

Coverall Doffing Sequence

Viral Hemorrhagic Fever (Ebola)

Note: PPE **Buddy** wearing appropriate PPE stays on “clean” side to assist with doffing.

1. REMOVE VISIBLE SOIL FROM PPE



If there is visible soil on PPE:

- **HCP** will soak up all body fluids with an absorbent product (incontinence pad, etc.) using a blotting action. Immediately discard the product into biomedical waste container.
- Wipe the affected spots of PPE with AHS approved disinfectant wipe and immediately discard wipe into biomedical waste container. Allow PPE to dry.



If gloves become visibly soiled, use AHS approved disinfectant wipe to remove contamination and immediately discard wipe into biomedical waste container. Allow gloves to dry.

2. GLOVES



Remove gloves with care.



Drop gloves into biomedical waste container.

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3. APRON



Buddy tears back of apron at neck and unties apron



HCP pulls thumb loops loose.



HCP slides hands into apron. Grasps apron at shoulders pulling apron down and away from body folding outer surfaces toward each other.



HCP gently folds apron and drops into biomedical waste container.

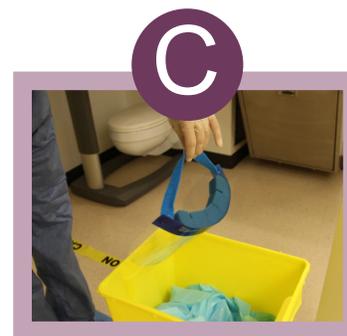
4. FACE SHIELD



Do not touch front of face shield.



Bend slightly forward, pull strap gently forward and lift over head and away from face.



Drop face shield into biomedical waste container.

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5. FULL-NECK HOOD

A



HCP faces **Buddy** and leans forward.

B



Buddy grabs back of hood and pulls forward over head and away from face. Discard hood into biomedical waste container.

C



Buddy removes and discards gloves.

D



Buddy performs hand hygiene.

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6. COVERALLS

A



Buddy puts on new gloves.

B



Buddy unsticks flap and unzips coverall.

C



Buddy removes and discards gloves.

D



Buddy performs hand hygiene.

E



Buddy puts on new gloves.

F



HCP turns back towards **Buddy**, who is on the clean side. **Buddy** grasps inside of hood and rolls backwards on itself.

G



Buddy continues to roll coveralls back and down.

H



Buddy rolls coveralls off shoulders. **HCP** holds arms at side, slightly away from body so **Buddy** can roll coveralls off arms.

I



Buddy continues to roll coveralls down to ankles, being very careful not to touch scrubs.

J



HCP removes and discards inner gloves.

K



HCP performs hand hygiene.

L



HCP dons new set of gloves.

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6. COVERALLS CONTINUED

M



HCP sits on chair on contaminated side.
Buddy or **HCP** pulls off coveralls, one foot at a time. Shoe covers will be removed with the coveralls as one piece.

N



HCP puts feet on clean side as they are removed from coveralls and stands up. Discards coveralls into biomedical waste container.

O



HCP removes gloves.

P



HCP performs hand hygiene.

7. BOUFFANT HEAD COVER

A



Pull bouffant head cover backwards off head.

B



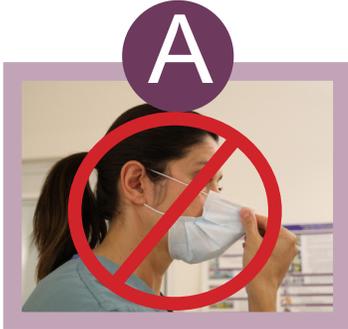
Drop head cover into biomedical waste container.

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8. MASK/N95 RESPIRATOR

8A. MASK



Do not touch front of mask.



Remove personal eye glasses, if worn. Bend slightly forward and remove by grasping loops.

8B. N95 RESPIRATOR



Remove personal eye glasses, if worn. Bend slightly forward and remove by grasping bottom band.



Remove top band and carefully remove respirator from face.



Drop respirator into biomedical waste container.

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9. HAND HYGIENE

A



Use an alcohol-based hand rub. Put on personal eye glasses.