

**ARROWHEAD REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER
DEPARTMENT OF NURSING POLICY AND PROCEDURE MANUAL**

2021 - 2024 Summary of Policy Revisions

| Policy # | New | Major | Minor | Reviewed | Policy Title | Explanation (All New Policies and Major Revisions) |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|--|
| 580.30 | X | | | | Ultrasound Guided IV Insertion | New policy allowing RNs to quickly and efficiently obtain I.V. access in difficult venous access reduces the number of attempts, increases success rates, and decreases insertion pain. Also attenuates the complications of multiple I.V. attempts or need for more invasive procedures. |

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