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| **Situation** | **Which PPE?** |
| All the Time in Patient Care Areas\*  \*all patients are considered at risk  for exposure | 1. KN95 Mask (20-Pack) Face MaskKN95 Mask, covered by a blue *or* yellow mask 2. Gloves per standard precautions 3. Goggles   Image result for yellow medical mask  Get KN95 mask from manager; keep 3 days unless moist, damaged, soiled; save in a bag labelled with your name and date you received the mask  Get blue or yellow mask every day at entrance; discard at end of each shift  Get goggles from manager; write name on them; clean with soap & water, store in paper bag with your name and reuse |
| COVID-19 suspected or confirmed  AND  Influenza and RSV suspected or confirmed | KN95 Mask (20-Pack) Face Mask*Enhanced Droplet & Contact Precautions\**   1. KN95 mask, covered by blue or yellow mask 2. Gloves 3. Image result for yellow medical maskGown 4. *Face shield*     Get KN95 mask from manager; keep 3 days unless moist, damaged, soiled; save in a bag labelled with your name and date you received the mask  Get blue or yellow mask every day at entrance; discard at end of each shift  Get face shields from manager; write your name on them; clean with soap & water, store in paper bag with your name and reuse  \*Anticipate repeat testing for confirmation; maintain these precautions until results confirmed |
| COVID-19 suspected or confirmed  *AND*  Aerosolization anticipated  (specimen, suctioning, nebulizer, CPR) | Coronavirus: Fact vs Fiction | Cedars-Sinai*Enhanced* droplet & contact precautions   1. N-95 mask, covered by a blue or yellow mask 2. Gloves 3. Face Shield   Get N-95 mask from manager; keep 14 days unless moist, damaged, soiled; save in a bag labelled with your name  Get blue or yellow mask every day at entrance; discard at end of each shift  Get face shields from manager; label with your name; clean with soap & water, store in paper bag with your name and reuse  \*N-95 mask to be used only for aerosolization risk  \*Anticipate repeat testing for confirmation; maintain these precautions until results confirmed |

**FAQs**

**What is a KN95 mask?**

This mask contains a HEPA filter and provides an added layer of protection.

**What is a N-95 mask?**

This mask requires fit testing and is to be used for procedures that produce aerosolization, for example, suctioning, providing nebulizers, taking COVID specimens, and doing CPR.

**Who should wear a N-95 Mask during this time?**

Those chosen by their managers, who have been fit tested, and *only* for use during procedures when aerosolization is anticipated such as taking a specimen, suctioning, nebulizer treatments, CPR.

**What are enhanced droplet contact precautions?**

Enhanced droplet contact precautions include use of a face shield, KN95 mask, gown, gloves.

**When are enhanced droplet contact precautions used?**

Enhanced droplet precautions are used when the patient has suspected or confirmed COVID-19.

**Remember**: Wash hands frequently for 20 seconds, or sanitize. Avoid touching your face. Keep social distance of 6 feet when possible. Clean shared surfaces with disinfectant wipes. Conserve KN95 and N95 PPE as above, so supplies will last through the surge.