



BCWH: COVID +ve Surgical Patient Decision Algorithm

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What's New?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Decision algorithm on proceeding or delaying a surgical procedure for COVID +ve surgical BCWH patients• Includes instructions that are to be provided to patients BCWH Surgical Screening Algorithm
Why?	Outlines the process medical leads and most responsible providers are to follow when a surgical patient tests positive for COVID.
How does this affect my practice?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Decision algorithm involves medical leads, most responsible provider (MRP), other surgical team members, clinical nurse leader, patient's registered nurse, and the patient.
Who do I contact for further information?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Contact your unit/program clinical educator or nurse leader(s) or charge nurse.2. Speak with program manager, medical lead and/or MRP.