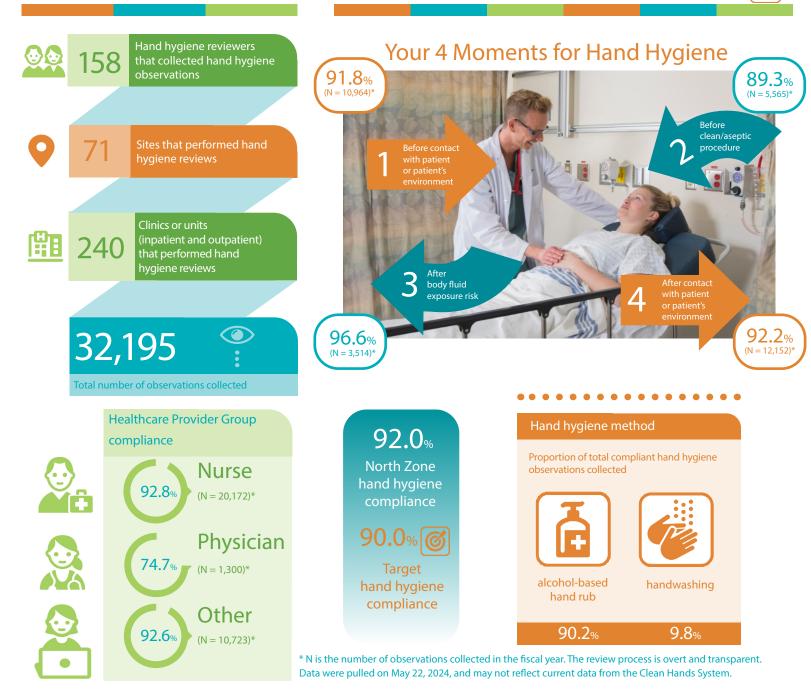
Hand Hygiene

North Zone

AHS hand hygiene compliance target 90.0%



Hand Hygiene Excellence Award

The North Zone received the 2023/24 Provincial Hand Hygiene Excellence Award for Outstanding Hand Hygiene Performance. Sharanpyari Patel won the North Zone Hand Hygiene Reviewer Star Award. Additional Outstanding Hand Hygiene Awards for 2023/24 were given to Mayerthorpe Healthcare Centre, Cold Lake Healthcare Centre, Peace River Community Health Centre, Northern Lights Regional Health Centre, and Valleyview Health Centre. Congratulations to the North Zone for your excellent achievements in hand hygiene! **Success Story**

North Zone infection control professionals and the North Zone hand hygiene program collaborate with sites to provide hand hygiene education and support, helping sites develop and sustain local hand hygiene programs. Infection control professionals use quarterly hand hygiene reports to identify areas for improvement, increase compliance, and celebrate successes. The North Zone added six new sites/units to the Clean Hands System in 2023/24 and trained 53 new site-based reviewers.



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