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 unavailable-
  maintain 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

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