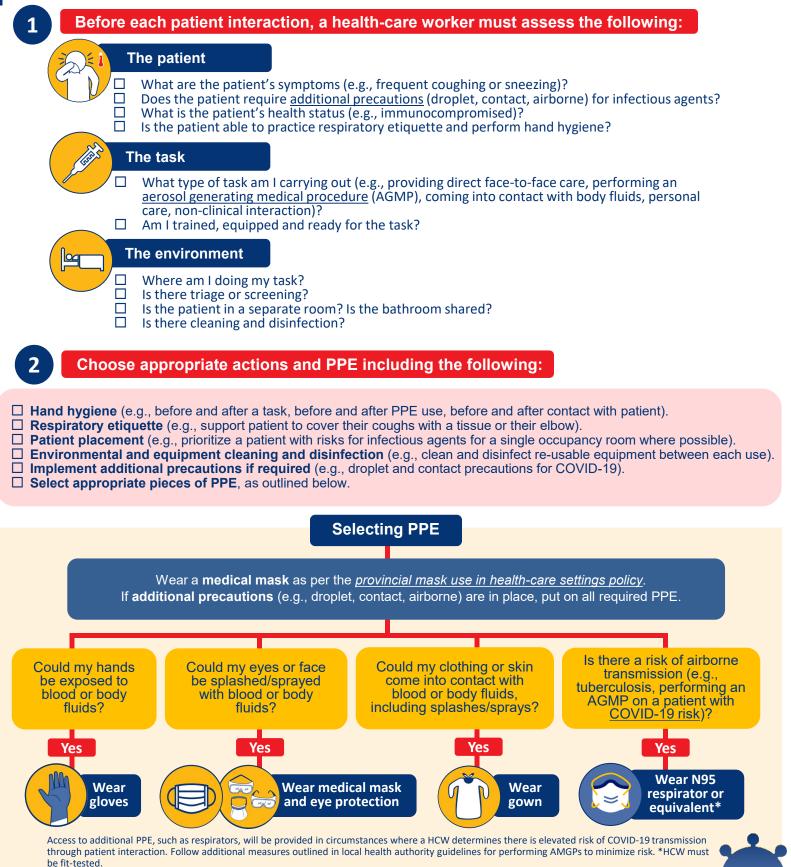
Point-of-Care-Risk Assessment (PCRA)

The PCRA is a <u>routine practice</u> which should be conducted before every patient/client/resident (hereafter 'patient') interaction by a health-care worker (HCW) to assess the likelihood of exposing themselves and/or others to infectious agents. This assessment informs the selection of appropriate actions and personal protective equipment (PPE) to minimize the risk of exposure. This is a general tool. The questions and actions may need to be adapted for specific health-care settings and roles.



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