Cleaning and Disinfection Instructions for Eye/Facial Protection

Required Equipment

A Reusable Eye Protection (goggles, safety glasses, faceshields without foam)

If reusable eye protection is visibly contaminated or soiled:

1. Don new pair of exam gloves.
2. Using one disinfectant wipe at a time, and first squeezing excess disinfectant into a sink to prevent splash to face, thoroughly wipe the interior, followed by the exterior of the facial protection.
3. Ensure all surfaces remain wet with disinfectant for at least 1 minute (or applicable disinfectant wipe contact time).
4. Equipment may be rinsed with tap water if visibility is compromised by residual disinfectant.
5. Allow to dry (air dry or use clean absorbent towel).
6. Remove gloves and perform hand hygiene.
7. Store in a designated clean area.

If reusable eye protection is not visibly contaminated or soiled:

1. Don new pair of exam gloves.
2. Using one disinfectant wipe at a time, and first squeezing excess disinfectant into a sink to prevent splash to face, thoroughly wipe the interior, followed by the exterior of the facial protection.
3. Ensure all surfaces remain wet with disinfectant for at least 1 minute (or applicable disinfectant wipe contact time).
4. Equipment may be rinsed with tap water if visibility is compromised by residual disinfectant.
5. Allow to dry (air dry or use clean absorbent towel).
6. Remove gloves and perform hand hygiene.
7. Store in a designated clean area.

B Faceshield with Visor & Foam for Forehead Comfort

If foam piece is visibly soiled: DO NOT REUSE.

If faceshield appears damaged or compromised: DO NOT REUSE.

If faceshield is visibly contaminated or soiled (but foam piece is not):

1. Don new pair of exam gloves.
2. Using one disinfectant wipe at a time, and first squeezing excess disinfectant into a sink to prevent splash to face, thoroughly wipe the interior, followed by the foam band, strap exterior, and exterior of the visor.
3. Ensure all surfaces remain wet with disinfectant for at least 1 minute (or applicable disinfectant wipe contact time).
4. Equipment may be rinsed with tap water if visibility is compromised by residual disinfectant.
5. Allow to dry (air dry or use clean absorbent towel).
6. Remove gloves and perform hand hygiene.
7. Store in a designated clean area.

If faceshield is not visibly contaminated or soiled:

1. Don new pair of exam gloves.
2. Using one disinfectant wipe at a time, and first squeezing excess disinfectant into a sink to prevent splash to face, thoroughly wipe the interior, followed by the foam band, strap exterior, and exterior of the visor.
3. Ensure all surfaces remain wet with disinfectant for at least 1 minute (or applicable disinfectant wipe contact time).
4. Equipment may be rinsed with tap water if visibility is compromised by residual disinfectant.
5. Allow to dry (air dry or use clean absorbent towel).
6. Remove gloves and perform hand hygiene.
7. Store in a designated clean area.

If possible, the same person should reuse a single faceshield with foam.

Cleaning products required:
Soap (e.g. dish soap), sink or running water and disinfectant wipes (e.g. Accel wipes)

PPE required:
Exam gloves (Vinyl or Nitrile)

If you have fever, a new cough, or are having difficulty breathing, call 8-1-1.
Non-medical inquiries (ex. travel, physical distancing): 1-888-COVID19 (1888-268-4319) or text 604-630-0300