SWP-MMH-LOADING SCRUBS INTO SCRUBEX LARGE VOLUME DISPENSER



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	cription of Task: Loading scrubs into ScrubEx Larg							
Position/Job: 1 Healthcare Worker (HCW)		Department/Unit: Women's Hospital Unit Lennox Bell LB 115						
Pote	Potential Hazards		onal Protective Equipment Required					
1 010	Risk for Injury (check all that apply)		ify Type, Manufacturer, Model					
\boxtimes	Biological (puncture/spill/splash/exposure)		Head Protection:					
	Caught In/Under/Between Wall, Equipment		Eye Protection:					
	Chemical/Hazardous Substance/Medication		Hearing Protection:					
	Contact with Hot/Cold Object/Substance		Face Protection:					
	Contact with Sharp Object (not biological)	П	Hand Protection:					
	Electrical	\boxtimes	Foot Protection:					
	Falling or moving equipment/material		Respirator/Fit Test:					
	Moving machinery / parts		Body Protection:					
\boxtimes	MSI-Awkward / sustained postures		Hi Visibility Apparel:					
	MSI-Forceful exertions		Other: Isolation precautions if necessary					
	MSI-Repetitive motions	Equipment and/or tools required to perform task						
	Noise	Clea	n scrubs delivered to Scrub Ex Large Volume					
	Surfaces/Objects causing slips, trip or falls	Dispenser Receiver in linen cart						
	Task requires more than 1 worker	Keys and/or pass code if required						
		Step Stool if required						
	Violent, Aggressive or Reactive Behaviours	For machine operation tasks complete the following						
	Working Alone or in Isolation	Machine Description and Safety Features:						
	Working at Heights							
\boxtimes	Other: Pinch Points							
l l	ent/Client/Resident Related Tasks - be	Set-up and maintenance of this equipment is only to						
knowledgeable of patient specific hazards (CARE		be performed by trained/authorized staff following the manufacturer's manual.						
	t, Falls Risk, Patient Handling Assessment, ation Precautions, etc.)	unem	ianulacturer's manual.					
	ning and Proficiency:							
	f who perform this task must be trained as indicate	ed belo	w in this safe work procedure prior to					
performing it. Training must be documented. This SWP must be available to staff.								
⊠Read Procedure and Sign ⊠Other Required Training: or observation								
□Demonstrated Competency								
Responsibilities								
are to according t	rager/Supervisor or Designate: Ensure all staff trained and that duties are performed in ordance to training, established health and safety llations, guidelines, policies and procedures (e.g. wing safe work procedures).	Staff performing task: Perform task in accordance to training, established health and safety regulations, guidelines, policies and procedures (e.g. following safe work procedures). Follow process for reporting hazards, injuries, occurrences and patient safety events.						

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This safe work procedure was created by Provincial Safe Work Procedure Committee and will be reviewed any time the task, equipment or materials change and at a minimum of every three years from the last revision date.

Notes/Other Considerations:

Steps to be taken to complete task safely:

Unlock the main access door. Ensure you are facing the latch head on, using the thumb and all fingers and the wrist is kept as straight as possible.





To release the main access door, face the latch head on, use a wide base of support, one foot forward and one foot back, grasp the latch with both hands, and shift your weight from the front leg to the back leg in a slow and controlled manner.





To open the main access door, move to the side of the door, with a wide base of support, one foot forward and one foot back, and shift your weight from the back leg to the front leg in a slow and controlled manner.





4 Place the linen cart a few steps away from the ScrubEx Large Volume Dispenser.

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Option 1:

From the linen cart, take one scrub top and bottom of the necessary size, fold the scrubs together and place into the appropriate slot with the folded side down. Get as close as possible to the ScrubEx Large Volume Dispenser when loading.







Option 2 (for rows 4 to 6):

With good body mechanics, pull compartment out from the ScrubEx Large Volume Dispenser around elbow height. From the linen cart, take a small number of scrub tops and bottoms specific to the chosen slots. Place scrubs on top of open compartment. Fold the scrubs together and place into the slot with folded side down. Close compartment once filled. Stand with a wide base of support, hips and knees bent, back straight when loading the lower compartments.





- If necessary, use a step stool when placing scrubs into slots that are located over shoulder height. When loading the lower compartments below waist level, bend at the hips and knees and keep the back straight.
- Once all compartments have been loaded, reset the load panel and close the main door using a wide base of support and shift your weight in a slow and controlled manner.



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