Discharge Room Cleaning and Down Time Recommendations

For PPE while patient is in the room, refer to PPE guidelines for your setting

Asymptomatic/Non-PUI

- Does care involve and aerosol generating procedure or instrumentation of the airway in a patient with an unknown status?
  - NO
    - Clean post discharge per standard precautions. No time delay
  - YES

Confirmed Positive

- Room Cleaning Procedures Post Discharge based on updated measured airflow in each area
  - All Negative & Positive Pressure Rooms: Sit empty for 30 min then clean per standard precautions EXCEPT Urgent Care Center: Sit empty for 10 min, then clean per standard precautions
  - All Neutral Air and Retro-fitted Rooms: Sit empty for 1 hour then clean per standard precautions
  - All ORs (Including L&D): Sit empty for 10 min then clean per standard precautions.
  - Please keep precautions sign up after discharge so EVS knows how to clean
  - Indicate time on door when it is safe to clean room to help EVS know when to clean.
  - EVS will remove precautions signs when room is cleaned.

PUI

- Is care intervention an Aerosol Generating Procedure (AGP)?
  - NO
    - Examples include: In-line suction of intubated patients Routine care interactions - Coughing

  - YES
    - Examples include: Intubation & Assist Extubation Bag/Mask Ventilation Mechanical Ventilation CPR All Nebulized Med Deliver *See page 3 of the PPE guidelines for complete list
    - Clean post discharge per standard precautions. No time delay

Guided by the CDC recommendations for the use of PPE in the care of patients with COVID-19

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