Stand-Up Diapering Procedure

Purpose

The Stand-Up Diapering Procedure describes how to support and assist changing children's diaper/pull up who is able to stand up on their own. Stand-Up Diapering Procedure is posted in the classroom bathroom OR kept in the Stand-Up Diapering backpack if the classroom does not have a bathroom.

Procedure

1. Wash hands.
2. Gather necessary supplies (diaper/pull-up/underpants, wipes, absorbent disposable underpad if needed, cleaner and disinfectant, paper towels, gloves, plastic bag).
3. Put on disposable gloves.
4. Coach child in pulling down pants and removing diaper/pull-up/underpants (assist as needed).
5. Put soiled diaper/pull-up/underpants in plastic bag (or assist child in doing so).
6. Coach child in cleaning diaper area front to back using a clean, damp wipe for each stroke (and assist as needed).
7. Put soiled wipes in plastic bag (or assist child in doing so).
8. Put absorbent disposable under pad in plastic bag (if used).
9. Close and dispose of plastic bag into hands-free covered trashcan lined with a plastic garbage bag.
10. Remove gloves.
11. Wash hands (in bathroom/handwashing sink) and coach child in doing the same.
12. If a signed medication authorization indicates, apply topical cream/ointment/lotion using new disposable gloves then remove gloves.
13. Coach child in putting on clean diaper/pull-up/underpants and clothing and washing hands (in bathroom/handwashing sink).
14. Close and put any bag of soiled clothing or underpants into child's cubby.
15. Follow 3-step method (soap, water, disinfectant) on floor where change has occurred (unless bathroom is located outside of the classroom and an absorbent under pad is used).
16. Wash hands (in bathroom/handwashing sink).