



Infection Prevention and Control Practice

Donning and Doffing of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

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What's New?	<p>Procedures for donning and doffing personal protective equipment have been updated.</p> <p>This applies to all staff at BC Children's Hospital and BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre.</p>
Why?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To align with BCCDC Coronavirus COVID-19 donning and doffing procedures.• To ensure best and safe practices
How does this affect my practice?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Donning and doffing of personal protective equipment is a basic skill for all staff; in light of COVID-19 staff are to review and practice these procedures.
How do I find out more?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Talk to your Infection Control Practitioner, Educator or CRN.2. See ePOPS for the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Donning of Personal Protective Equipment• Doffing of Personal Protective Equipment
Who do I contact for further information?	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Contact your unit/program clinical educator or nurse leader2. Page the Infection Control Practitioner at: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Local 2161 or pager 41-02411 Monday to Friday 0800-1600 <p>After Hours page the Infection Control Officer through paging 2161</p>