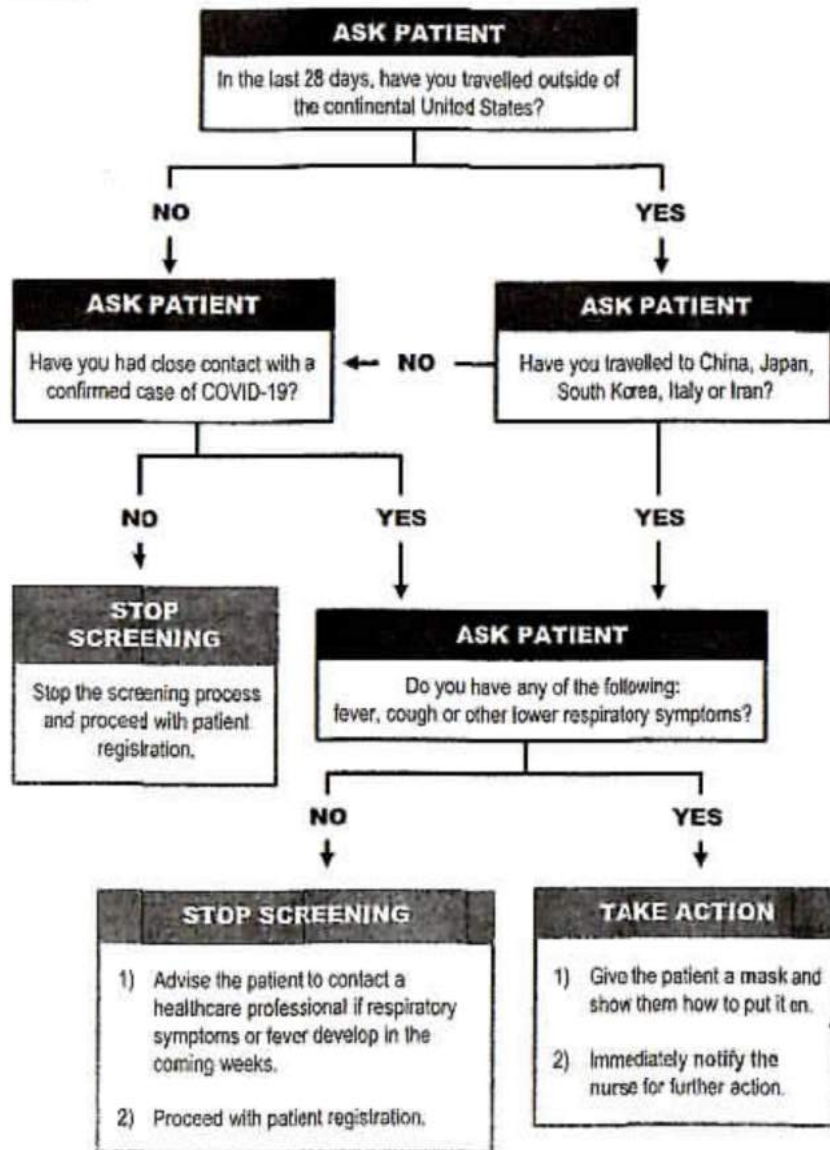


Outpatient Guidelines for Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Reminder: All patients with respiratory symptoms require Droplet Precautions.

1 IDENTIFY PATIENTS (SCREENING)



2 ISOLATE PATIENT IF SCREENING IS POSITIVE

Isolate any patient who screens positive for travel and/or close contact, who also has symptoms until a provider determines the patient is not a patient under investigation (PUI).

Complete the following steps immediately:

- (1) Ensure the patient is wearing a mask.
- (2) Place the patient in a private room and provide information about isolation. If necessary, they may remove the mask once in a private room. Ensure the patient has a way to communicate (e.g. call bell, cell phone, etc.).
- (3) Close the door and place a "DO NOT ENTER."
- (4) If the patient is clinically stable, staff must remain outside the room. Avoid entering the room and do not open the door.
- (5) During an emergency, all staff entering the room must wear PPE. See bottom of document for outpatient PPE. For emergencies, call 911 or your normal contact for emergencies. Inform them the patient may be under investigation for COVID-19.

3 INFORM INFECTION CONTROL

Immediately call your Johns Hopkins Infection Control contact. See page 2 for contact information. Infection Control will:

- Notify the health department
- Advise disposition of the patient
- Determine transport method
- Provide guidance on cleaning the room

DO NOT transfer the patient without first speaking to your Johns Hopkins Health System Infection Control contact.

Outpatient PPE: Do not perform any patient care. PPE is only worn to enter the room or communicate with them in person.



Gloves



Fluid resistant gown with thumb loops



Second pair of gloves



Surgical mask with face shield

Important Numbers

Johns Hopkins Health System Infection Control Contacts

Howard County General Hospital	301-655-9973 and 301-580-5095
Johns Hopkins All Children's Hospital	727-767-8677 Pager 727-825-4085
Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center	410-550-0515 410-283-7641 (after hrs.)
Johns Hopkins Home Care Group	443-721-3508
Johns Hopkins Hospital, Johns Hopkins Outpatient Center, David M. Rubenstein Child Health & Harriet Lane Clinic	410-955-8384 Pager 410-283-3855
Johns Hopkins Medicine nonhospital practice sites/clinics (e.g., Johns Hopkins Community Physicians, White Marsh, Green Spring Station, Odenton, freestanding ASCs)	410-955-8384 Pager 410-283-3855
Sibley Memorial Hospital	202-660-5865 Pager 301-483-1011
Suburban Hospital	301-896-4104 Pager 240-603-2557
University Health Services	410-369-6913 and 443-392-1984
Kennedy Krieger Institute	443-923-9452 After hours 443-520-9629
Johns Hopkins Medicine Healthcare Epidemiology and Infection Control	410-955-8384 Pager 410-283-3855 intranet.insidehopkinsmedicine.org/heic
Johns Hopkins Office of Critical Event Preparedness and Response (CEPAR)	410-735-6450 Pager 410-283-0027 After hours 443-668-5121 www.hopkins-cepar.org/

NOTE: When you call a pager, it will ask you to enter a numeric message after the tone. After the tone, enter your call back number and then hit pound (#).

Health Departments

Allegheny County
301-759-5112
24 hr. 301-759-5000

Baltimore County
410-887-6011
24 hr. 443-832-7182

Frederick County
301-600-3342
24 hr. 301-600-0311

Montgomery County
240-777-1755
24 hr. 240-777-4000

Arlington, Virginia
703-228-5266

Anne Arundel County
410-283-3855

Carroll County
410-371-4000

Harford County
410-326-1774

Prince Georges County
301-583-3750

Washington, DC
202-442-8141
24 hr. 202-462-3450

410-222-7256
24 hr. 443-481-3140

410-876-9900
24 hr. 443-547-4628

410-812-1779
24 hr. 443-243-5726

301-583-3750
24 hr. 240-508-5774

24 hr. 844-993-2652

Baltimore City
410-396-4436
24 hr. 410-396-3100

Charles County
301-609-6810
24 hr. 301-932-2222

Howard County
410-313-1412
24 hr. 410-313-2929

Washington County
240-313-3210
24 hr. 240-313-3210

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