



WHAT'S A MINUTE OF O.R. TIME WORTH TO YOU?



DON'T WRITE OFF O.R. DELAYS.

Solve the problem.

Make the most of every O.R. minute by preventing delays that could cost you **\$62 per minute¹** or more— or up to thousands for a cancelled case.

In one study of operating room costs,¹ hospitals cited rates ranging from \$22 per O.R. minute for a less complex procedure up to \$130 per minute for a high complexity case.

Your billing rates may vary, but when you add it up, there's still a significant cumulative financial impact to your facility.





PAIN POINT:

Tears or holes in sterilization wrap or damaged instrument containers that require replacement sets or re-sterilization.

🕒 TIME IMPACT: 8-60 minutes

For Immediate Use Sterilization (IUSS), or up to an hour to get a terminally-sterilized replacement set from Sterile Processing.

COST: \$496 - \$3720[†]

HALYARD SOLUTION:

SMART-FOLD* Sterilization wrap is 61% heavier in the critical zones than competitive heavyweight wraps, with reinforced zones around tray corners and edges.

[†] \$62 X 8 minutes – \$62 X 60 minutes



PAIN POINT:

Wrong sizes or mix of products in packs or on back table may lead to confusion, waste or incorrect usage.

🕒 TIME IMPACT: 5-10 minutes

To get replacements or additional products from Sterile Supply.

COST: \$310 - \$620[†]

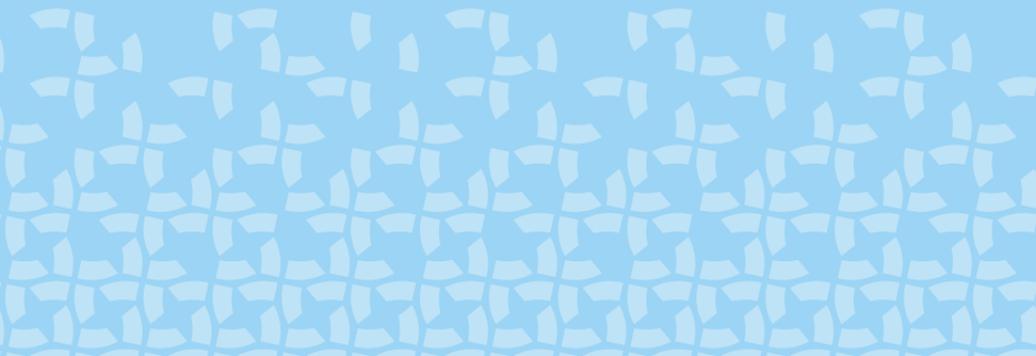
HALYARD SOLUTION:

A Healthy OR Efficiency Plan from Halyard can help hospitals plan for and deliver the right mix of supplies for each procedure, reducing waste and minimizing costs.

[†] \$62 x 5 minutes - \$62 x 10 minutes

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PAIN POINT:

Using multiple layers of generic surgical drapes without built-in features to control lines and instruments may lead to dropped instruments.

🕒 TIME IMPACT: 8-10 minutes

To clean and re-sterilize instruments

COST SAVINGS: \$496 - \$620[†]

HALYARD SOLUTION:

Our procedure-designed drapes include features such as instrument pad reinforcements, instrument pouches, tube and line controls, and specific shapes and sizes designed to meet the needs of each procedure.

[†] \$62 x 8 minutes - \$62 x 10 minutes



PAIN POINT:

Strikethrough on gowns resulting from wearing the wrong protection level. Surgical team members may choose a less protective gown than needed if the protection level is not clearly evident.

🕒 TIME IMPACT: 10-15 minutes

to break scrub, re-scrub and re-gown.

COST: \$620 - \$930[†]

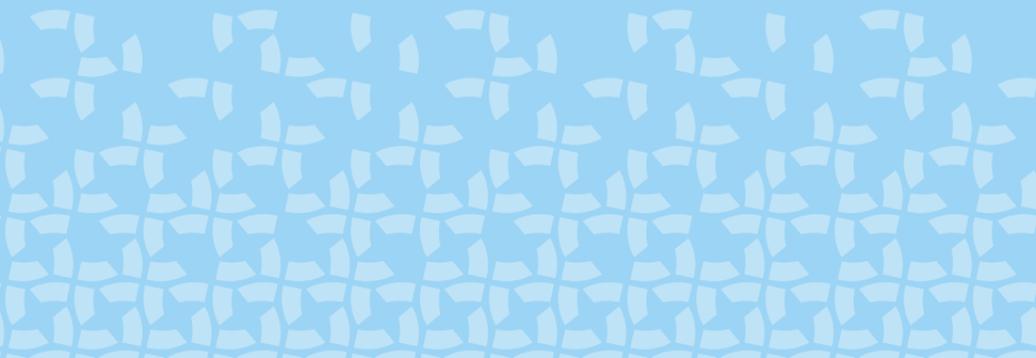
HALYARD SOLUTION:

The differentiating colors of AERO SERIES* gowns make it easy to choose between AAMI Level 3 protection (for moderate-fluid procedures) and AAMI Level 4 protection for longer, high-fluid procedures.

[†] \$62 x 10 minutes - \$80 x 15 minutes

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PAIN POINT:

Face mask discomfort, fogging or fluid strikethrough. Studies show fluid strikes the face area of OR staff 45% of the time on average.²

🕒 TIME IMPACT: 10-15 minutes

to stop, re-scrub, replace mask, re-gown and re-glove.

COST: \$620 - \$930[†]

HALYARD SOLUTION:

Wearing the appropriate level of FLUIDSHIELD* ASTM-rated mask helps ensure fluid protection and comfort with a fog-free visor and soft foam band along the top.

[†] \$62 x 10 minutes - \$80 x 15 minutes



PAIN POINT:

Equipment, implants or other key products that are not ready or not available to start the procedure. Or even beds not available in Pre-Op or PACU.

 **TIME IMPACT: 10 minutes to hours**

COST: \$620[†] - \$\$\$

HALYARD SOLUTION:

AIRISTA® Equipment monitoring and tracking systems let you easily locate products and equipment so you can make sure they arrive at the OR when they're needed.

[†] \$62 x 10 minutes

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PAIN POINT:

Surgical team members or patients who are not ready or not available – or staff who need to leave during the procedure. Work stops or is delayed until the team is complete and ready to proceed.

 **TIME IMPACT:** 10 minutes to hours

COST: \$620[†] - \$\$\$

HALYARD SOLUTION:

AIRISTA® Patient and Personnel tracking systems tell you where your patient and OR team members are (and where they're scheduled to be) so you can confidently plan for each procedure.

[†] \$62 x 10 minutes



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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