

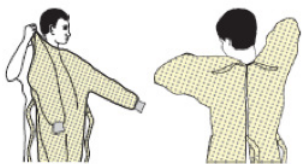
PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Ambulatory

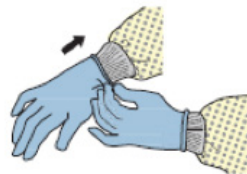


Known or Suspected COVID-19 Patient Extended PPE Use in Ambulatory

Areas must be **approved by Infection Prevention** to practice extended PPE use.



Gown



Gloves



N95
(or PAPR)



Face Shield

Exam room

- Place the patient on **Airborne Precautions, Contact Precautions, and Eye Protection**; utilize door signs.
- Those entering the room should wear gown, gloves, N95, and face shield.

When exiting

- **Do off gown and gloves** and throw away. They cannot be reused.
- **Perform hand hygiene** using either soap and water, or alcohol-based hand sanitizer.

N95 and face shields

- Your N95 mask may be worn across patient encounters as long as a face shield is also worn.
- Do off and discard your N95 mask if it becomes contaminated, damaged, wet, or the seal is lost.
- **Throw away your N95 after doffing.** It cannot be re-donned.
- **Clean face shield** with disinfecting wipes and allow to dry if it becomes contaminated and after use.

PPE questions?

- Call Infection Prevention at 615.835.1205 for specific PPE criteria.