Community Infection Prevention and Control

Guidance for General Practice (IPC Policy Folder)

Objectives:
A comprehensive range of guidance documents which can be adopted as policy documents, produced specifically for General Practice by an experienced NHS Community Infection Prevention and Control Team. These guidance documents are also suitable for adoption by other healthcare providers, e.g. Dental Practice, Podiatry.

They have been developed to help your organisation with CQC requirements and achieve compliance with the Health and Social Care Act 2008: Code of Practice on the prevention and control of infections and related guidance. All guidance documents contain up-to-date national guidance and evidence-based practice.

Overview:
An A4 size ring bound folder, containing 23 infection prevention and control policy guidance documents including:

1. Aseptic technique
2. Blood-borne viruses
3. Clostridium difficile
4. Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease
5. Decontamination of equipment
6. Environmental cleanliness
7. Hand hygiene
8. Inter-health and social care infection control transfer
9. Invasive devices
10. Isolation
11. Laundry including uniforms
12. MRGNB including ESBL and CPE
13. MRSA
14. Notifiable diseases
15. Outbreaks of communicable disease
16. PVL-SA
17. Scabies
18. Sharps management and inoculation injuries
19. Specimen collection
20. Standard precautions
21. Venepuncture
22. Viral gastroenteritis/Norovirus
23. Waste management