Standard Operating Procedure - Bed Frame

The following procedure is to be referred to by all staff members who carry out the procedure of cleaning bed frames. Bed frames should be cleaned every time that the bed is vacated through home leave, discharge from hospital and every time that the bed is routinely changed during a service user’s inpatient stay.

The following items are required to undertake this activity:
- Disposable gloves;
- White disposable apron;
- Detergent;
- Blue cloths;
- Bowl with clean warm water;
- Paper towels.

Step 1     Step 2     Step 3
Clean headboard first using blue cloth
Clean bed end using blue cloth
Clean tray / top of bed frame using blue cloth

Step 4     Step 5
Ensure side are cleaned using blue cloth
Dry thoroughly using paper towel