINED: Yes No

INSERTION REASON: NBM IV Antibiotics

Blood Chemotherapy Other

ADHERED TO: Aseptic Technique Skin Prep

Tegaderm Dressing IV 3000

REMOVAL REASON

Not required

Phlebitis (Et score)

Infiltration

Extravasation

Other

CANNULA IN PLACE

<72 hours

not >86 hours

COMMENTS

Cannula site inspection record **NB. PERIPHERAL CANNULAE TO BE REMOVED / REPLACED AFTER 72 HOURS**

Date	Shift / Time	VIP Score	Leakage	Dressing intact Yes / No	Dressing renewed Yes / No	Rationale for keeping cannula in situ	Print name & signature, bleep number	Reason for line remaining in situ >72 hours

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Others

- Regular review of indications for IV access
- Early switch to oral antibiotics
- Blood culture collection protocols, kits and forms

Successful factors

- ❑ Top management commitment (Board to ward)
- ❑ Staff buy in (HCAI is everyone's responsibility)
- ❑ Communication, continuous education, evaluation and feedback
- ❑ Policies, guidelines and protocols
- ❑ Facilitating tools

Road to Success

Changing and Challenging: Board to Ward

