**PPNO List Serv Query Summary Template**

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Do nurses and physicians perform surgical hand antisepsis (waterless (e.g. Avaguard) or water-based) prior to sterile procedures in Ambulatory Care?

Abbreviated Question (as it will appear on search results page)

**Policy/Procedure**  **Practice**   Program Info  Committee Structure info  Role  Students

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| **Kristy McDonald**  RN BScN  Nurse Clinician- Surgical Outpatient Services & SSSU  Health Sciences North/ Horizon Sante-Nord  41 Ramsey Lake Road  Sudbury, ON P3E 5J1  [kmcdonald@hsnsudbury.ca](mailto:kmcdonald@hsnsudbury.ca)  705-5237100 Ext. 3612 | The nurses and physician mostly use Purell prior to sterile procedures and when they have access to a sink, they will use soap and water. |  |
| **Jessica Schlegel**  **Quality Experience & Safety Team Member**  ext. 3440 | Hi Shona,  We have Avaguard, soap and water or the hand sanitizers.  We also do the same after the procedure.  The nurse in the room also cleans the room for turn around. |  |
| **Carrie Elder**  Nursing Coordinator | BScN | Ambulatory Care  **Grey Bruce Health Services**  T 519.376.2121 x2720 | F 519.372.3941  [www.gbhs.on.ca](http://www.gbhs.on.ca) | Most staff use the waterless antiseptic alcohol rub.  However, some of the more invasive procedures, such as carpal tunnel releases, the physicians will do water based and then waterless and then apply their sterile gloves. |  |
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