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Blood Pressure Monitoring Improvement Program

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Introduction

Blood pressure monitoring is a simple and non-invasive procedure and used in many circumstances in ward practices such as changing patients' condition, before and after invasive procedures, etc. During blood pressure monitoring, missing of blood pressure machine, lack of battery were commonly reported by staffs. To facilitate blood pressure monitoring, an improvement program was held at a UCH M&G ward

Objectives

1) Make sure every staffs able to find a BP machine conveniently. 2) Make sure all BP machines are fully charged. 3) All staffs participated in the management of BP machines program.

Methodology

1) Promoted a fixed BP machine charging station and assigned a BP machine for each team with a designed signage. 2) Designed a poster to remind all staffs to charge and tidy up BP machines after used and promoted to other M&G wards. 3) Educated all staffs the importance of management of BP machines.

Result

From January to December 2013, by observed and recorded from our team members with a designed audit and survey form. 90% of time the BP machines were placed in the fixed BP machine charging station. 100% of staffs said that the BP machines were easier to find than before. And 100% of time the battery of the BP machines could be afforded for a period of BP round. Well maintained and managed of the BP machines since 2013. Conclusion: Blood pressure monitor is common and important equipment that used frequently in hospital. In a busy working environment in hospital, efficient is important. A convenient use of equipments saved time and led more efficient.