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EHR Product Update

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New PPE Values to Enhance Usage Tracking

- To allow for better PPE tracking for utilization rate calculations, we are introducing new values. This release includes values for *Face Shield* and *Isolation Coveralls*.
- In addition we are introducing new values that include (*Reuse*) in the name, to allow for tracking of reused PPE items.
- CDC defines reuse:
<https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/hcwcontrols/recommendedguidanceextuse.html>

Reuse¹ refers to the practice of using the same N95 respirator for multiple encounters with patients but removing it ('doffing') after each encounter. The respirator is stored in between encounters to be put on again ('donned') prior to the next encounter with a patient. For pathogens in which contact transmission (e.g., fomites) is not a concern, non-emergency reuse has been practiced for decades.⁽⁷⁾ For example, for tuberculosis prevention, CDC recommends that a respirator classified as disposable can be reused by the same worker as long as it remains functional² and is used in accordance with local infection control procedures.⁽⁹⁾ Even when N95 respirator reuse is practiced or recommended, restrictions are in place which limit the number of times the same FFR is reused. Thus, N95 respirator reuse is often referred to as "limited reuse". Limited reuse has been recommended and widely used as an option for conserving respirators during previous respiratory pathogen outbreaks and pandemics.^(2, 3, 10-12)

Personal Protective Equipment

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New Values

- None
- Ballistic Vest
- Eye Protection
- Face Shield
- Face Shield (Reuse)
- Gloves
- Gown
- Gown (Reuse)
- Helmet

New Values

- Isolation Coveralls
- Isolation Coveralls (Reuse)
- Level A Suit
- Level B Suit
- Level C Suit
- Level D Suit (Turn out gear)
- Mask-N95
- Mask-N95 (Reuse)
- Mask-Surgical (Non-Fitted)
- Mask-Surgical (Reuse, Non-Fitted)
- Other (Not Listed)
- PAPR
- Reflective Vest

New Items for Flowchart > Other

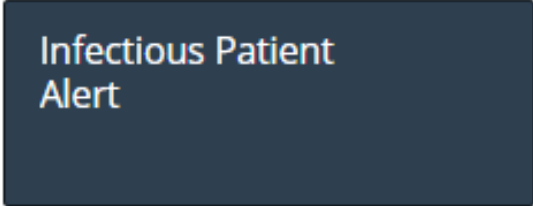
Specimen Swab
(Nasal)

Specimen Swab
(Throat)

Surgical Mask on
Patient

Enable in Admin > EHR > Flowchart Tab > Other

New Items for Flowchart > Other



Infectious Patient
Alert

Enable in Admin > EHR > Flowchart Tab > Other

Optional Validation Rule: Infectious Patient Alert Required

Enable in Admin > EHR > Flowchart Tab > Configurable Validation

If primary/secondary impression is a COVID-19 impression or Infectious Disease, Infectious Patient Alert is required on flowchart of record.

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