Daily CHG Treatment Bath

Chlorhexidine (CHG) is a strong antiseptic used to kill germs. Patients receive a CHG treatment "bath" in the hospital daily to help prevent infections.



DO NOT FLUSH CHG wipes in toilet. Dispose of them in trash.

- CHG treatment baths should be given every day.
- CHG wipes are not an antibiotic, but help kill bacteria that could make you sick while you're in the hospital.
- Do not rinse after applying. Allow skin to dry before dressing.
- CHG wipes are safe to use on the genital area.
- Avoid the use of lotions or soaps from home. These products may prevent the wipes from working correctly. CHG-compatible lotion is available — ask your nurse if you need it.
- Staff will help you with any hard-to-reach areas and with any lines or tubes you have.

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