## Gastrointestinal (GI) Infection Adult Patient Placement Algorithm


2. Norovirus
3. Diarrhea NYD
4. Other GI pathogen: incontinent or contaminating environment

Consult IPAC prior to placing a patient with confirmed or suspected GI infection in a shared room. If already in shared room, contact EVS for stat Additional Precautions clean of shared bathroom.

Dedicated commode required
Move to a private room with dedicated bathroom as soon as possible

Considerations for cohorting:

- Cohorting with same organism
- Incontinence/control of body fluids
- Immune status
- Cognitive impairment
- Compliance with hand and personal hygiene
*Refer to the VCH Diseases and Conditions Table
for organism specific information

