## **PPE Use Protocol: Sun River Health Staff**

Locations	Personnel	PPE Use	Instructions
Direct Patient Contact- Non- clinical care	Physicians, PA, NP, Clinical Staff (Nurses, MA, MT) Dental Staff (Dentist, DH, DA) Patient Representatives, D & S Specialists, Behavioral Staff, Optometrist, and Podiatrist, Community Engagement staff, Program directors, Art Therapists	<ul> <li>KN95</li> <li>Full Face Shield, Goggles, or Googles optional</li> <li>Gloves for non-contact clinical activity (specimen handling, etc)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mask upon entry</li> <li>During Work Hrs @ desk and on floor</li> <li>Wash or Sanitize Hands after removal of mask</li> <li>Follow 5 Moments of Hygiene</li> <li>Double masking with a medical procedure mask is allowed but not required</li> </ul>
Direct Patient Contact- <u>Clinical Care</u>	Physicians, PA, NP, Clinical Staff (Nurses, MA, MT), Phlebotomist, Optometrist, and Podiatrist	<ul> <li>N95 user seal checked with surgical mask over</li> <li>Full Face Shield, Goggles, or Googles</li> <li>Gloves for patient contact</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mask upon entry</li> <li>During Work Hrs @ desk and on floor</li> <li>Wash or Sanitize Hands after removal of mask</li> <li>Follow 5 Moments of Hygiene</li> <li>Double masking with a medical procedure mask</li> </ul>
Direct Patient- Contact  Dental or Medical  Aerosolization, High risk of body fluid exposure; COVID Testing for COVID Suspect Cases	Dental Staff (Dentist, DH, DA), Medical Staff conducting aerosol generating procedures (ie: Nebulizer treatment, High flow O2 delivery)	<ul> <li>Disposable fluid resistant gowns</li> <li>N95 Mask</li> <li>Surgical/Procedure Mask over N95</li> <li>Full Face Shield or Goggles or Googles</li> <li>Gloves</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mask upon entry</li> <li>During Work Hrs @ desk and on floor</li> <li>Wash or Sanitize Hands after removal of mask</li> <li>Follow 5 Moments of Hygiene</li> <li>Do not use a cloth face mask to protect the medical mask</li> </ul>

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Direct Patient Contact- Non-Clinical	Patient Representatives, Patient Navigators, Care Managers, and ADHC Staff	<ul><li>KN95</li><li>Googles with Frames and Lenses</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Mask upon entry</li> <li>During Work Hrs @ desk and on floor</li> <li>Hand Sanitize before first patient and after each patient</li> <li>Wash or Sanitize Hands after removal of mask</li> <li>Follow 5 Moments of Hygiene</li> </ul>
Embedded Agencies HRHCare Health Centers- <u>Providing</u> non-clinical Care	WIC, Suffolk County Chest and TB Department	KN95 (inside Administrative or Clinical Space)	<ul> <li>Mask upon entry</li> <li>During Work Hrs @ desk and on floor</li> <li>Wash or Sanitize Hands after removal of mask</li> <li>Follow 5 Moments of Hygiene</li> </ul>
Administrative/Non- Clinical Locations	All Employees	Procedure Mask or KN95	<ul> <li>Mask upon entry</li> <li>During Work Hrs @ desk and on floor</li> <li>Wash or Sanitize Hands after removal of mask</li> <li>Follow 5 Moments of Hygiene</li> </ul>

## **PPE Exceptions**

- 1. A face mask is not required if you are working in your office alone. You must wear a face mask when stepping out of your office or when another person enters your office. This includes fully vaccinated individuals.
- 2. A face mask is not required when eating or drinking
- 3. Maintain 6 feet of distancing during eating. Stagger lunch breaks among staff as much as possible. Eat alone in an office when available.

#### **User Seal Check**

# Check the Seal of Your Filtering Facepiece Respirator Each Time You Don the Respirator.



Positive Pressure User Seal Check

For Non-Valved Respirators

Place both hands completely over the respirator and *exhale*. The respirator should bulge slightly. If air leaks between

the face and faceseal of the respirator, reposition it and readjust the nose clip for a more secure seal. If you cannot achieve a proper seal, **do not** enter the contaminated area. See your supervisor.



Negative Pressure User Seal Check

For Valved Respirators

Place both hands over the respirator and *inhale* sharply. The respirator should collapse slightly. If air leaks between the

face and faceseal of the respirator, reposition it and readjust the nose clip for a more secure seal. If you cannot achieve a proper seal, **do not** enter the contaminated area. See your supervisor.

### **Donning and Doffing/CDC Guidance**

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/downloads/A FS HCP COVID19 PPE.pdf

