



Appendix A – Covid 19 PPE Policy

Table 1.0	PPE						Additional items	
Scenario	Disposable plastic apron (single use)	Disposable gloves (single use)	Disposable fluid-repellent coverall/ gown	Fluid-resistant (Type IIR) surgical mask	Filtering face piece class 2 or 3 or N95 respirator	Disposable/ eye protection (single use) ¹	Disposal bags (for waste) ²	Hand Hygiene (hand washing or hand sanitiser)
GENERAL ADVICE (e.g. applies to community settings, care homes, home care, general practice)								
Staff in contact with a person with no COVID-19 symptoms	Use as per normal for role							Yes
Staff helping people with COVID-19 symptoms but NO health or social care contact (maintain >2m social distancing)	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Staff in contact with one person with COVID-19 symptoms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <1 metres • no Aerosol Generating Procedures 	Yes	Yes	No	Yes (single use)	No	Yes (where risk of splashing)	Yes	Yes

Staff in contact with a group of people with COVID-19 symptoms in a cohort area (<2 metres of symptomatic people)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes (sessional use) ³	No	Yes (where risk of splashing, sessional use) ³	Yes	Yes
Staff entry to cohort area (only if necessary) no contact with people with COVID-19 symptoms (>2 m social distancing)	No	No	No	Yes (sessional use) ³	No	No	Yes	Yes
Staff in contact with multiple people with COVID-19 symptoms sequentially in the same room i.e. clinic	Yes	Yes	No	Yes (sessional use) ³	No	Yes (where risk of splashing, sessional use) ³	Yes	Yes
CLEANING ADVICE								
Staff cleaning areas where people with COVID-19 symptoms are/have been (except high risk areas, see above)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes (where risk of splashing)	Yes	Yes
Staff cleaning areas where no ill clients are/have been	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes

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- **National guidance is currently being awaited and this document will be updated as necessary.**

¹Risk assess single use, if single use eye protection is not available, it must be washed and dried between clients. Risk assessment should include likelihood of contamination with splashes, droplets or blood or body fluids may occur from a vomit, respiratory secretions (violent cough, sneeze or spit) or a splash from other bodily secretions; and/or from splashes generated from health / social care interventions such as respiratory / oral suction, intubation, and other activities related to resuscitation.