

Current COVID-19 Guidance

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Guidelines for Screening in Person

SCREENER puts on appropriate PPE



PATIENT/VISITOR presents



SCREENER immediately offers person a mask if not already wearing one. Ask patient to don mask before proceeding, unless person is physically unable to mask.



PATIENT/VISITOR must answer four screening questions



Additional information about screening questions:

- » Exposure to a Covid-positive person is defined as closer than 6 ft for more than 15 mins. (Excludes healthcare workers wearing approved PPE.)
- » Patients with a negative COVID-19 test result within the past 48 hrs can proceed through a standard visit.



If patient answers yes to any screening question, please contact house supervisor or department manager for assistance.

“For your safety and ours, I am going to ask a (team member/manager/nurse) to speak with you before we proceed.”



House supervisor/Department manager should identify the safest next steps to help the patient continue their care, and communicate those with the patient.