CONSERVE N95 RESPIRATORS, EYEWEAR, AND FACE SHIELDS
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Safety notes: When wearing an N95 respirator, do not wear face makeup of any kind as it interferes with the cleaning and disinfecting process. Facial hair around the face and chin may interfere with the seal. Remove or trim facial hair in these areas to ensure a proper seal.

Re-use eyewear and N95 respirators that are not visibly soiled or damaged

Discard eyewear and N95 respirators that are soiled, wet, damaged, and hard to see or breathe through

1. Remove gown and gloves inside patient room/area
2. Remove gloves, perform hand hygiene, put on new gloves
3. Wipe down eyewear and shields

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Perform hand hygiene

Exit patient room/area

Perfom hand hygiene, put on new gloves

Place a wipe on table, place eyewear on wipe

Remove N95 respirator—lower strap first, then upper strap

Store N95 in a paper bag.

Mark it with your name, department, and facility.

Remove gloves, perform hand hygiene, put on new gloves

Wash hands with soap and water

Place eyewear and shield upside down on clean table to dry.

Store eyewear and shield in a patient belongings bag.

Remove Gloves

Your Personal Storage Bag