COVID-19: Adult Inpatient

Is the patient admitted for COVID-19? (Yes/No)

**Yes**

Patient meets the following criteria:
- Patient has new onset symptoms concerning for COVID-19
- Symptoms not related to hospital transfer
- Physician identifies patient as Person Under Investigation (PUI)

**No**

*Enroll in confirmed COVID pathway and order isolation*

**Order Initial Tests**

- Non-immunocompromised, not going to ICU
  - At clinician discretion - COVID only or COVID panel (see below)
  - COVID-19 only asymptomatic STAT, includes:
    - NP sample (COVID, Flu A/B and RSV)
    - Isolation Precautions
      - Contact
      - Special Respiratory
    - Pathway admission order
    - COVID-19 labs

- Immunocompromised or going to ICU
  - COVID-19 & RSV Panel (symptomatic), includes:
    - NP sample (COVID & RSV)
    - Isolation Precautions
      - Contact
      - Special Respiratory
    - Pathway admission order
    - COVID-19 labs

*Start Isolation Precautions*

- RN please contact pathologist and patient isolation sign on door (COVID-19)
- Place a surgical mask on the patient (COVID-19)
- Containment for patients who are unable to wear masks
- Place a surgical mask on anyone who accompanies the patient, even if they have no symptoms (COVID-19)
- If imaging is needed, follow COVID-19 imaging SOP

*Request Negative Pressure Room*

- Order: Bed Request for Negative Pressure Room
- Depending on room availability, the patient may stay in their room with the door closed
- Masking required unless undergoing an aerosol-generating procedure
- Place a surgical mask on anyone who accompanies the patient, even if they have no symptoms.
- If imaging is needed, follow COVID-19 imaging SOP

*Post Discharge Follow-up*

ED Staff Member to Notify Patient of Results

**No**

Order COVID-19 testing

**Order COVID-19 Only Asymptomatic STAT Panel**

- Rapid NP sample
- Isolation Precautions
- Contact
- Special Respiratory
- Pathway admission order

**Pathway enrollment order**

*Discharge (Patient can be discharged with COVID-19 results pending)*

**No or not tested**

*Discharge normally without testing*

**Yes**

*Post Discharge Follow-up*

ED Staff Member to Notify Patient of Results

**COVID-19 Results?**

- Yes
- Follow: Confirm COVID-19 Pathway
- Pending
- Negative
- Follow: Confirmed COVID-19 Pathway

**Negative**

Follow this tip sheet to discontinue the following:
- Special Respiratory Precautions (SRP)
- Contact Precautions
- COVID-19 PUI pathwawy enrollment order

**Positive**

Order COVID-19 testing

**Order COVID-19 Only Asymptomatic STAT Panel**

- Rapid NP sample
- Isolation Precautions
- Contact
- Special Respiratory
- Pathway enrollment order

**Pathway enrollment order**

*Discharge (Patient can be discharged with COVID-19 results pending)*

**No or not tested**

*Discharge normally without testing*

**Yes**

Order COVID-19 testing

**Order COVID-19 Only Asymptomatic STAT Panel**

- Rapid NP sample
- Isolation Precautions
- Contact
- Special Respiratory
- Pathway enrollment order

**Pathway enrollment order**

*Discharge (Patient can be discharged with COVID-19 results pending)*

**No or not tested**

*Discharge normally without testing*

**Yes**

Order COVID-19 testing

**Order COVID-19 Only Asymptomatic STAT Panel**

- Rapid NP sample
- Isolation Precautions
- Contact
- Special Respiratory
- Pathway enrollment order

**Pathway enrollment order**

*Discharge (Patient can be discharged with COVID-19 results pending)*

**No or not tested**

*Discharge normally without testing*