



COVID-19 and Seasonal Influenza: Interim Guidance for Health Care and Public Health Providers

APPENDIX 2: DROPLET PRECAUTIONS CHECKLIST

CONTROL MEASURE	INDICATED	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Hand Hygiene	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Before donning and after removing gloves. • Between inmate/patient contact.
Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow Standard Precautions. • Don mask and eye protection before room entry. • Remove face protection before room exit.
Single Cell	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A single inmate/patient room.
Cohort	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Place together those who are infected with the same pathogen when single room space is limited.
Sanitation	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Instruct and encourage inmate/patient to practice frequent hand hygiene, and respiratory hygiene/cough etiquette.
Laundry	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not shake the contaminated laundry to prevent generation of potentially contaminated lint aerosols. • Avoid contact of one's body and personal clothing with the soiled laundry. • Contain the soiled items in a leak-resistant bag and tie securely or in a designated bin.
Activities	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patient must wear mask upon exiting his/her cell. • Permit routine showering. The patient should shower last if using a shared shower area, followed by disinfection after use.
Inmate Hygiene	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Instruct and encourage Inmate/Patient to practice frequent hand hygiene. • Instruct patient on respiratory hygiene/cough etiquette.
Transports	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limit transport of patients and use contact precautions for essential purposes such as diagnostic and therapeutic procedures that cannot be performed in the inmate/patient's room. • When transport is necessary, using appropriate barriers on the inmate/patient. • Staff in close contact (less than 6 feet) should wear surgical mask.