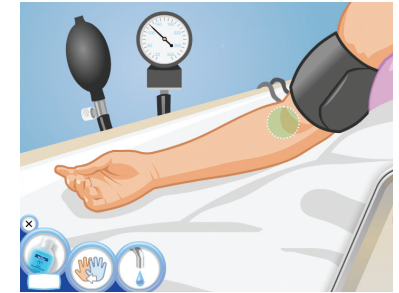


5 Moments E-Learning Tool

Solution: "Measuring blood pressure – difficult"

To protect patients/residents and staff against the transmission of pathogens, hand disinfection needs to be integrated into the sequence of steps when measuring the blood pressure. In the following, you will find the correct order of treatment steps incl. hand disinfection:

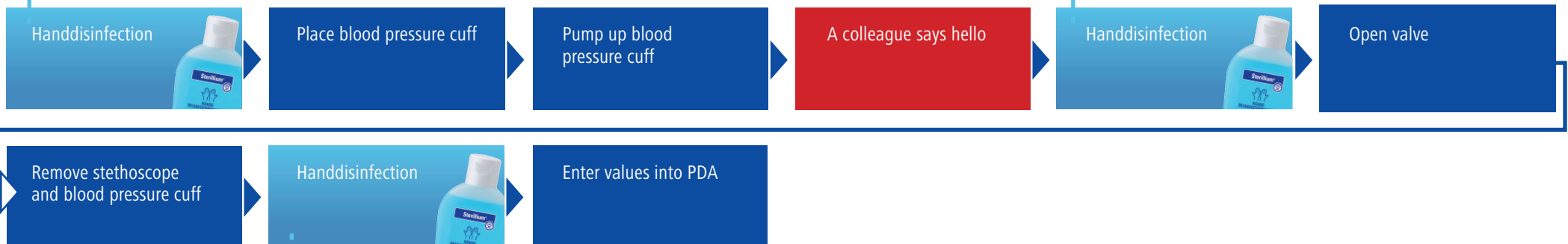


Hand disinfection WHO Moment 1 = BEFORE touching a patient/resident

Why? To protect the patient/resident against the transmission of pathogens that may reside on the personnel's hands before patient treatment.

Hand disinfection WHO Moment 1 = BEFORE touching a patient/resident

Why? To protect the patient/resident against pathogens that might have reached the hands during the handshake.



Hand disinfection WHO Moment 4 = AFTER touching a patient/resident

Why? To protect staff, subsequent patients/residents and the healthcare zone against pathogens, as microorganisms may have been transmitted during patient treatment.