**Purpose:**

To outline the cleaning procedures for various types of cleaning required in different areas and situations within the hospital. These procedures are designed to maintain a high standard of cleanliness and infection control.

**Procedures:**

**Routine Cleaning Procedures:** Performed daily but can also be ordered by the unit charge RN or requested at any time by Infection Prevention and Control.

1. **Cleaning Types:**
   * Floors Dusted and Damp Mopped
   * Carpet Vacuumed (if present)
   * Trash Emptied
   * High Dusting
   * All Horizontal Surfaces Cleaned with Hospital Approved Disinfectant
   * Toilets & Sinks Cleaned
   * More Extensive Cleaning of Carpet, Floors, and Walls (if needed)
   * Curtains
   * Vertical Surfaces Cleaned
   * All Horizontal Surfaces Up to 5ft Cleaned
   * UV Disinfection Treatment
2. **Cleaning Schedules:**
   * **Daily Cleaning - All areas:**
     + Floors, carpet, trash, high dusting (if patient/visitor not present), horizontal surfaces, toilets, sinks, vertical surfaces.
   * **Discharge Cleaning - Standard precaution inpatient rooms:**
     + Floors, carpet, trash, high dusting, horizontal surfaces, toilets, sinks, curtains (if soiled or indicated by curtain change indicator 6-month cycle).
   * **Terminal Cleaning - Isolated inpatient rooms, OR, procedure rooms:**
     + Floors, carpet, trash, high dusting (hospital-approved bleach solution or wipes only for BMT, C. difficile, Norovirus), horizontal surfaces, toilets, sinks, curtains (after each discharge), UV disinfection (refer to IC 716.6 UV Disinfection).

**Special Cleaning Procedures:** Requires coordination with EVS and unit management. Can also be requested at any time by Infection Prevention and Control.

1. **Cleaning Types:**
   * Floors Dusted and Damp Mopped
   * Carpet Vacuumed (if present)
   * Trash Emptied
   * High Dusting
   * All Horizontal Surfaces Cleaned with Hospital Approved Disinfectant
   * Toilets & Sinks Cleaned
   * More Extensive Cleaning of Carpet, Floors, and Walls (if needed)
   * Curtains
   * Vertical Surfaces Cleaned
   * All Horizontal Surfaces Up to 5ft Cleaned
   * HEPA Vacuum Used & Vents HEPA Vacuumed
   * Repairs Done Before Cleaning
   * Environmental Sampling Done Post Cleaning
2. **Cleaning Scenarios:**
   * **Room Check Cleaning:**
     + All listed cleaning types.
   * **UV Disinfection Prior to Overflow Patients/BMT Pre-admit (BMT):**
     + All listed cleaning types with HEPA vacuum for BMT only, high dusting (hospital-approved bleach solution or wipes only for BMT, C. difficile, Norovirus), environmental sampling done post cleaning (BMT QA Plan).
   * **Discharge Cleaning with Vaporized Hydrogen Peroxide (BMT):**
     + All listed cleaning types with HEPA vacuum for BMT only, high dusting (hospital-approved bleach solution or wipes only for BMT, C. difficile, Norovirus), environmental sampling done post cleaning (BMT QA Plan).
   * **Discharge Cleaning with Vaporized Hydrogen Peroxide and Sampling (BMT):**
     + All listed cleaning types with HEPA vacuum for BMT only, high dusting (hospital-approved bleach solution or wipes only for BMT, C. difficile, Norovirus), environmental sampling done post cleaning (BMT QA Plan).