





## Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Recommendations for NON-CLINICAL Caregivers

	 N95 (fit-tested respirator)	 Face Mask (surgical or ear-loop mask)	 Protective Eyewear (face shield preferred)	 Gown & Gloves
<b>Caregivers Performing Screening at Hospital or Department at Point of Entry</b>		✓ Extended use*	✓ Extended use*	
<b>Patient Service Representative (PSR)</b> • If serving as point of entry screener follow above recommendation for “Caregivers Performing Screening”	<b>USE STANDARD PRECAUTIONS</b> During times of moderate to substantial community COVID-19 transmission, caregivers will wear eye protection in addition to a face mask to ensure the eyes, nose and mouth are all protected. A full face shield will be the preferred eye protection used by caregivers in clinical areas because this eye protection offers the advantage of covering and protecting the mask.			
<b>Health Unit Coordinator (HUC)</b>				
<b>Materials Management Handlers</b>				
<b>Dietary/Nutrition</b>				
<b>Facilities</b>	Do not enter patient room. Leave tray at nursing station			
<b>Bus Shuttle Drivers/Valet</b>		✓ Extended use*		
<b>Patient Transporters</b> of patients in Contact/Droplet + Eyewear & Specified Precautions – <b>UPON ENTRY INTO ROOM</b>		✓		✓
<b>Patient Transporters</b> of patients in Contact/Droplet + Eyewear & Specified Precautions – <b>UPON EXITING PATIENT ROOM</b> <a href="#">PPE for Oxygen Therapy Transport Guide for Clinicians</a>		✓ Patient & Transporter wear new face mask upon exiting room		✓ Only if direct contact with patient or contaminated equipment
<b>EVS – Routine cleaning with rooms with contact/droplet/eyewear isolation</b>		✓	✓	✓
<b>EVS – Terminal “discharge” cleaning for rooms with contact/droplet/eyewear isolation</b>		✓	✓ If splash or sprays anticipated	✓

### Standard Precautions

Hand hygiene  
Cough etiquette

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- Gloves: if reasonably expect to come into contact with non-intact skin or body fluids

- Gowns: if reasonably expect that your uniform could get soiled
- Masks / Face protection: during care activities where this a chance of splash or spray of body fluids, blood, excretions or secretions

### Direct Contact:

Distance: within 6 feet of patient  
Time: > 10 minutes  
Contact with patient’s secretions, body fluids, blood, etc.

### \* Extended Use for Face Masks:

One mask per shift. Change face mask if contaminated with respiratory secretions, or obvious soilage or damage. Masks should always be worn covering nose & mouth. Used mask handled by ear loops ONLY. Never touch the front of the mask. Perform hand hygiene after handling used mask. Do not reapply a used mask.

### \*\* Protective Eyewear:

Reusable goggles or face mask preferable. Can be worn for extended period. Must be cleaned with disinfectant wipes with contamination/soilage and after each use.