

Minimum COVID-19 PPE Recommendations

Personal Protective Equipment During the Pandemic

It is important to note that this table outlines the minimum PPE requirements in each practice setting to protect against COVID-19 infection. PPE requirements may differ depending on employer policies, the level of community transmission and service being provided.

Pharmacy Setting	Respirator	Facemask	Cloth Mask	Eye Protection (Goggles/Face Shields)	Gloves	Gowns/Coveralls
Community		✓	If no facemask is available	In areas with moderate to substantial community transmission		
Clinic: Suspicion of COVID-19	✓	If no N95 is available		✓	✓	✓
Clinic: No Suspicion of COVID-19		✓	If no facemask is available			
Hospital: Suspected or confirmed COVID-19 Patient	✓	If no N95 is available		✓	✓	✓
Hospital: Not Suspected of COVID-19		✓	If no facemask is available			
All settings: Patients			✓			

Pharmacy Service	Respirator	Facemask	Cloth Mask	Eye Protection (Goggles/Face Shields)	Gloves	Gowns/Coveralls
Immunizations		✓		In areas with moderate to substantial community transmission		
Testing Site	✓	If no N95 is available		✓	✓	✓

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