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| Unit Title: Supporting infection prevention and control in social care | | |
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| **You must be able to:** | | | |
| **1 Understand how infection prevention and control policies and guidelines can be applied within different settings.** | | | |
| 1.1 Explain how infection prevention policies and guidelines can be applied in own work setting. |  |  |  |
| 1.2 Identify differences in the ways in which infection prevention and control policies and guidance are implemented in a range of work settings. |  |  |  |
| **2 Be able to support infection prevention and control practices in the work setting.** | | | |
| 2.1 Minimise risk of infection to self and others in the work setting. |  |  |  |
| 2.2 Support individuals to take steps to minimise spread of infection. |  |  |  |
| 2.3 Carry out hand hygiene following work setting policies and guidelines. |  |  |  |
| 2.4 Support others to understand their responsibilities for infection prevention and control in the work setting. |  |  |  |
| 2.5 Provide guidance to others about infection prevention and control practices in work setting. |  |  |  |

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| 2.6 Explain the functions of external bodies in supporting infection prevention and control in the work setting. |  |  |  |
| 2.7 Maintain own understanding of information to support effective infection prevention and control practice. |  |  |  |
| **3 Be able to minimise the risk and spread of infection when using equipment.** | | | |
| 3.1 Ensure equipment is stored and maintained in ways that minimise the spread of infection. |  |  |  |
| 3.2 Use agreed cleaning schedules for equipment in own work setting. |  |  |  |
| 3.3 Explain why particular devices need special handling to minimise the spread of infection. |  |  |  |
| **4 Understand how to respond to outbreaks of infection in the work setting.** | | | |
| 4.1 Explain how to work with others to identity infection outbreaks in own work setting. |  |  |  |
| 4.2 Explain how to work with others to implement policies and procedures following an infection outbreak. |  |  |  |
| 4.3 Describe how to provide information about outbreaks of infection in accessible formats to individuals and others. |  |  |  |

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| 4.4 Describe ways to ensure that care for the individual is provided in the most appropriate place. |  |  |  |
| 4.5 Describe situations where additional guidance may need to be accessed to manage infection prevention and control incidents. |  |  |  |
| **5 Be able to follow correct recording and reporting procedures regarding infection prevention and control.** | | | |
| 5.1 Describe the process for sharing information about infections and suspected infections within own work setting. |  |  |  |
| 5.2 Describe processes for reporting accidents and incidents relating to infection prevention and control within own work setting. |  |  |  |
| 5.3 Complete records for infection prevention and control in line with policies and guidelines. |  |  |  |

**Learner declaration of authenticity:**

I declare that the work presented for this unit is entirely my own work.

Learner signature: Date:

**Assessor sign off of completed unit:**

I confirm that the learner has met the requirements for all assessment criteria demonstrating knowledge and skills for this unit.

Assessor name:

Signature: Date: