

**NURSING SKILLS CHECKLIST**

**Midline/Central Line Dressing Change**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Facility:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Nurse's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

PROCEDURE	YES	NO	N/A
1. Explain procedure to patient.			
2. Gather all necessary equipment.			
3. Ensure patient is in supine position.			
4. Perform hand hygiene and don clean gloves.			
5. Remove old dressing correctly.			
6. Remove engineered securement device if present (i.e., StatLock™, sutures or other securement device).			
7. Remove gloves.			
8. Perform hand hygiene.			
9. Don sterile gloves.			
10. Assess site for signs of complications.			
11. Clean site with appropriate antimicrobial solution following manufacturer's instructions and allow to air dry completely.			
12. After antimicrobial solution has dried, apply new engineered securement device if necessary.			
13. Measure external length of catheter.			
14. Apply transparent dressing correctly.			
15. Label dressing with date and initials.			
16. Remove gloves and perform hand hygiene.			
17. Document the procedure in patient's chart according to facility policy.			

**Evaluated By:** \_\_\_\_\_