

Thank you very much for taking the time to complete this form.

Please provide the name and city of the unit that you work in

NHS Trust name : University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust

City : Stoke on Trent

Please underline the answers most relevant to the unit you work in

1. How many births are there per annum at the unit where you work?

Less than 1000
1001-2000
2001-3000
3001-4000
4001-5000
5001-6000
6001-7000
7001-8000
8001-9000
9001-10000
10000+

Answer 6001-7000

2. Does your Trust have a Clinical Lead for Childbirth Related Perineal Trauma?

Yes

If Yes

Name of clinical lead or service lead:

Job Title : Miss Uma Bathula

3. What care pathway does your Trust use for the repair of 1st and 2nd degree (not 3rd/4th degree OASI trauma) Childbirth Related Perineal Trauma (CRPT)?

Local Trust guideline

No specific Trust guideline, but follow the RCOG green-top guidance

None

Don't know

Answer Local Trust Guideline

4. Does your Trust provide separate packs for delivery instruments and perineal repair instruments or is it all in one combined sterile pack?

Separate

Combined

Answer separate

5. Does your Trust guideline advise changing gloves prior to repairing 1st and 2nd degree CRPT?

Yes

No

Don't know

Answer yes

6. Does your Trust guideline advise wearing a sterile gown when repairing 1st and 2nd degree CRPT?

Yes

No

Don't know

Answer No

7. Does your Trust advise cleansing the perineum prior to repairing 1st and 2nd degree CRPT?

Yes

No

Don't know

Answer Yes

8. Which cleansing solution does your Trust advise using prior to repairing 1st and 2nd degree CRPT?

N/A – Guideline does not advise cleansing prior to repair

Sterile water

Tap water

Chlorhexidine solution

Iodine

No specific solution advised

Other

Answer Normasol

9. Please provide the specific reference in your Trust guidelines to support the cleansing solution advised.

No specific reference details using aseptic technique

Specific reference:

None given

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