

Infection Control Bio-terrorism Checklist

| Patient Management Med-Air Negative Pressure Rooms are: Room without Med-Air: IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS: Infectious Disease Service xxx-xxxx Infection Control xxx-xxxx, ER xxx-xxxx, USAMRIID 301-619-2833, CDC Emerg. Response Office 770-488-7100. | BACTERIAL AGENTS | Anthrax | Brucellosis | Cholera | Glanders (rarely seen) | Bubonic Plague | Pneumonic Plague | Tularemia | Q Fever | VIRUSES | Smallpox | Venez. Equine Encephalitis | Viral Encephalitis | Viral Hemor. Fever | BIOLOGICAL TOXINS | Botulism | Ricin | T-2 Mycotoxins | Staph. Enterotoxin B |
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| Isolation Precaution | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Standard Precautions for all aspects of patient care | | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X |
| Contact Precautions | | | X | | | | | | | | X | | | X | | | | | |
| Airborne Precautions | | | | | X | | | | | | X | | | X | | | | | |
| Use of N95 mask by all individuals entering the room | | | | | | | X | | | | X | | | X | | | | | |
| Droplet Precautions | | | | | | | X | | | | | X | | | | | | | |
| Wash hands with antimicrobial soap | | | X | X | | | | | | | X | | | X | | | | | |
| Patient Placement | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No restrictions | | X | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | X | X | X | X |
| Cohort 'like' patients when private room unavailable | | | | X | | X | X | | X | | | | X | | | | | | |
| Private Room | | | X | X | X | X | X | | | | X | X | | X | | | | | |
| Negative Pressure | | | | | | | | | | | X | | | X | | | | | |
| Door closed at all times | | | | | X | | | | | | X | | | X | | | | | |
| Patient Transport | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No restrictions | | X | | | | | | X | X | | | | X | | | X | X | X | X |
| Limit movement to essential medical purposes only | | | X | X | X | X | X | | | | X | X | | X | | | | | |
| Place mask on patient to minimize dispersal of droplets | | | | | X | | X | | | | X | X | | X | | | | | |
| Cleaning, Disinfection of Equipment | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Routine terminal cleaning of room with hospital approv. disinfectant upon discharge | | | | X | X | | | X | X | | X | X | X | | | X | X | X | X |
| Disinfect surfaces with bleach/water sol. 1:9 (10% sol.) | | X | X | | | X | X | | | | | | | X | | | | | |
| Dedicated equipment that is disinfected prior to leaving room | | | X | | | | | | | | X | | | X | | | | | |
| Linen management as with all other patients | | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X |
| RMW handled per WRAMC policy | | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X |
| Discharge Management | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No special discharge instruction necessary | | X | | X | X | | | X | X | | | | X | X | | X | X | X | X |
| Home care providers need to be taught principles of Standard Precautions | | X | X | | | X | X | | | | | | | X | | | | | |

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| Not discharged from hospital until determined no longer infectious | | | | | | X | | | | | X | | | X | | | | | |
| Patient usually not discharged until 72 hours of antibiotics completed | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Post-mortem Care | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Follow principles of Standard Precautions | | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X |
| Droplet Precautions | | | | | | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Airborne Precautions | | | | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | |
| Use of N95 mask by all individuals entering the room | | | | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | |
| Negative Pressure | | | | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | |
| Contact Precautions | | | | | | | | | | | X | | X | | | | | | |
| Routine terminal cleaning of room with hospital approv. disinf. upon autopsy | | | X | X | X | | | X | X | | X | X | X | X | | X | X | X | X |
| Disinfect surfaces with bleach/water sol. 1:9 (10% sol.) | | X | | | | X | X | | | | | | X | | | | | | |

STANDARD PRECAUTIONS - Standard Precautions prevent direct contact with all body fluids (including blood), secretions, excretions, non-intact skin (including rashes) and mucous membranes. Standard Precautions routinely practiced by health care providers include: **Hand washing, gloves** when contact with above, **mask/eye protection/face shield** while performing procedures that cause splash/spray, and gowns to protect skin and clothing during procedures.