### Service/Procedure

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| **GI (endoscopy) / Endoscopies, colonoscopies** | • Use respirators for all endoscopies/colonoscopies  
  • Location: GI lab  
    o Keep door closed during procedure and 30 minutes post procedure | PAPR, gown, gloves for everyone in the room |
| **OTO/Procedures generating aerosols** | • Use respirators for all Oto procedures generating aerosols  
  • Location:  
    o Preference for those requiring OR: OR iso rooms  
    o Ambulatory patients: perform in negative pressure ambulatory room. (approx. 1 per month)  
    o Acute Care/ICU: 1st choice-OR iso, 2nd choice-ED, 3rd choice-in room with door closed  
  • COVID-19 test negative in an asymptomatic patient within 72 hours: can use normal standards of care  
  • COVID-19 and influenza negative in a symptomatic patient within 72 hours: can use normal standards of care | CAPR, gown, gloves |
| **Anesthesiology/Intubation, extubation** | Non-emergent, asymptomatic | Location: all  
  • Anesthesia only during and 30 minutes after intubation/extubation  
  • COVID test negative in an asymptomatic patient within 72 hours: can use normal standards of care | Anesthesia: CAPR or N95(extended wear) with face shield, gown, gloves  
  Other OR staff  
    • Asymptomatic: mask, gown, gloves  
    • Symptomatic: Strict Isolation PPE  
  EVS  
    • May enter room 30 minutes after the last aerosol generating procedure  
    • Mask, gown, gloves  
  Note:  
    • Exploring additional OR iso rooms  
    • Reserve 8 CAPRS for emergencies |
| | Symptomatic | Location: OR iso rooms  
  • All staff use strict isolation PPE  
  • COVID-19 and influenza negative in a symptomatic patient within 72 hours: can use normal standards of care |
| | Emergent | If symptomatic: OR iso rooms with Strict isolation  
  • If asymptomatic: use process above for non-emergent cases with 30 minute precautions |
| **General surgery/Appendicitis** | • Admit in strict iso, start antibiotics per protocol, test for COVID-19  
  • If improved with 24 hours antibiotics, discharge home on antibiotics  
  • If no improvement and surgery needed, follow above anesthesia guidance based on urgency and symptoms | follow above anesthesia guidance based on urgency and symptoms |
| **Intubations in all locations** | • Respirators, gowns, gloves should be used for all intubations and extubations. Wait 30 minutes to return to standard of care. | CAPR or n95 (with face shield), gown, gloves and limited personnel |
For patients being maintained on mechanical ventilation determine need for ongoing aerosol-generating procedures and precautions.

Patients with a COVID negative test during the present hospitalization and without new or worsening symptoms, can use normal standards of care.

| Procedures/diagnostic radiology | Follow above anesthesia guidance based on urgency and symptoms | Follow above anesthesia guidance based on urgency and symptoms |