

ARROWHEAD REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER
STERILE PROCESSING DEPARTMENT POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

2022 Summary of Policy Revisions

Policy #	New	Major	Minor	Reviewed	Policy Title	Explanation (New and Major Only)
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300.10 v5			X		Sterile Processing-Scope of Services	
300.20					No Policy	
300.30 v3			X		Role (Function) of Sterile Processing	
400.00 v4			X		Responsibility and Accountability of Personnel	
400.01 – 400.09					No Policy	
400.10 v4			X		Staffing Patterns	
400.11 – 400.19					No Policy	
400.20 v2			X		Employee Work Assignments	
400.21 – 400.29					No Policy	
400.30 v4				X	Dress Standards for Sterile Processing	
500					No Policy	
600.00 – 600.04					No Policy	
600.05 v4		X			Interdepartmental Function and Relationships	Removed Laboratory and Physical Therapy sections as this is not a current practice.
600.06 – 600.09					No Policy	
600.10 v3				X	Equipment Handling and Control	
600.11 v4			X		Equipment Tracking and Bar Coding	
600.12 v5			X		Specialty Cart Management Crash Cart	
600.13 v3			X		Management Case Carts	
600.14 v4				X	Specialty Cart Management: Isolation Carts	
600.14.1 v2			X		Specialty Cart Management: Procedure Cart	
700					No Policy	

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701.01 – 701.09					No Policy	
701.10 v5			X		Specialty Mattress Procedure	
702.00 – 705.09					No Policy	
705.10 v4				X	Purchasing of Supplies and Loaner/Implant Trays	
800					No Policy	
900					No Policy	
1000					No Policy	
1100.00 v4				X	Sterile Processing Physical Layout	
1100.01 – 1100.09					No Policy	
1100.10 v5			X		Collection and Receiving of Soiled Instrumentation	
1100.10.1 v5			X		Receiving of Soiled Instruments, Equipment and Accessories	
1100.10.2 v4			X		Retrieving and Handling of Items from Isolation Rooms	
1100.10.3 v5			X		Decontaminating, Cleaning, and Preparation of Refusable Items	
1100.11 – 1100.19					No Policy	
1100.20 v4			X		Quality Controls-Decontamination Area	
1100.20.1 v4			X		Endoscope (Fiberoptic) Cleaning Procedure-Manual Cleaning	
1100.20.2 v5				X	Automated Endoscope Reprocessor (AER)	
1100.20.3 v2			X		Post-Procedure Receiving, Cleaning, and Storage of Endoscope	
1100.21 – 1100.29					No Policy	

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1100.30.1 v4			X		Preparation of Instrumentation and Supplies for Terminal Sterilization	
1100.30.2 v5			X		Packaging and Wrapping	
1100.31 v3				X	Quality Control	
1100.32 – 1100.39					No Policy	
1100.40 v3				X	Sterilization of Implantable Items	
1100.41 – 1100.49					No Policy	
1100.50 v4			X		Biological Indicator Use	
1100.51 – 1100.54					No Policy	
1100.55 v3		X			Biological Monitoring of the Sterrad Sterilizer	Removed verbiage under the procedure section regarding....
1100.56 – 1100.59					No Policy	
1100.60 v3				X	Recall Procedures for Reusable Instruments and Supplies	
1100.61 v4				X	Cleaning of Sterilizers	
1100.61 – 1100.65					No Policy	
1100.66 v4				X	Event Related Shelf Life and Sterile Packaging	