



PROTOCOL ON THE ADOPTION OF ASEPTIC NON-TOUCH TECHNIQUES FOR THE PREPARATION, HANDLING AND ADMINISTRATION OF STERILE SUBSTANCES IN CRMC AND CSDM

Cranston Ridge Medical Clinic (CRMC) and Cranston Smart Drug Mart (CSDM) adopt for the preparation, handling, and administration of sterile substances Aseptic Non-Touch Techniques as per www.antt.org.

The following procedures will require Typical ANTTs:

- Uncomplicated wound care
- Peripheral and central intravenous medication
- Preparation & administration
- Peripheral cannulation
- Blood Culture Collection
- Venepuncture
- Intermittent urinary catheterisation
- Emptying a urinary catheter bag

The following procedures, instead, will require Surgical ANTTs:

- Surgery
- Complicated Wound Care
- Central Intravenous Line Insertion
- Urinary Catheterisation
- Spinal Epidural

All Clinical members of staff will undertake a mandatory refresher course on ANTTs on a yearly basis, offered via the intranet of CRMC.

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END OF PROTOCOL VALID FROM OCTOBER 12, 2021.

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