ARROWHEAD REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER DEPARTMENT OF DIALYSIS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

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400.00 v6		Х			Infection Control for Inpatient and Outpatient Dialysis Service	Retire, per Infection Control Committee recommendation.
405.00 v7		X			Control of Hepatitis B for Inpatient and Outpatient Dialysis Service	Removed bleach concentrate – will follow manufacturer's recommendation.
						Grammar correction
410.00 v6		Х			Specified Control Methods (Inpatient and Outpatient Dialysis Service)	Removed bleach concentrate – will follow manufacturer's recommendation.
413.10 v4		×			Fresenius Dialysis Delivery System Cleaning and Disinfection	Removed specific days of bleach disinfection. Manufacturer's recommendation is weekly. Removed bleach concentrate – will follow manufacturer's recommendation.
						Added wording "dialysis delivery" – to clarify which systems.
414.00 v6		Х			Cleaning and Disinfection: Patient Treatment Area	Removed clamps as clamps are single use. Grammar correction.
415.00 v4		Х			Bleach Mixing	Removed bleach concentrate – will follow manufacturer's recommendation.
604.00 v5		Х			Water quality Monitoring Log, Stationary Water Treatment System	Removed log attachment.
619.00 v5		Х			Cleaning/Descaling of Stationary Reverse Osmosis (RO) Membranes	Change descaling frequency to per manufacturer's guidelines.
632.10 v4		Х			Chlorine-Chloramine Test of Water with Watercheck 2	Change duration of system flush to per manufacturer's recommendation. New Reverse Osmosis (RO) system in place.
638.00 v5		Х			Cleaning and Disinfection Internal Fluid Pathway of Renal Replacement Therapy Delivery Systems	Removed bleach concentrate – will follow manufacturer's recommendation.

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640.00 v7		Х			Disinfection of Concentrate Containers and Wands	Removed bleach concentrate – will follow manufacturer's recommendation.
641.10 v5		Х			Dialysate Preparation - Acid Mixing Using Granuflo Dissolution Unit II	Removed bleach concentrate – will follow manufacturer's recommendation.
648.00 v1	Х				Hardness Testing	New policy added as a requirement for the new RO system installed