

**COVID-19 INFECTION CONTROL AND PREVENTION IN OPHTHALMOLOGY OFFICES PRE-APPROVED TEMPLATE**

**Title:** Use of PPE and Environmental Control to Decrease the Transmission of COVID-19

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<b>Project Description</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The correct use of PPE should be implemented by staff and physicians.</li> <li>• Environmental control to include proper cleaning and disinfecting rooms and equipment.</li> </ul>
<b>Background Information</b>	No availability of correct PPE in the clinic.
<b>Project Setting</b>	Group Practice Multi-Specialty Group
<b>Study Population</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Having proper PPE available both to our department and the clinic.</li> <li>• Implement training and use of PPE.</li> <li>• Implement training and completion of sanitation habits.</li> </ul>
<b>Quality Measures</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Access various resources and recommendations to PPE and environmental control and make changes accordingly.</li> <li>• Measure adherence to policies and outcomes of transmission rates.</li> </ul>
<b>Project Interventions and Improvement Period</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Staff use of masks, physicians use of masks and protective eye wear and/or slit lamp guards.</li> <li>• Changing the recommendations for availability of PPE to our department and clinic (i.e. there should be N95 masks in some supply).</li> <li>• Review and train on cleaning of rooms and equipment.</li> </ul>
<b>Project Team:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Partner - needs to agree on changes.</li> <li>• Office staff - needs to attend training and apply changes.</li> </ul>

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Section 2. Project Evaluation**

You will complete section 2 via your MOC Status page after you have implemented the project. The information necessary to complete section 2 is provided below.

**PROJECT SUMMARY:**

Review the effect and adjustment of implementing the policy changes after a minimum of 30 days and in the following sections, please prepare a brief summary of the project highlighting the data collected, effectiveness of the measurement approach, interventions and the overall impact of the project.

**BASELINE DATA:**

Quantify each of the quality indicators / performance measures described above for the baseline period (before interventions for improvement were introduced).

**FOLLOW-UP DATA:**

Quantify each of the quality indicators / performance measures described above for the re-measurement period (the period following implementation of the interventions for improvement).

**PROJECT IMPACT:**

Compare the baseline data to the re-measurement / follow-up data and quantify the impact of the process of care changes (your project interventions). The project hopefully resulted in improvement; however, some projects may result in a diminution in quality. If a lack of improvement or reduction in quality occurred, suggest other strategies that might be more effective.

**PROJECT REFLECTION:**

Do you feel that the project was worthwhile, effective?  Yes /  No

How might have you performed the project differently?

Please offer suggestions for other ophthalmologists undertaking a similar project: