

Assessment 3: Training Agenda Presentation for Policy Implementation

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[Slide 1] Hi! My name is I will present Lakeside Medical Center's integration of a new infection control policy, including the Avoidance and Management of Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSIs). It lowers the CLABSI percentage, complying with the Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act (PSQIA) and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) standards. The discussion will explore essential aspects of the policy's adoption, with an emphasis on the vital role of key stakeholders.

Effect of New Policy Execution on Benchmark

[Slide 2] Applying an innovative CLABSI policy at Lakeside Medical Center will promote benchmark compliance by reducing CLABSI prevalence. The policy will support the facility to manage its underperformance, as AHRQ benchmark statistics show an average baseline CLABSI rate of 1.871, which drops to 1.25 after safety measures are implemented (The Joint Commission, n.d.). Lakeside Medical Center has a greater incidence of infections. Because it does not meet the recommended CLABSI criteria, it compromises patient safety and regulatory compliance. CLABSI in intensive care units occurs at a rate of approximately 0.81 per 1,000 central lines daily (The Joint Commission, n.d.). The policy includes AHRQ-recommended CLABSI avoidance bundles, standard line placement checklists and guidelines, daily line necessary reviews, and frequent simulation-based training (SBT) for all staff involved in central line care (AHRQ, 2023). The policy will directly decrease infection rates and complications, contributing to patient safety and recovery. It will enhance compliance with standards, maximize resource utilization, and eliminate preventable harm.

[Slide 3] Key stakeholders, including clinicians, infection prevention groups, nurse managers, and executive leadership, are crucial to be involved in CLABSI policy execution at

Lakeside Medical Center. The policy alters care providers' routines by requiring them to follow the CLABSI avoidance bundle, which includes the use of standard line insertion checklists for catheter insertion and the periodic review of necessity for central lines. Regular SBT is necessary for central line care. SBT can enhance staff skills and confidence, improve patient safety through better compliance with infection control actions, and reduce care expenses (Kang et al., 2022).