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# Hand hygiene moment

## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Object Class

**Synonymous names:** Hand hygiene opportunity

METEOR identifier: 768663

Registration status: Health, Standard 06/09/2023

**Definition:** An occasion in a healthcare setting where there is a perceived or actual risk of

pathogen transmission from one surface to another via the hands.

### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Origin: ACSQHC (Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care)

2019. National hand hygiene initiative manual. ACSQHC: Sydney, accessed 8

December 2022.

#### Relational attributes

Data Element Concepts implementing this Object

Class:

Hand hygiene moment—hand hygiene moment type

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