

Point-of-Care Risk Assessment

Do I need PPE?



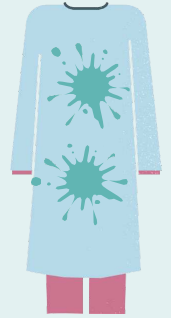
Before ANY interaction with the patient/client or their environment:

Could my clothes or skin come in contact with body fluids, including splashes or sprays?

i.e. urine, soiled linen, blood



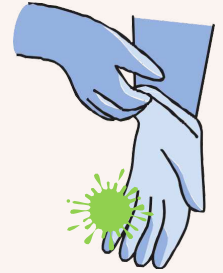
If yes, wear a gown



Could my hands come in contact with soiled surfaces, bodily fluids, non-intact skin, or mucous membranes?

Gloves do not replace hand hygiene

If yes, wear gloves



Could my eyes, face, or mucous membranes be splashed or sprayed with body fluids or will I be within 2 meters of a coughing or vomiting resident?

If yes, wear eye protection & mask



Clean your hands.

Practice good hand hygiene by cleaning your hands with alcohol based hand rub (ABHR) or soap and water .

