From: Johnstone, Charles
To: Shine, Kenneth
Cc: Buckingham, Robert; Finkelstein, Ruth
Subject: RE: Your question regarding UTMB IHOP 8.1.21
Date: Tuesday, June 11, 2013 2:08:46 PM

Good afternoon Dr. Shine,

FYI, UTMB has elected to not retire the following policy which was sent to you earlier-

Guidelines for Safe Patient Handling and Movement (IHOP 8.1.21, OGC #149003).

It will be reinstated in UTMB's IHOP.

Chuck Johnstone

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From: Shine, Kenneth
Sent: Wednesday, June 05, 2013 4:03 PM
To: Johnstone, Charles
Subject: Re: Your question regarding UTMB IHOP 8.1.21

That is my bias. Ken

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 5, 2013, at 4:01 PM, "Johnstone, Charles"
<cjohnstone@utsystem.edu<mailto:cjohnstone@utsystem.edu>> wrote:

I'll check but for what an attorney's opinion is worth, it's better to have it in the IHOP than be sorry.

From: Shine, Kenneth
Sent: Wednesday, June 05, 2013 4:00 PM
To: Johnstone, Charles
Subject: Re: Your question regarding UTMB IHOP 8.1.21

What about staff not trained on the nursing school? Ken

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 5, 2013, at 3:00 PM, "Johnstone, Charles"
<cjohnstone@utsystem.edu<mailto:cjohnstone@utsystem.edu>> wrote:
Good afternoon Dr. Shine,

Robert Buckingham related to me that you were inquiring why the attached UTMB policy on Guidelines for Safe Patient Handling and Movement was recommended for retirement.

Ruth Finkelstein at UTMB reports that the contents of the policy are now taught as a class on patient handling in nursing practices.

As such, nursing services recommended that IHOP 8.1.21 be eliminated because it is redundant.

Would you prefer that it remain in the IHOP?

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From: Johnstone, Charles
Sent: Friday, May 31, 2013 11:04 AM
To: Shine, Kenneth
Cc: Bouldin, Roxann; Cantu, Esther; Buckingham, Robert; Shaw Thomas, Amy; rfinkels@utmb.edu<mailto:rfinkels@utmb.edu>; Krane, Melodie
Subject: Your approval/UTMB clincal policies

Good morning Dr. Shine,

Attached and for your approval are four clinical or clinically related policies from UTMB.

1. Moderate Sedation (IHOP 9.13.5, OGC # 147923)
2. Medical Records Forms Management Guidelines (IHOP 9.2.8, OGC # 148992)
3. Interdisciplinary Plan of Care (IHOP 9.13.8, OGC #149001)
4. Guidelines for Safe Patient Handling and Movement (IHOP 8.1.21, OGC #149003)

I have reviewed each of these policies and each is legally sufficient.

I recommend your approval.

If you have any questions please let me know.

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