

LTC COVID-19 PPE REQUIREMENTS BY LOCATION / PATIENT STATUS 4/23/2020

Location / Group / Activity	Patient Status and PPE Level (defined below)			
	Not person under investigation	Patient Under Investigation	COVID Positive	Aerosol Generating Procedure, not PUI/ + COVID
COVID 19 HALL - SYMPTOMATIC (DO NOT WEAR AN N95 OR RESPIRATOR UNTIL FIT TESTED)	A	A	A	A
NURSING UNITS (FOLLOW POLICES FOR CONTACT AND DROPLET PRECAUTIONS)	B			
Clinical and non-clinical Staff IN PATIENT ROOMS	Follow same protocol as treatment location			
Nursing Stations with no ability to social distance (6 feet)	C			
Transporting Patient: PT WEARS MASK	C	C	C	
Any staff in common areas of a patient care unit , (i.e. supply rooms, hallways)	B			
Staff at points of entry (screening stations, reception windows)	C			
Staff in Cafeteria / Café, offices, areas away from patient areas.	B			

PPE PRECAUTIONS		PPE LEVELS DEFINED					
		PPE REQUIREMENTS					
		Gloves	Isolation Gown	Surgical/Procedure Mask	Face Shield or Goggles	Respirator (n95 or equivalent)	Head or Shoe Covering
A	Positive or suspected COVID-19	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✗
B	Standard with Mask	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗
C	Standard with Mask and Faceshield	✗	✗	✓	✓	✗	✗
D	Standard	Per SVMC Standard Precautions Policy					

We are asking that you help us maintain reusable equipment, prolong the use of disposable equipment and do not remove PPE from the facility. For guidance on extending the use of disposable masks please see SVHC policy 6885 Medical Mask and N95 Respirator Extended Use and Reuse Procedure