PC.17.2 Medical reassessment must be performed at least once daily, including weekends and holidays, and in response to any significant change in the patient's condition.

PC.17.3 Nursing reassessment must be performed on every shift with a frequency dictated by the patient's condition, response to treatment, and physician's order.

PC.17.4 Reassessments are documented in the patient's medical record.

PC.17.5 The hospital defines situations where re-assessments are performed more infrequently (e.g., long stay patients mainly requiring a nursing care).

PC.18 Clinical practice guidelines, pathways, and protocols are developed or adopted to guide priority clinical care services.

PC.18.1 The hospital implements the national clinical practice guidelines, pathways, and protocols that are consistent with current evidence- based practice.

PC.18.2 Clinical practice guidelines, pathways, and protocols are updated at least every two years and as required with emphasis on the most common diagnoses.

PC.18.3 Clinical practice guidelines, pathways, and protocols are documented in the patient's medical record.

PC.19 The hospital ensures uniform patient care processes during invasive interventions.

PC.19.1 The hospital implements a policy for the assessment and management of patients undergoing invasive procedures.

PC.19.2 The policy defines all essential requirements that must be documented in the patient's medical record including, but are not limited to:

- PC.19.2.1 Date and time of the procedure.
- PC.19.2.2 Name, designation and signature of the physician performing the procedure and the names of all assistants.
- PC.19.2.3 Location of the procedure.
- PC.19.2.4 Nature and indication of the procedure.
- PC.19.2.5 Any anesthesia or analgesia used with dosage and type.
- PC.19.2.6 Patient monitoring.
- PC.19.2.7 Procedure outcome.
- PC.19.2.8 Complications
- PC.19.2.9 Laboratory specimens.
- PC.19.2.10 Specific post procedural orders.

PC.19.3 Invasive procedures are documented in the patient's medical record (or in an appropriate form) as per the policy.

PC.20 Provision of care is continued, integrated, and coordinated.

PC.20.1 Information about the patient's care and response to treatment is shared between medical, nursing, and other care providers (e.g., patient rounds, multidisciplinary teams, case management for patients requiring complex care).

PC.20.2 The patient's medical record is available to the authorized care providers to facilitate the exchange of information.