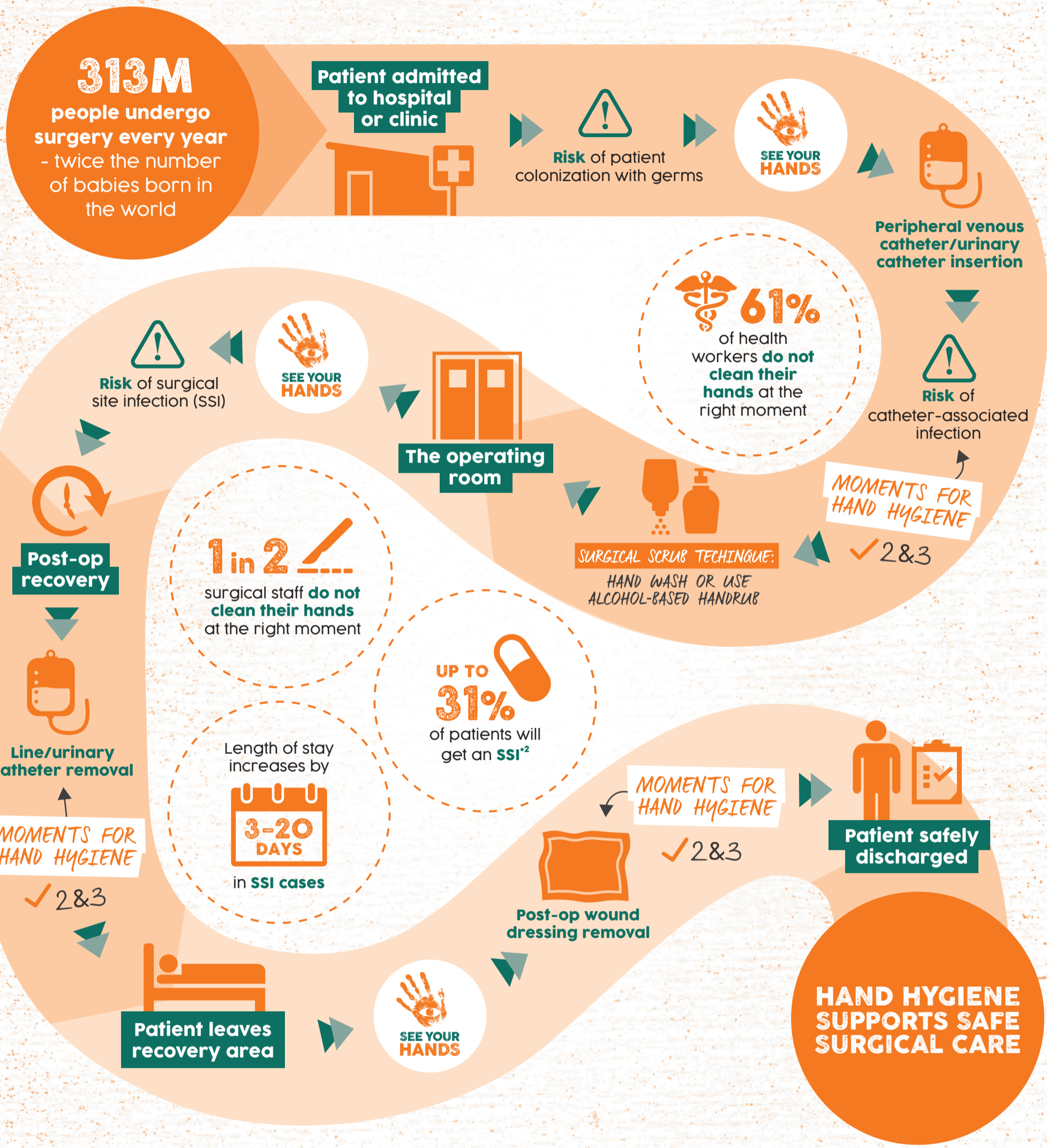


# HAND HYGIENE

## AND THE SURGICAL PATIENT JOURNEY<sup>1</sup>



Refer to **WHO 5 Moments for Hand Hygiene** material for further guidance  
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CLEAN YOUR HANDS

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<sup>1</sup>About 1 in 3 SSIs are due to *S. aureus*, >40% of which is MRSA, making SSI prevention critical to the antimicrobial resistance (AMR) agenda

<sup>2</sup>SAVE LIVES: Clean Your Hands. WHO 2016. [www.who.int/gpsc/5may](http://www.who.int/gpsc/5may)

<sup>3</sup>WHO (2011) Report on the Burden of Endemic Health Care-Associated Infection Worldwide WHO:Geneva (includes a range of SSI rates in low/middle/high income countries)