

Equipment Checklist				
Equipment	Testing	Individual Load Testing	Other Maintenance	Location of Logs
List equipment here: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Autoclaves/sterilizers • TEE disinfectors • Washers • Cart washers • Ultrasonics • Sinks • Heaters/warmers • Manual HLD soaking Station • Probe testers • Scope processors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What type of testing? • How often is testing? • Who tests? 	Is this included in the testing?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What other maintenance is required? • Who performs the maintenance and how often? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How is the testing tracked? • Logs • Tracking systems
PROCESSES AND PROTOCOLS CHECKLIST				
Employee files				
Licenses/certifications required			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Employee files
CPR cards as required by state regulations/hospital policy /job descriptions			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Employee files
Job description as required by state regulations/hospital policy			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Employee files
Proof of orientation (hospital)			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Employee files
Proof of orientation (department)			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Employee files
Proof of annual education/competency per hospital/department policy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equipment competencies • Process competencies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decontamination • Prep and pack • Sterilization • Storage • HLD competencies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flexible endoscope processing, handling, and storage 			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Employee files
Annual evaluations: no evaluations due beyond 12 months			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Employee files
Safety (review all equipment and protocols for employee and patient safety)				
Life safety devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eye wash stations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff know location • Staff know when to use • Who performs functional checks and how often? • Chemical spill kit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff know the location of the chemical spill kit(s) • Staff know when to use • Staff know who to call for chemical spill 			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Location of policy(s) and location of eye wash station logs Location of policy(s) and location of kit
Safe practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fire safety <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Location of nearest fire alarm • Location of nearest fire exit • Location of nearest fire extinguisher. Do staff know how to use the fire extinguisher? • Staff verbalizes what to do if staff member is injured or ill • Code <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff verbalizes what to do if staff member codes or if they find a person unresponsive • Staff knows location of nearest AED or code cart 			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Location of policy(s)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical events poster <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff verbalizes location of the posters or have the cell phone app • If cell phone app, do staff know how to access and use the app? • Employee Injury <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff verbalizes what to do in case of injury • Staff verbalizes what to do in case of injury off shift 		
<p>Equipment and supplies safe practices</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MSDS Sheets <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff know where to find MSDS sheets • Staff know how to read the MSDS sheets (how to use this information) • Equipment checks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff know how to check if equipment has received preventive maintenance • Staff know who to call if case of broken equipment • Supply checks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supplies checked for expiration dates • Staff know what to do if they locate expired supplies • Is stock rotated to prevent expiration? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Location of policy(s)
<p>Environmental safety</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temperature/humidity logs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff know who monitors the temps and humidity • Negative pressure testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff know who monitors negative pressure • Do staff know what pressure decontamination is to the prep-and-pack area? Scope room? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Location of policy(s) • Who keeps the logs? • Where are the logs kept?
<p>Policy/protocols</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do staff know where to locate administrative policies/protocols? • Do staff know where to locate department policies/protocols? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decontamination • Assembly • Sterilization and storage • Flexible endoscope 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Location of the policy(s)
<p>Logs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Logs should be reviewed for accuracy • Equipment logs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sterilizer (low temperature and steam) • Washer(s) • Ultrasonics • Sterilizers/autoclaves • Probe testing units and disinfectors • Sinks • HLD manual soaking station logs (includes chemical strip indicator) • Endoscope processing system (includes log for chemical indicators as applicable) • Flexible endoscope cabinet(s) 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Location of logs
<p>Sterilization practices</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IUSS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do staff know what to do in case of IUSS? • Do staff know the current IUSS rates? • Wet loads <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do staff know what to do in case of wet load? • Failed BI test <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do staff know what to do in case of a failed BI test? • Do staff know what to do in case of a failed load receipt? • Failed indicator/integrator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do staff know what to do in case of failed indicator/integrator? • Failed water/steam <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is there a process in place if water or steam should fail? • Do staff know what to do in case of above? • Do staff know where to locate instrument/equipment/implant IFUs? <p>HLD practices</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do staff know where to locate HLD policies? 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA	Location of policy(s)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do staff know where to locate HLD logs? 		
Quality		
Quality initiatives/process improvement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do staff know what current quality initiatives are in place? Do staff know where to locate current quality dashboard, including results? Do staff know where to locate the department's quality plan? Are staff participants in the department's quality improvement plan? 		Location of dashboard and quality assurance plan