**RECOMMENDATIONS FOR COVID-19 REPEAT TESTING FOR INPATIENT DISCONTINUATION OF ISOLATION**

**COVID-19 POSITIVE INPATIENT In Contact/Droplet Isolation**

10 days after symptom onset **
AND
3 days with the following:
- Resolution of fever (without the use of fever-reducing medications)
- Improvement of symptoms (cough, shortness of breath)

If patient is currently on a ventilator:
- Repeat COVID-19 Test by NP swab X 2
  (2 consecutive tests done at least 24hrs apart)

- Repeat COVID-19 Test by
  - At least one lower resp tract specimen (i.e. trach aspirate)
  - Second test may be a NP swab
  (2 consecutive tests done at least 24hrs apart)

**Positive Test**
Consult Infectious Disease (ID) for further guidance

**Negative Test**
Consult with Infection Prevention (IP) for further guidance

**If patient asymptomatic prior to testing, use date of positive COVID test day 0**
- Discharge to Post Acute Facility (SNF, ARF, LTACH): Acceptance and placement will be dependent on specific facility criteria for COVID status upon discharge
- Discharge to Home: No Need for Repeat COVID-19 Testing if planned for discharge to home