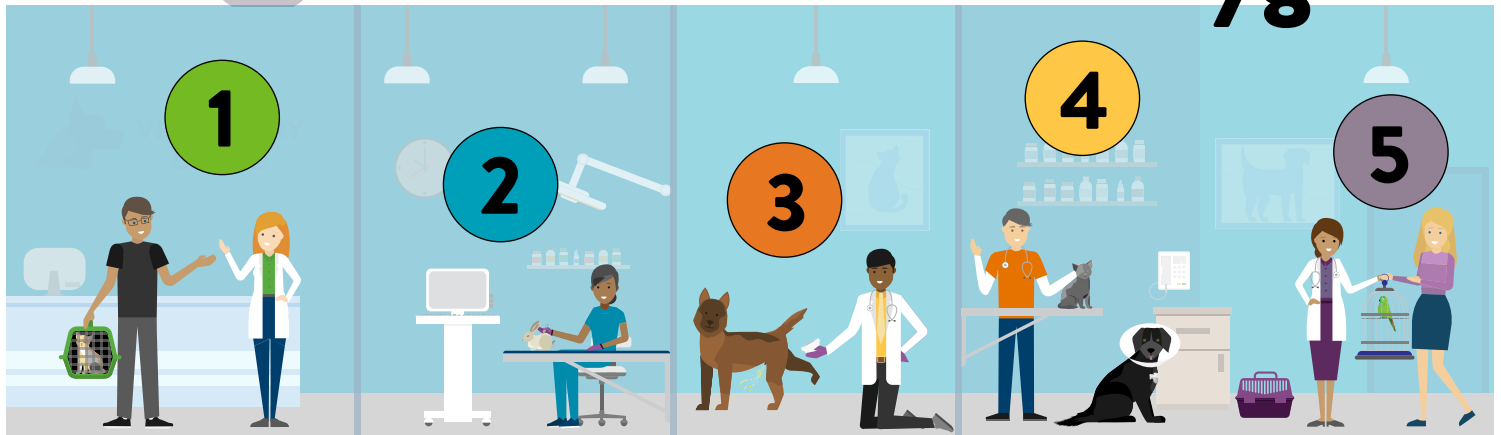


Your 5 moments for Hand Hygiene



| | Examples | When | Why |
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| 1 Before touching an animal | Restraining animal, clinical examination, handling animal | Clean your hands before touching an animal | To protect the animal against harmful germs carried on your hands |
| 2 Before an aseptic/clean task | Wound care, injectable medication preparation, drawing blood, and IV catheter placement and manipulation | Clean your hands immediately before and after any aseptic or clean task | To protect the animal against harmful germs, including its own, from entering its body |
| 3 After body fluid exposure | After contact with urine, feces, blood, saliva, and nasal discharge | Clean your hands immediately after an exposure to body fluids including after glove removal | To protect yourself, the environment, and other people and animals from harmful germs |
| 4 After touching an animal | After clinical exams and treatments such as grooming, bandage changes, or administration of any medications or vaccinations | Clean your hands after touching an animal | To protect yourself, the environment, and other people and animals from harmful germs |
| 5 After being in an animal's environment | When leaving an exam room, treatment room, barn, kennel or housing area | Clean your hands when leaving the animal's environment, even if the animal has not been touched | To protect yourself, the environment, and other people and animals from harmful germs |

