

CLEAN YOUR HANDS CROSSWORD - ANSWER KEY

ACROSS

1. Who should be practicing hand hygiene?

EVERYONE

6. How many moments of hand hygiene are there?

FOUR

9. Busy healthcare providers need access to hand hygiene products at _____ where patient/resident/client or patient/resident/client environment contact is taking place.

POINT OF CARE

11. Alcohol based hand rub is not effective if your hands are _____.

VISIBLY SOILED

12. The third moment of hand hygiene is _____ blood and body fluid exposure.

AFTER

13. What is the best product to use for performing hand hygiene?

ALCOHOL BASED HAND RUB

DOWN

2. What is the most important way to prevent the spread of germs?

HAND HYGIENE

3. The 4th moment of hand hygiene, AFTER contact with the patient/resident/client, is to protect the healthcare worker and the healthcare environment from harmful patient _____.

ORGANISMS

4. The recommended method for hand hygiene when hands are visibly soiled.

SOAP AND WATER

5. The first moment of hand hygiene is BEFORE patient/resident/client and patient/resident/client _____ contact.

ENVIRONMENT

7. Handling _____ is an example of moment #2, BEFORE aseptic procedures.

DRESSINGS

8. An important part of hand hygiene that helps minimize skin irritation.

LOTION

10. When using alcohol based hand rub a _____-sized amount should be applied into the palms of dry hands.

DIME