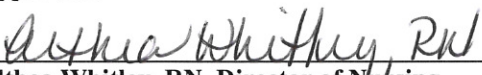
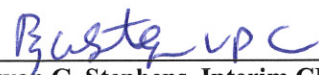




COBB COUNTY COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD
DOUGLAS COUNTY COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD

Page 1 of 1

Policy # 9024	Oto-ophthalmoscope Cleaning
Origination Date: June 17, 1998	
Revision Date: June 2004; March 27, 2006; January 28, 2009	
Reviewed Date: February 2005; July 20, 2007; May 18, 2010; March 19, 2012, May 8, 2013, July 25, 2016	
Approved:	
 Althea Whitley, RN, Director of Nursing	 Bryan G. Stephens, Interim CEO

PURPOSE:

To ensure that oto-ophthalmoscope use between clients will be properly maintained to ensure the light source and properly cleaned to prevent cross-infection between clients.

PROCEDURE:

1. Eye-exam:
After each client use the ophthalmoscope should be cleansed with 70% isopropyl alcohol and/or an approved disinfectant.
2. Ear exam:
After each client use, the disposable speculum cover should be removed from the scope and discarded. The entire scope pieces should be then cleansed with 70% isopropyl alcohol solution or cleaned with a disinfectant.