

Hospital Operating Room Cleaning Checklist

Cleaning

OR SUITE #	DATE ____/____/____	EVS STAFF	CLEAN TYPE
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WASTE & SHARPS REMOVAL

- Biohazard waste bags sealed and removed
- Sharps containers replaced (if >¾ full)
- Suction canisters emptied and replaced
- Linen hamper removed
- Floor debris swept up

OPERATING TABLE & PATIENT ZONE

- Operating table surface disinfected
- Table pad cleaned and inspected for damage
- Arm boards and stirrups disinfected
- Safety straps wiped
- IV poles wiped down

SURGICAL LIGHTS & CEILING EQUIPMENT

- Surgical light handles disinfected
- Light heads wiped (following manufacturer spec)
- Boom arms and equipment pendants wiped
- Monitor screens wiped (manufacturer-approved cleaner)

ANAESTHESIA AREA

- Anaesthesia machine exterior surfaces wiped
- Ventilator controls and touch screen
- Anaesthesia cart top and handles
- Drug trolley surface wiped

HIGH-TOUCH SURFACES

- Door handles (both sides)
- Telephone and intercom
- Light switches
- Computer keyboard and mouse
- Wall-mounted soap and sanitiser dispensers
- Electrosurgical unit controls

FLOOR (& WALLS FOR TERMINAL CLEAN)

- Floor wet-mopped with surgical-grade disinfectant
- Under and around all fixed furniture
- Walls spot-cleaned (splashes, marks)
- Kick buckets cleaned and replaced

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- Terminal only: walls wiped to door height
- Terminal only: vent grilles dusted

RESTOCK & SIGN-OFF

- Hand sanitiser dispensers filled
- Glove box holders restocked
- Clean linen placed

OR ready for next case / inspection Ready Needs re-clean

EVS signature _____

OR nurse verification _____

Notes

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