

Point of Care Risk Assessment

Is the hazard present in the situation?

Determine possible exposure to respiratory infection

What is the health status of the client?

Check Kardex & charts; assess for signs of respiratory infection

What type of task am I doing?

Direct or indirect care

Where am I doing my task?

Determine proximity to potentially infectious items / people

What action do I need to take?

Don appropriate PPEs

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Order
ON

1

2

3

4

5

PPE

Hand Hygiene *

Gown

Mask / Respirator

Eye / Face
Protection

Gloves

Hand Hygiene *

Order
OFF

3

2

5

4

1

6

* Hand Hygiene: hand washing or alcohol-rub

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