Unveiling the myths of CSSD, Building a way of Cooperation

CSSD Open Day in the School of Clinical Medicine & The First Affiliated Hospital of Chengdu Medical College

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The World Federation for Hospital Sterilisation Sciences (WFHSS) designates April 10 as the International Day of Sterilisation Sciences, calling on the global CSSDs to open their doors and spread the knowledge on the reprocessing of reusable medical devices and related sterilization sciences to promote safety and efficiency of sterile items.



A CSSD open day with the theme of "Unveiling the myths of CSSD, Building a way of Cooperation" was held on April 22, 2022 in the CSSD in the School of Clinical Medicine & The First Affiliated Hospital of Chengdu Medical College. This event was co-organized by the CSSD group of Sterilization and Infection Control Professional Committee of China Health Inspection Association.







Sign-in Ceremony



More than 40 people attended the event, including Zhou Peng, vice dean of the School of Clinical Medicine & The First Affiliated Hospital of Chengdu Medical College; Wang Hui, director of nursing department; Wu Xueqin, director of department of infection, prevention and control; Zhao Jinxiu and Chen Qian, head nurse of surgical area; Yuan Mingyong, director of outpatient department and representatives from clinical departments.



This event was hosted by Zhao Jinxiu, and Zhou Peng delivered an opening speech. In his speech, he emphasized the important role played by the CSSD in ensuring medical safety and patient safety, fully affirmed the remarkable achievements made by the CSSD in recent years, and hoped to enhance the understanding and cooperation between the CSSD and clinical departments through the open day.







Chief Head Nurse Zhao Jinxiu

Yi Jianping, a member of CSSD group of National Primary Medical Institution and the head nurse of CSSD at the School of Clinical Medicine & The First Affiliated Hospital of Chengdu Medical College introduced the layout of the department and quality control procedures.



Head Nurse Yi Jianping

Then, under the guidance of the staff of the CSSD, visitors entered the Sterile Storage and Distribution Area, Inspection, Packing and Sterilization Area and Decontamination Area, visiting from clean areas to contaminated area.

Group Leaders of each area (Yang Chaoyou, Deng Lijun, Huang Yuxian) explained each processing procedure, demonstrated the insulation inspection of electrosurgical instruments and the packing of surgical instruments, invited some visitors to experience the packing of surgical instruments and answered the questions of visitors.









On-site Visit





Live Demonstration of Insulation Inspection of Electrosurgical Instruments









Instruments Packing Experience

Through on-site observation and experience, the visitors witnessed the change of contaminated medical instruments and experienced the meticulous and professional work in the CSSD. They had a deeper understanding of the importance of CSSD and enhanced their trust. They all appreciated the positive attitude and proficiency of the staff of CSSD.

The open day activity spread the concept of that "there is a fresh life behind every medical device" to colleagues, narrowed the distance between the CSSD and the clinical departments, and enhanced mutual trust and understanding.



CSSD of School of Clinical Medicine & The First Affiliated Hospital of Chengdu Medical College grows and improves all the time. We will keep implementing regulations and practicing guide, and will always keep safety in mind and serve wholeheartedly.