Reprocessing Education

Core Components of Infection Prevention Education

Standard Precautions

- Hand hygiene
- Environmental and terminal cleaning
- Safe medication handling
- Personal protective equipment

Reprocessing Procedures for endoscopes and accessory equipment

- Proper set-up, disassembly, and reprocessing of endoscopes
- Safe use and handling of high-level disinfectants/sterilants
- Maintenance of a safe work environment
- OSHA rules on occupational exposure to blood-borne pathogens
- Proper disposal of single use devices/components

Content is based on highlights from the SGNA Standard of Infection Prevention in the Gastroenterology Setting, 2019. Review the entire Standard for more specific information.