

Isolation Precautions

Attachment 2: Quick Glance for Respiratory Panel Isolation Precautions*

Respiratory Panel	Precautions		
	Type*	Duration †	Comments
Influenza A Influenza B Adults	D	7 days adults	Droplet Precautions. Single patient room when available or cohort; avoid placement with high-risk patients; mask patient when transported out of room.
Pediatric and immunocompromised persons of all ages		10 days for pediatric and/or immunocompromised patients	
Adenovirus	D, C	DI	Precautions until no longer symptomatic or returned to baseline respiratory status
Metapneumovirus	D,C	DI	Precautions until no longer symptomatic or returned to baseline respiratory status
Parainfluenza 1 Parainfluenza 2 Parainfluenza 3 Parainfluenza 4	D, C	DI	Precautions until no longer symptomatic or returned to baseline respiratory status.
RSV	D, C	DI	Precautions until no longer symptomatic or returned to baseline respiratory status, except in NCCC. Infants in NCCC will remain on precautions for 1 month after positive test.
Rhino/Entero	D, C	DI	Precautions until no longer symptomatic or returned to baseline respiratory status
Coronavirus (not SARS)	D, C	DI	Precautions until no longer symptomatic or returned to baseline respiratory status
Coronavirus (SARS-CoV2)	SAC	See link	Per Discontinuation of Isolation Criteria for COVID Patients protocol
<i>Mycoplasma pneumoniae</i>	D	DI	Precautions until no longer symptomatic or returned to baseline respiratory status

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<i>Chlamydia pneumoniae</i>	D	DI	Precautions until no longer symptomatic or returned to baseline respiratory status
<i>Bordetella pertussis</i>	D	For 5 days of appropriate therapy	Precautions until patient has completed 5 days of appropriate therapy
<i>Bordetella parapertussis</i>	D	For 5 days of appropriate therapy	Precautions until patient has completed 5 days of appropriate therapy

***When a Respiratory Viral/Pathogen Panel is sent the patient should be placed on Droplet plus Contact Precautions until test finalized and then follow precautions as listed above.**

DI = Duration of Illness (until symptoms have resolved)

D = droplet precautions.

C = contact precautions.

S = standard precautions.

SAC = special airborne and contact precautions