**Donning Personal Protective Equipment Checklist for Highly Contagious Diseases**

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Health Care Provider (HCP) Signature Date/Time

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Trained Observer (TO) Signature Date/Time

Reminder: HCP do not perform CPR or fight with patients when wearing PERSONAL Protective Equipment (PPE)

1. Trained Observer (TO) in clean area with checklist for donning observes process and reads aloud steps.
2. Before donning HCP will remove all personal times and change into hospital scrubs, hospital socks, and washable hospital footwear. Ensure long hair is up on head and confined with disposable hair items and/or hairnet.
3. TO reminds HCP to use restroom prior to donning of PPE.
4. Select proper sizes of PPE and inspect for serviceability by TO and HCP.
5. Tyvek coverall preparation:
6. Select proper size coverall suit
7. Cut hood off the suit
8. Cut zipper flap from suit
9. Cut thumb holes just before cuff end (approximately 1 inch hole).
10. Perform hand hygiene with Alcohol Based Hand Cleaner (ABHC) and allow to air dry.
11. Put on inner gloves with extended cuffs preferably dark gloves are used as inner gloves.
12. Put on coveralls with gloved thumbs into thumb loops to ensure extended cuffs are under sleeves. Ensure coveralls are large enough to allow freedom of movement.
13. Put on outer glove (second pair) with extended cuffs over sleeves of coverall using lighter colored gloves if available.
14. Put on proper fitting N95 mask with seal test.
15. Don apron. TO can assist tying apron behind back of HCP. Cut off apron cuffs.
16. Put on surgical hood that covers all hair and extends past neck onto shoulders.
17. Don face shield
18. TO will verify donning process
19. HCP will disinfect outer gloves with ABHC
20. HCP can enter high risk work area
21. EMS/HCP should not drive vehicles while wearing PPE due to decreased peripheral vision from PPE.
22. TO will log time HCP enters high risk work area and remind HCP when to leave work area, approximately one hour.