PNA Vaccine compliance PI

| Stakeholders | Comments | Recommendations |
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| Nursing Staff | Noted frequent postponement of vaccine orders until end of treatment or discharge. | Implement protocols to ensure vaccine administration is scheduled earlier in the treatment process. |
| | Vaccination during discharge often gets overlooked due to competing tasks. | Designate a specific time for vaccination that is separate from discharge tasks. |
| | Lack of understanding among patients about the importance and timing of the PNA vaccine. | Provide educational materials and training to both patients and staff about the importance of timely vaccination. |
| | Patients sometimes do not disclose if they have received the PNA vaccine outside of NYCHHC, leading to incomplete records. | Develop a standardized patient questionnaire to capture vaccination history and update records accordingly. |
| Physicians | Delay in ordering vaccines until the end of treatment, leading to missed opportunities for administration. | Establish a system to integrate vaccine orders into the treatment plan from the start. |
| | Challenges in managing multiple tasks during discharge, leading to oversight of vaccination. | Develop a checklist or reminder system to ensure vaccination is completed before discharge. |
| | Potential lack of awareness about the impact of hospital-acquired PNA or readmissions due to missed vaccines. | Educate physicians on the risks of hospital-acquired PNA and emphasize the benefits of timely vaccination. |
| | Prioritization of treating chief complaints over vaccination can lead to delays/misses. | Incorporate vaccination as a standard part of the care protocol and emphasize its importance in patient care planning. |
| | Complex guidelines for PNA vaccines may not always be top of mind. | Simplify guidelines and create quick-reference materials for both providers and nursing staff. |
| | - Uncertainty about which PNA vaccine variants are available at the clinic. | Ensure clear communication regarding available vaccine variants and update the inventory regularly. |
| | Possible data gaps in recording vaccines administered outside the organization in Epic. | Implement regular audits to verify that outside-administered vaccines are accurately reflected in the dataset. |

| | Providers may be too busy to check the immunization section in Epic before patient discharge. | Implement automated reminders or alerts in Epic to prompt providers to check and update immunization records before discharge. |
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