A Practical Guide to Eliminating Avoidable Pressure Ulcers

Implementing the High Impact Action: Your Skin Matters

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TOPICS INCLUDE:

- High Impact Action: Your Skin Matters
- Eliminating needless skin breakdown: update from the Patient Safety Federation
- Eliminating Avoidable Pressure Ulcers: demonstrating cost and efficiency savings
- Measuring and monitoring Pressure Ulcers as a quality indicator in practice
- Risk management tools and techniques to eliminate Avoidable Pressure Ulcers
- Preventing occurrence of Pressure Ulcers
- Improving care on the wards to avoid Pressure Ulcers
- Eliminating the risk factors contributing to Pressure Ulcers: experiences in Kettering
- Developing best practice for the prevention and management of Pressure Ulcers: experience in Scotland

PLUS

DISCUSSION: What interventions can we make to eliminate Avoidable Pressure Ulcers and improve quality and cost-effectiveness?

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We have set out an ambition to eliminate all Avoidable Pressure Ulcers in NHS-provided care. This will significantly reduce the amount an average district general hospital spends on treating pressure ulcers, currently estimated at £600,000 to £3 million each year.”

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Chaired by Vanessa Whatley Programme Specialist (Healthcare Associated Infection) NHS West Midlands delegates will have the opportunity to hear an overview of the High Impact Action: Your Skin Matters, why it was selected and the potential impact on quality and productivity.

The day will continue with an update from the Patient Safety Federation, and focus sessions on measuring and monitoring Pressure Ulcers, and risk management approaches to eliminating Pressure Ulcers. The conference will close with case study experiences of eliminating Pressure Ulcers in practice including experiences in Scotland giving delegates the opportunity to gain valuable tips for taking back to their own practice.
### Chair's Welcome and Opening Address: High Impact Action: Your Skin Matters

**CHAIR: Vanessa Whatley  Programme Specialist (Healthcare Associated Infection) NHS West Midlands**

- The High Impact Action: Your Skin Matters, calls for no avoidable pressure ulcers in NHS provided care.
- Background and overview of the High Impact Actions
- Why Your Skin Matters was selected as a High Impact Action
- Eliminating Avoidable Pressure Ulcers in NHS provided care: the potential impact on quality and productivity

### Eliminating Needless Skin Breakdown: Update from the Patient Safety Federation

**Tina Chambers  Clinical Nurse Specialist in Tissue Viability Winchester and Eastleigh Healthcare NHS Trust and Project Manager No Needless Skin Breakdown Workstream Patient Safety Federation**

- Eliminating needless skin breakdown progress across NHS South Central
- Developing a set of board and practice level metrics to assess and compare Pressure Ulcer occurrence
- Engaging frontline staff and providing tools, support, education and training
- The no needless skin breakdown workstream of the Patient Safety Federation aims to achieve a 30% reduction in pressure ulcer incidence in provider healthcare settings within NHS South Central by 2010.

### Focus: Measuring and Monitoring Pressure Ulcers and the Impact on Quality and Productivity

**11.50  Eliminating Avoidable Pressure Ulcers: Demonstrating Cost and Efficiency Savings**

**Gerry Bolger  Programme Director, Quality in Nursing Department of Health**

- Implementing new ways of working to eliminate Avoidable Pressure Ulcers
- The cost and efficiency savings
- Developments nationally: including the national nursing outcome indicators

**12.20  Measuring and Monitoring Pressure Ulcers as a Quality Indicator in Practice**

**Fiona Burton  Head Nurse for Ambulatory Care Heart of England NHS Foundation Trust**

- Reviewing every incidence of hospital acquired Pressure Ulcers: our experience
- Learning from each incidence to make significant reductions and improvements to the quality of patient care
- Demonstrating compliance at board level: Trust level ward to board metrics

### Focus: Risk Management Approaches to Eliminating Avoidable Pressure Ulcers

**14.00  Risk Management Tools and Techniques to Eliminate Avoidable Pressure Ulcers**

**Judy Elliott  Tissue Viability Nurse East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation**

- Identifying prevalence across an organisation
- Using incident reporting and root cause analysis
- Tracking harm events resulting from tissue damage
- Embedding Pressure Ulcer data into the Trust’s Clinical Quality and Patient Safety Dashboard

### Focus: Case Study Experiences of Eliminating Avoidable Pressure Ulcers in Practice

**15.45  Improving Care on the Wards to Avoid Pressure Ulcers**

**Mr Hamish Laing  Director of Acute Care and Consultant Plastic Surgeon**

- Engaging non-specialist ward staff in preventing Pressure Ulcers and spreading the message of ‘no tolerance of Avoidable Pressure Ulcers’
- Developing policies and guidelines, and standardising documentation and equipment ordering systems
- Changing practice: improving the quality and safety of patient care to avoid Pressure Ulcers

**16.10  Eliminating the Risk Factors Contributing to Pressure Ulcers: Experiences in Kettering**

**Colin Iversen  Clinical Nurse Specialist Tissue Viability Kettering General Hospital NHS Foundation Trust**

- Identifying the most frequent risk factors and their effects on Pressure Ulcer development
- Simple strategies to eliminate the risk of Pressure Ulcers
- An overview of work in Kettering on moisture lesion reduction and demonstrating cost effectiveness

**16.35  Developing Best Practice for the Prevention and Management of Pressure Ulcers: Experience in Scotland**

**Dr Susan Baxter  National Programme Manager, Tissue Viability Project NHS Quality Improvement Scotland**

- Establishing best practice for the prevention and management of Pressure Ulcers
- Developing and publicising an online resource
- Implementing a National Programme of work: developments and progress in Scotland

### Discussion: What Interventions Can We Make to Eliminate Avoidable Pressure Ulcers and Improve Quality and Cost-Effectiveness?

Delegates will be invited to raise the challenges and issues they are facing in practice to eliminate Avoidable Pressure Ulcers, improving quality and reducing cost.

### Questions and Answers, Followed by Lunch and Exhibition at 13.00
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