

Friday, October 18, 2019

## **Renal Program Goes LIVE!**

The Renal Team is excited to roll out their new electronic Care Round Board the week of October 21st. Care Round Boards were developed as part of the Standard Unit Program. It has been so successful that other programs, such as the Renal Program, asked for similar boards. The Care Round Board will enhance current

multidisciplinary Care Rounds. These rounds will also follow standard work and be held during a standard time identified by the team and completed 4 days a week. The Boards will capture all of the patients cared for in both the Jeanne Mance and Bell Buildings. The teams will discuss each patient to ensure the patient is on track with the individual plan of care, identify any risks, and address any barriers.

The team will be piloting the new Care Round Board in the Jeanne Mance building starting Monday October 21, with plans to move to the Bell building within the next 2 weeks. Training is taking place this week.

Congratulations to the Renal team for launching this initiative as a way to support their patients and provide outstanding care, no exceptions.



Renal staff reviewing draft Care Round Board

## Medical Students Partner with SOP on the Quality Improvement Journey



Over the next several months three student groups from the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry will be partnering with the SOP teams on the following quality improvement projects:

- 1. Effectiveness of Silver Dressing and Chlorhexidine Sponge use on Prevention of Ortho Hip/Knee Surgical Site Infections and Associated Readmissions
- 2. Impact of Physician Lead Daily Patient Care Rounds
- 3. Determining Best Practices and Potential Gap Analysis for Pressure Injury Prevention

This work is part of their curriculum that focuses on quality improvement and professional identity. The students will be searching and reviewing best practice literature, working with the various SOP teams, visiting various units at both campuses to conduct observations, and getting feedback from frontline staff to help provide insight on the work they do to improve patient care. At the completion of these projects the student groups will present their work to the hospital and their classmates at both the Windsor and London campuses. One project will be selected to advance and develop a poster presentation for a regional conference.

## Road to Recovery, Movement Matters – One Step at a Time



LAST 2 WEEKS

60km

**TOTAL SINCE LAUNCH** 

113km

For more information about this program, visit www.wrh.on.ca/movementmatters