OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS NURSING PRACTICE PROTOCOLS

MSRM 140117.01.2.1 (R-11/2023)

ABRASIONS / LACERATION/ PUNCTURE

Subjective Data: A	ective Data: Allergies:		
Was the inmate engaging in self-harm or if the inmate is suspected of self-harm: Stop – Refer to Self-Harm/Self-Injury/Self-Mutilation MSRM 140117.01.14.11 nursing protocol.			
Chief complaint:			
Associated Symptoms:			
☐ Active bleeding ☐ Numbness ☐ Pain Pain Scale: (0-10)_			
Objective Data: (clinically indicated VS) BPPulseRespTempWtO2) Sate:	EQDQ.	
Size and location of injury:		F3B3	
Character of wound:		ial present	
Drainage: ☐ Yes ☐ No If "Yes" describe			
CONTACT HEALTH CARE PROVIDER IMMEDIATELY IF: Health care provider must be care	alled if not on site or if	after clinic hours.	
 □ Wound is severe /deep / requires sutures □ Laceration to the face, ear, nose, eyelid or over joint □ Bleeding is uncontrolled □ Signs of infection present (redness, tenderness, exudate, etc.) □ Laceration to the abdomen or chest that may penetrate underlying organs 			
REFER TO HEALTH CARE PROVIDER IF: If during clinic hours the health care provider is to be called if not on site. If after clinic hours the health care provider is to be called the next working day.			
 □ Daily dressing changes are indicated □ Wound edges do not approximate easily with Steri – Strips □ Wound not responding to nursing intervention □ Wound has imbedded debris not easily irrigated out □ Last Tetanus/ Diphtheria injection more than 5 years 			
Health Care Provider: Time Notified: Orders Received for Treatment: □ Yes □ No			
If physical exam is negative for any of the above s/s and/or there is no need for additional medication/treatment, proceed with nursing interventions.			
Plan: Interventions: (check all that apply)			
 Check in assessment only for health care providers visit. Chief complaint resolved prior to appointment. Instructed inmate to follow-up sick call for signs/symptoms warranting further evaluation. Assessment completed. Stop bleeding with pressure. Wash well with antiseptic soap, sterile water or sterile normal saline, remove all ingrained dirt. Applied: □ telfa pad □ clean dry dressing □ butterfly dressing □ Steri – Strips □ Dermabond Topical Skin Adhesive (DO NOT use lotion or antibiotic ointment over Dermabond). Arrange for dressing change, wound check and suture removal. "Polysporin" ointment two times a day for 10 days PRN and dressing, if wound location subject to irritation or dirt. Acetaminophen 325 mg - 2 tablets p.o. three times a day for 4 days PRN. OR Ibuprofen 200 mg − 2 tablets p.o. three times a day for 4 days PRN. □ Education/Intervention: Instructed to keep wound clean and dry, signs and symptoms of infection, condition worsens or fever, follow-up sick call if no improvement. Inmate verbalizes understanding of instructions. 			
Progress Note:			
Health Care Provider Signature/Credentials:	Date:	Time:	
RN/LPN Signature/credentials:	_ Date		
Name	DOC#		

(Last, First)