

DOH SURVEY ; QUESTIONS ASKED...SUGGEST YOU EDUCATE YOUR STAFF TO PREPARE... YOU CAN GIVE OUT A FACT SHEET:

1.Q: Do you have COVID rooms ? Which rooms are COVID ? : All Staff must know where your designated units are!!! Update your Covid information to staff daily !

ANSWER: STATE WHERE YOUR DESIGNATED UNITS ARE AS WELL AS THOSE ROOMS WITH SUSPECT CASES

***** Suggest you use color coding when your units are divided ie East wing: Covid positive: Dtoplet/contact precautions have a Red Dot. West wing non covid Green Dot**

Color coding helps staff understand what to do and saves al your Signs Put one large Sign Contact /Dtoplet on the Fire doors to that unit and keep door closed

2.Q: When does your staff change PPE

Answer: PPE must be changed when contaminated...staff should know what contaminated means!!!

3. Q: How does your staff know which rooms are COVID

Answer: There should be postings and info on all assignments as well as Notification to all staff all shifts so they know the appropriate answers and your systems

4.Q: How do you do hand washing ?

Answer: use your hand wash policy..wash hands with soap and water after touching any hard surface etc, before and after taking off gloves/care... post CDC Hand wash posters everywhere!!!!

5.Q: How do you take off PPE ?

Answer: follow policy, PPE is removed with inside to the outside and discarded in regulated waste

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They interviewed_CNAs_and House keepers on the units and asked them:

1. Q How do you know when to change your PPE ?

A. when contaminated> go over definition from policy

2.Which rooms are COIVD?

Answer: Cnas and Housekeeping should have a daily assignment and daily update on designated units or rooms

3.Q:What do you wear in a COVID room ?

Answer: PPE is a gown/mask and gloves and facemask if resident has resp sx

4. Q: How do you take off PPE?

Answer: follow policy, PPE is removed with inside to the outside and discarded in regulated waste

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