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Enhancement on Clinical Goverance of POCT Practice

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Introduction

With the aim in complying with the Point-of-Care Testing(POCT) Policy of HAHO and the quality improvement standard of POCT, a working team with site supervisor and operator was formed to conduct a CQI program to strengthen the clinical goverance of POCT practice of glucometer, so that good quality of POCT services provided by trained staffs with proper documentation and quality control will be attained.

Objectives

The main aim of this CQI program was to enhance the standard of POCT practice on glucometer, which will be accomplished with the achievement of the following objectives: (1)Staffs should be trained with updated information of POCT practice. (2) Updated information of POCT practice should be easily accessible for all staffs (3) Workflow and documentation of POCT practice should be standardized.

Methodology

(1) Training sessions on POCT practice with updated information was conducted to all qualified staffs. (2)Quick reference infomation sheet on POCT apparatus and accessories was prepared. (3) Flowchart for the standardized workflow and documentation on POCT practice was established.

<u>Result</u>

Post program questionnaire and audit on POCT practice were conduted to testify the knowledge base and compliances on POCT practice. Questionnaire with average score of 98/100 and an audit result with about 100% compliances rate ensured compliances with the training and certification requirements stated under the Good POCT practice in HA POCT Policy.