

INFECTION CONTROL FOR FOOD SERVICES

KITCHEN



Wash hands on entry



Standard cleaning and sanitising will destroy any germs



The dishwasher will destroy any germs



Wear gloves and an apron, no other PPE required

WARD



Wash or sanitise hands on ward entry, exit and after touching patient surrounds



Enter the room for ordering meals (paper-based and tablet)



Enter the room to deliver and collect meals/mid-meals



Wear gloves for tray collection. No other PPE required



Single-use wares and foam trays are not required

CONTACT PRECAUTIONS



Wash or sanitise hands on ward entry, exit and after touching patient surrounds



Enter the room for ordering meals (paper-based and tablet)



Enter the room to deliver and collect meals/mid-meals



Wear gloves for tray collection. For each contact precaution room: remove gloves, wash hands and re-apply new gloves. No other PPE required



Single-use wares and foam trays are not required

Where room has a combined contact AND droplet precautions, follow droplet precautions

DROPLET PRECAUTIONS



Wash or sanitise hands on ward entry and exit



Do not enter the room. Take orders via phone/non-contact method



Do not enter the room. Deliver meals/mid-meals and collect tray/trolley from designated area



Wear gloves to collect trolley and pick up food tray from outside patient room. For each droplet precaution room: remove gloves, wash hands and re-apply new gloves. No other PPE required



Single-use wares and foam trays are not required

Where room has a combined contact, droplet AND airborne precautions, follow airborne precautions

AIRBORNE PRECAUTIONS



Wash or sanitise hands on ward entry and exit



Do not enter the room. Take orders via phone/non-contact method



Do not enter the room. Deliver meals/mid-meals and collect tray/trolley from designated area



Wear gloves to collect trolley and pick up food tray from outside patient room. For each airborne precaution room: remove gloves, wash hands and re-apply new gloves. No other PPE required



Single-use wares and foam trays are not required