Sierra Surgery Center
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SAFETY MANAGEMENT PLAN

POLICY:

The surgery center maintains a safety program to address the centers environment of care, safety of patients, staff, and others. The safety program is directly linked to the Quality Assurance Performance Improvement Program.

PROCEDURE:

A. The safety program processes for the management of identified hazards, potential threats, near misses, and other safety concerns such as:
   1. Adverse Incidents
   2. Incidents/Injuries
   3. Medication Errors
   4. Recalls
   5. Fall Prevention

B. Referenced items have their own individualized policies in the policy and procedure manual.

C. The safety program is supervised by the Quality Improvement Committee.

D. Quarterly staff in-servicing is mandatory at the center. Quarterly in-services provide education and training on safety issues such as:
   1. Fire Drills and/or Fire Prevention
   2. Universal Precautions
   3. Sharps Prevention

The center also provides code drills such as:

1. Malignant Hyperthermia
2. CPR

ORIGINAL DATE: 2/23/23
REVIEW DATE: _____

REVISION DATE: _____

E. At time of employment personnel is quizzed and provided competency (s).

F. Unique patient identifiers are consistently used throughout care.

G. Center has policies for anesthesia support, and post-procedural care.

H. Center has a written emergency and disaster preparedness plan and documentation of requesting to participate on a community level.

I. Environmental hazards associated with safety are identified and safe practices are established.

J. Measures are implemented to prevent skin and tissue from injury from chemicals, cleaning solutions, and other hazardous exposure.

K. Patients are educated about prescribed medical devices and associated protocols and guidelines.

L. Reprocessing of single use devices must comply with FDA guidelines.

M. Products including medications and solutions that carry an expiration date are monitored. The center has policies for disposal of expired medications and supplies in accordance with local, state, and federal guidelines.

N. The center will designate the nurse manager or surgeon if applicable to provide appropriate education to intended operators of newly acquired devices or products to be used in the care of patients.