

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

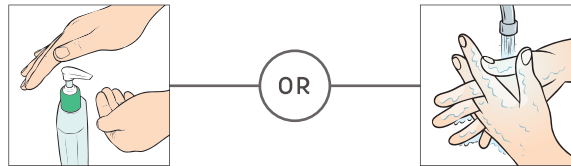
For some pathogens, PPE may be augmented and the procedure modified.

SEQUENCE FOR **PUTTING ON** PPE

PREPARATION

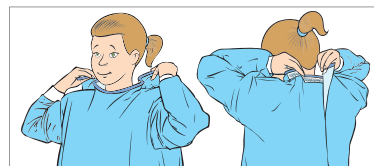
- › Check to make sure PPE is in good condition and the correct size.
- › Remove jewelry, tie back long hair.

PERFORM HAND HYGIENE



1 GOWN

- › Don gown, fasten at back of neck and waist.

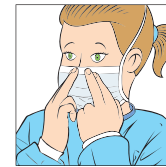


2 MASK

- › Place mask or mask with face shield on face, covering the nose and chin, and fasten.



- › Mold nose strip to bridge of nose.



OR

RESPIRATOR

- › Cup the respirator in your hand, letting the straps hang.



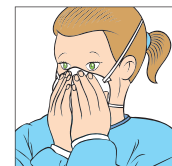
- › Place respirator over nose and chin.



- › Grasp top strap and place on crown of head; grasp bottom strap and place on neck below hairline.

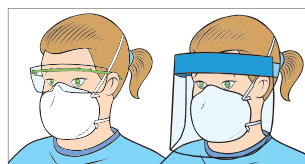


- › If there is a nose strip, mold it to nose and test the seal of the respirator.



3 EYE PROTECTION

- › Don goggles or face shield.



4 GLOVES

- › Don gloves, extend to cover wrist of gown.

