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Donning of PPE - PAPR and Coverall Checklist

Donning of F	PE - PAPR and Coverall (Checklist	Room#
Healthcare Personnel Name:		Date:	Time:

Trained observer – CLEAN DONNING AREA
Use a checklist
Healthcare worker has attended to personal needs (hydration/restroom)
Remind that you will be reviewing the steps aloud and to repeat back
Remind steps should be done slowly and methodically
Remove personal clothing and items – visual inspection
Clean surgical scrubs/disposable clothing
Shoes (closed toe and heel – no holes, washable I.E. rubber or plastic
No personal items (pager, phone, watches, jewelry, pens, ID badge, etc.)
Hair pulled back from face, neck and back
☐ Nails short – no longer than ¼"
Visually inspect the PPE ensemble (HC worker with trained observer watching)
Serviceable condition
All required PPE and supplies available
Sizes selected are correct for the healthcare worker
PAPR – Follow all manufacturer instructions
Test PAPR battery and airflow
Ensure PAPR hood is intact – no visible cracks
Reviews donning sequence with the healthcare worker aloud step-by-step
Perform Hand hygiene – Allow hands to dry
In between fingers
Backs of hands
Wrists
Boot covers (sit on chair)
Ensure all areas of foot are covered (boot covers snug over ankle)
☐ Put on inner gloves
Put on coverall - Inspect for integrity
Proper sizing
Put on coverall with zipper in the front
Tuck inner gloves under sleeve of coverall
Thumb hooks or taping of coverall (tab created folding tape over at end for removal)
Put on PAPR (attach hose to PAPR battery pack)
The Trained Observer will hold the respirator at the small of the back while HC worker fastens the belt around waist snugly and
secures any loose straps
☐ The PAPR battery pack/ filter unit should be on the outside of the coverall to ensure proper airflow
Put on outer glove (trained observer may need to assist)
Cuffs over sleeves of coverall
Put on PAPR Hood
Put on the single use (disposable) PAPR hood that that fully covers the neck and extends over the shoulders
Attach PAPR tube to the PAPR hood, making sure the tube is snapped and fits and then turn on the PAPR battery pack and filter
unit
Put on apron (if vomiting or diarrhea)
The healthcare provider should have an unobstructed field of vision through the hood. A mirror in the room can be a useful tool
for the healthcare provider while donning PPE to do a self-check.

Donning checklist v1: 15 November 2014 http://www.cdc.gov/vhf/ebola/hcp/ppe-training/PAPRRespirator Coveralls/donning 01.html

