

Diaper Changing Procedure

1. Wear a new pair of disposable gloves prior to each diaper change.
2. Place child on a clean, disinfected, dry changing table.
3. Clean child's body with a pre-moistened disposable towelette.
4. Replace soiled diapers and clothing with clean items.
5. Place soiled clothes in a plastic bag. Place soiled diapers in a lined and covered trash receptacle.
6. Wash child's hands under running *water* with soap and dry their hands with a disposable towel.
7. Return the child to the crib or play.
8. Disinfect the following:
 - Diapering area
 - Equipment and supplies
 - Any other surface or furnishings contaminated with urine or feces
9. Remove gloves and **WASH YOUR HANDS!**



Disinfectant Solution for Diaper Changing

Bleach

1/4 cup per gallon of water

Quaternary Ammonia (if approved)

Mix according to manufacturers instructions for hospital disinfectant.

Most require a 10-minute contact time.

For more information, contact:



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