

REMINDER: ALL PROGRESS NOTES MUST BE DATED AND TIMED. SIGNATURE WITH BEEPER NUMBER MUST BE LEGIBLE.

DATE/TIME

# Remember...

## Check Your Indications for Urinary Catheters Daily.

A urinary catheter is indicated only for:

- ✓ Perioperative use in certain specified surgeries\*;
- ✓ Accurate measurement of urinary output in critically ill patients (intensive care);
- ✓ Management of acute urinary retention or obstruction;
- ✓ Promoting healing of pressure ulcers in incontinent patients; or
- ✓ Improved patient comfort for end-of-life care.

\*Genitourinary surgeries, surgeries of prolonged duration, surgeries requiring large-volume infusions or diuretics, and surgeries requiring intraoperative monitoring of urinary output.

## Prevent Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections.

