

ACUTE CARE DOFFING PPE

SCREENING/TRIAGE: FIRST POINT OF CONTACT WITHOUT A STRUCTURAL BARRIER

Note: Hand hygiene should be performed after removing PPE, before hands approach the face and any time hand contamination is identified or suspected during the doffing process.

PPE must be removed slowly and carefully and in the correct sequence to avoid self-and cross-contamination of the workplace.



1
Remove Gloves



2
Remove Gown



3
Perform
Hand Hygiene



4
Remove Full
Face Shield



5
Remove
N95 Respirator



6
Perform
Hand Hygiene

N95 Respirator

Fit-tested and seal checked

Face Shield

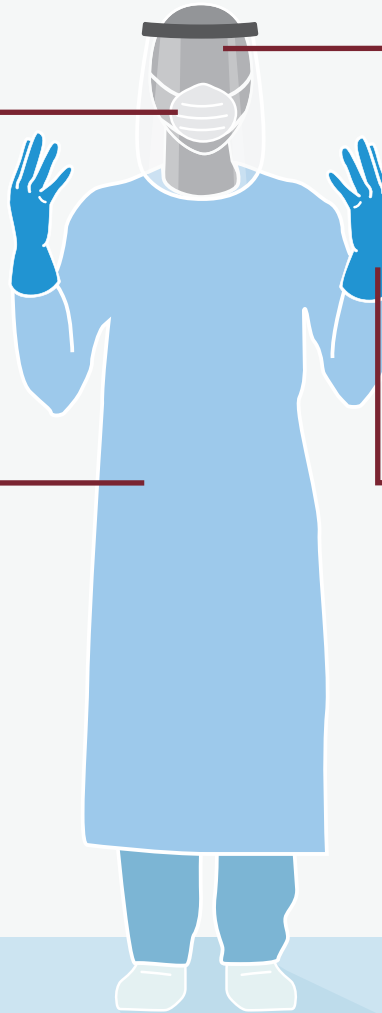
Single-use (disposable) full face shield and must provide coverage of entire front and sides of face

Gown

Single-use (disposable)
fluid-resistant gown

Gloves

Gloves with extended cuffs.
Ensure gloves cover cuffs of
gown and that no skin is
exposed



You must have received PPE training and successfully completed donning and doffing practical testing before screening patients. Keep gloved hands away from face at all times. Avoid touching PPE once care has begun. Replace damaged gloves immediately and perform hand hygiene. Remember to safely dispose of PPE into a designated waste container immediately after removing.