DROPLET PRECAUTIONS

To be followed in addition to Routine Practice Residential Care

VISITORS REPORT TO THE NURSES' STATION

BEFORE ENTERING ROOM

PATIENT PLACEMENT



- Private room preferred, if unavailablemaintain a distance of a 2 meters between residents
- Door may be left open

MASK/PROTECTIVE EYEWEAR



• Wear procedure mask and protective eyewear for contact within 2 meters of the resident

HAND HYGIENE



Must be done:

- Before and after any contact with resident and the environment
- After removing gloves
- Use soap and water if hands are visibly soiled

RESIDENT TRANSPORT



- Limit transport of resident to essential purposes only
- Resident must wear a procedure mask during transport
- Notify receiving department of isolation precautions