

Root Cause Analysis (RCA)

Agenda

#	Items	Person	Time
1.	Welcome and introductions ⇒ Ground rules	Service Line Chief and Vice President	5 min
2.	Root Cause Analysis (RCA) Introduction ⇒ Terminology ⇒ Orientation to root cause analysis and tools	Medical Director of Patient Safety	5 min
3.	Event Summary	Area Manager or Supervisor	5 min
4.	Root Cause Analysis ⇒ 5 Whys : Identify contributing factors/general and specific ⇒ 6 key concept definitions ⇒ Identify 1-3 root causes	Medical Director of Patient Safety	40 min
5.	 Corrective Action Plan ⇒ Confirm corrective action plan owner(s)/audit leader ⇒ Intervention Effectiveness hierarchy ⇒ Identify key corrective action objectives ⇒ Identify key members of follow-up team ⇒ Identify tasks and timelines associated with objectives as time allows ⇒ Schedule meeting with follow-up team 	Medical Director of Patient Safety	30 min
6.	Wrap-up and Review	Service Line Chief and Vice President	5 min