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Product	Discard	Reuse	Extended Use	Additional Information
N95 respirator 	Discard if visibly soiled or contaminated with blood or body fluids	Use for entire shift. At end of shift, put N95 in designated bin for reprocessing. When not in use, store in brown paper bag in designated area. If participating in a high-risk aerosol-generating procedure*, place the N95 in the bin for reprocessing and obtain another one.	When leaving one COVID room and immediately entering another COVID room, keep N95 on.	If using a reprocessed N95, flatten the nose piece prior to donning and molding. Perform seal test to ensure best fit.
Face shield 	Face shield with foam forehead piece: Discard if visibly soiled or contaminated with blood or body fluids	Face shield with foam OR plastic forehead piece: Clean and disinfect between uses using hospital-approved disinfectant wipes. Allow to dry. If clear shield becomes cloudy, wipe it off with a wet paper towel and then dry with a dry paper towel.	When leaving one COVID room and immediately entering another COVID room, keep face shield on.	Face shields with foam forehead piece should be discarded at end of shift unless you are instructed to clean and store it per your local leadership. Face shields with plastic forehead piece can be dismantled, disinfected and reassembled at end of shift for reuse by incoming staff.
Gowns 	Disposable gowns should be doffed after providing care and put in trash.	Reusable gowns should be doffed after providing care and placed in the designated linen bag to be cleaned and returned for later use.	N/A	Gowns come in multiple sizes and colors. Contact Command Center for appropriate size.
Shoe covers 	Discard prior to exiting patient room	N/A	N/A	N/A
Linen bag for reusable gowns 	N/A	Once laundry bag is 3/4 filled, put in designated spot for pickup.	N/A	Pick up is done by the Logistics/Materials team.
Brown bags with handles for storing N95 and face shield (DUH only) 	Discard when soiled or no longer needed	Label with name and date. Use to store N95 and face shield when not in use. Store in bag in designated area on unit.	Can be used for shift and multiple shifts when stored appropriately in designated space	This is only for storing N95 and face shield. Surgical mask or earloop mask should NOT be stored in this bag. Use the small brown bag provided upon entering Duke facility.
Small brown bags for storing earloop or surgical mask 	Discard when soiled or no longer needed	Label with name and date. Use to store surgical or earloop masks.	N/A	This is for storing face masks. Do not store N95 in the same bag as earloop or surgical mask.
Face masks (surgical, tie, earloop/procedural) 	Discard when soiled or upon leaving the Duke facility at end of shift	N/A	Wear face mask at all times while in the Duke facility. It can be worn between patients.	Periop personnel: Refer to Face Masks and Face Shields: Instructions for Instructions of Extended Use and Reuse. When caring for patients on droplet/contact precautions, face shield should be worn to protect mask for safe, extended use.

For additional supplies, please contact the Command Center Supply Center: 984-245-6394

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* See list of high-risk aerosol-generating procedures on page 3 of "N95s and Face Shields: Instructions for Extended Use and Re-Use" in document library.