

DO I NEED A MASK?



At Sunnybrook, our day-to-day infection control practices help keep us safe to prevent outbreaks and the spread of infection. Washing your hands is one of the effective methods of keeping yourself healthy. There are times when other precautions need to be taken.

Most roles at Sunnybrook do not require a mask. You do not have to wear a mask if you are not involved directly in patient care.

WHEN TO WEAR A MASK

Direct contact with patients who have respiratory symptoms and a confirmed travel history to a country of concern (*currently China*)

- N95 respirator (*fit tested, and seal checked*)
- Face shield
- Gown
- Gloves



Direct contact with patients with respiratory symptoms but no travel history to a country of concern (*currently China*)

- Mask with Integrated Visor
- Gown
- Gloves



Those involved with screening patients may want to use mask with integrated visor.



You do not need a mask for lower risk interactions, such as patient reception or ambulatory education.

