

USE OF PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE) FOR CONTACT PRECAUTIONS Infection Prevention and Control Audit

Facility: _____

Date: DD _____ MM _____ YYYY _____

Patient Unit: _____

Day of Week: S M T W Th F S

Auditor (print): _____

Start time: ____:____ End time: ____:____

Healthcare Worker Category (Circle #):

1 = Physician

7 = Physiotherapy

13 = Dietary

2 = Nurse

8 = Occupational Therapy

14 = Speech Language/ Audiology

3 = Healthcare Aide

9 = Housekeeping

15 = Rec. Therapy

4 = Social Worker

10 = Patient Transport

16 = Pharmacy

5 = Spiritual Care

11 = Radiology/DI Technician

17 = Other

6 = IV Team/ DSM

12 = Respiratory Therapy

Instructions: Select "Y" if activity was observed and completed appropriately; select "N" if activity was observed and not completed appropriately. Select "Not observed" if you were not able to observe the activity.

Bed/Bed Space Location or Number ► _____

| Item | Compliance | | |
|---|------------|---|--------------|
| Setup | | | |
| 1. Precaution signage visible before entering the room or bedspace | Y | N | Not observed |
| 2. PPE supplies available immediately outside room or bedspace | Y | N | Not observed |
| Putting On PPE | | | |
| 3. Hand hygiene is performed immediately prior to putting on PPE | Y | N | Not observed |
| 4. New single use PPE applied prior to entering room/space | Y | N | Not observed |
| 5. PPE applied in appropriate sequence: A. Gown B. Gloves | Y | N | Not observed |
| 6. Gown worn as indicated by Contact Precautions | Y | N | Not observed |
| 7. Appropriate type of gown is worn (i.e., yellow isolation gown) | Y | N | Not observed |
| 8. Gown securely tied at the neck and then waist | Y | N | Not observed |
| 9. Gloves worn as indicated by Contact Precautions | Y | N | Not observed |
| Use of PPE | | | |
| 10. PPE is only worn inside the isolation room/space | Y | N | Not observed |
| Taking Off PPE | | | |
| 11. PPE is removed within the isolation room | Y | N | Not observed |
| 12. PPE is removed in a manner to prevent contamination | Y | N | Not observed |
| 13. PPE is removed in appropriate sequence: A. Gloves and gown removed | Y | N | Not observed |
| B. Hand hygiene performed immediately after removal of PPE | Y | N | Not observed |