# ENHANCED DISINFECTION REQUIRED (Use sign in addition to appropriate Precautions sign)



### EVS LEADER/INFECTION PREVENTION TO SELECT BOXES BELOW THAT APPLY

Utilize Specific disinfectant(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Disinfect any item leaving room (e.g., meal trays, trash cans, medical equipment, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Use of secondary environmental cleaner (e.g., UV, H2O2 Vapor, electrostatic sprayer, etc.):

Frequency of high touch cleaning: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

Sign to be removed by Environmental Services after precaution discontinuation and room cleaned.



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#### Display outside door. At patient discharge, remove sign AFTER room is terminally cleaned.

## FOR USE WITH CONDITIONS SUCH AS (refer to facility policy):

- Multi-drug resistant organisms (MDRO) and pathogens of epidemiological concern as determined by Facility Policy.
- CPOs, XDROs, VRSA, CRAB, C. auris. ENSURE TO FOLLOW MANUFACTURERS

#### INSTRUCTION FOR CLEANING SUPPLIES

• Ensure that proper PPE is worn for pathogen exposure <u>AND</u> any chemical exposure from cleaning supplies.

#### LINEN & WASTE MANAGEMENT

 Bag linen in patient's room. Avoid excessive handling and do not shake linen. For biohazard waste, follow Category B Medical Waste guidelines.

#### **DISINFECT ANYTHING LEAVING ROOM**

• Carts, cell phones, sharps containers, bed, wheelchair, etc. are required to be disinfected prior to leaving room.

#### **ROOM CLEANING**

- <u>Refer to policy for timing and/or additional</u> <u>disinfectants.</u>
- Enhanced cleaning procedures (e.g., high touch points, hourly, methodology) with addition of privacy curtain changes per hospital procedure.
- Refer to policy for terminal cleaning.

#### **EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES**

- Minimize the number of items that are taken into the room. Ideally
- Only essential equipment and supplies in the room.
- Use dedicated/disposable equipment when available.
- Maintain abundant supplies of consumables.
- Clean and disinfect reusable equipment/patient's room with disinfectant per facility policy.

#### LAB SPECIMENS/BLOOD TESTS:

- Bring in only the supplies needed to collect ordered samples.
- Exterior of specimen containers will be wiped down, then specimens double-bagged and bag wiped prior to leaving room.

#### Discontinue precautions per Facility Policy.

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