



Quarantine PRECAUTIONS

In addition to Standard Precautions



Only essential personnel should enter this room
If you have questions, ask nursing staff

Everyone Must: including visitors, doctors & staff



Clean hands when entering and leaving room

Wear respirator

Fit tested N95, if not available,
wear a face mask



Wear eye protection
(face shield or goggles)

Gown and glove when providing direct resident care



**Use resident dedicated or disposable equipment.
Clean and disinfect shared equipment.**

Contact Infection Control prior to discontinuing Precautions



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Adapted from Washington State Hospital Association

Quarantine Precautions

If resident has diarrhea and/or C. difficile add Contact Enteric Precautions

LIMIT VISITORS AND DOCUMENT ANYONE THAT HAS CONTACT WITH THE PATIENT AND NOTIFY EMPLOYEE HEALTH

Display sign outside the door. At resident discharge, remove sign after room is terminally cleaned.

For use with:

- Asymptomatic residents
 - Newly admitted residents
 - Residents with frequent visits outside the facility (e.g. dialysis, etc.)
 - Residents with known exposure to COVID-19

Dishes/Utensils:

No special precautions. Kitchenware sanitized in dishwasher.

Equipment and Supplies:

- Only essential supplies in room.
- Use dedicated or disposable equipment when available.
- Minimize use of cellphones/pagers.
- Clean and disinfect reusable equipment including intravenous pumps, cell phone or pagers (if used in room), and other electronics, supplies, and other equipment prior to removing from resident's room.
- Ensure blood pressure cuff and stethoscope are cleaned and disinfected between residents.

Waste and Linen Management:

For COVID-19, follow local and state public health guidelines Category B for medical waste handling. Bag linen in the resident's room.

Private Room:

If not available, cohort based on symptoms and risk of exposure, e.g. cohort two symptomatic residents with tests pending, cohort two asymptomatic residents with known exposure).




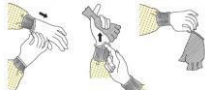


Room Cleaning:

Routine cleaning procedures with addition of cubical curtain changes per hospital procedure.

Transport:

Essential transport only. Resident should remain in room except for medical necessity. Resident should wash their hands. Place resident in clean gown. Place surgical mask on resident. Clean and disinfect transport vehicle. Alert receiving department regarding resident's isolation precaution status.

Personal Protective Equipment:

<p>Put ON in this order:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> WASH OR GEL HANDS (even if gloves used) Gown  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Mask and eye cover  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Gloves 	<p>Take OFF & dispose in this order:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Gloves  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Gown  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> WASH or GEL HANDS Mask and eye cover : Remove from earpiece or tiesto discard - do not grab from front of mask.  <ol style="list-style-type: none"> WASH or GEL HANDS (even if gloves used)
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