	Activity	Start Date	Target Finish Date	To be carried out by	Status/Comments
1.0	Facility Preparedness				
1.1	Complete Facility Level Situation				
	Assessment				
1.2	Appoint coordinator				
1.3	Identify key individuals and groups				
1.4	Establish hand hygiene committee to				
	oversee implementation				
1.5	Review the minimum recommended				
	requirements for implementation				
1.6	Develop communications plan				
1.7	Agree on hospital-wide versus phased				
	unit-based implementation				
1.8	Complete Product Placement Tool				
1.9	Select alcohol-based hand rub products				
1.10	Plan hand care protection program				
1.11	Establish process for collecting and				
	analyzing observational data				
1.12	Identify trainers and observers				
1.13	Arrange a date and venue to undertake				
	observer and trainer training				
1.14	Develop system to collect data on costs				
1.15	Ensure necessary funds are available for				
	purchase of alcohol-based hand rub				
1.16	Complete and obtain sign off on				
	implementation plan				
1.17	Assign roles to ensure project task				
	completion:				
	 Occupational Health and Safety 				
	Risk Management				
	Quality and Patient Safety				
	Housekeeping				
	Environmental services/facilities				

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	Unit based health care providers:				
	nursesphysicians				
	allied health professionals				
	personal care assistants				
	management				
	 transporters 				
	Purchasing				
	Infection Control Professionals				
1.18	Communications				
1.10	Agree on a method for securing support from key individuals and groups				
1.19	Prepare a letter for distribution to senior				
	managers seeking their support for				
	program				
2.0	Baseline Evaluation				
2.1	Complete senior and middle management				
2.2	perception survey (baseline) Complete health care providers				
2.2	perception survey (baseline)				
2.3	Complete unit structure survey (baseline)				
2.4	Collect soap and hand rub consumption				
	data (monthly)				
2.5	Complete hand hygiene observations				
	(baseline)				
2.6	Complete health care providers				
	knowledge survey (baseline)				
2.7	Input data				
2.8	Analyze data				
2.9	Write report				
2.10	Schedule health care provider education and training				
	and training				

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2.11	Procure and install hand hygiene products and equipment				
3.0	Implementation				
3.1	Launch program and communications plan				
3.2	Feed baseline data and analysis back to health care providers				
3.3	Distribute posters and promotional materials				
3.4	Develop process for distribution of patient pamphlets				
3.5	Educate and provide practical training for health care providers				
3.6	Install lotion				
3.7	Hold regular review meetings				
4.0	Follow up evaluation				
4.1	Complete senior and middle managers perception survey (follow-up)				
4.2	Complete health care providers perception survey (follow-up)				
4.3	Complete unit structure survey (follow-up)				
4.4	Complete hand hygiene observations (follow-up)				
4.5	Complete health care providers knowledge survey (follow-up)				
4.6	Complete facility Situation Analysis (follow-up)				
4.7	Collect MRSA and VRE HAIs				
4.8	Collect cost information				
4.9	Input data				
4.10	Analyze data				
5.0	Ongoing action plan and review cycle				
5.1	Review all results				

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5.2	Prepare report of the findings				
5.3	Present findings to senior and middle management				
5.4	Present findings to health care providers				
5.5	Present findings to Board of Directors				
5.6	Develop an action plan for the next five years				
5.7	Implement education of patients/visitors				
5.8	Provide feedback to Ministry on implementation process and materials				