

# **CONTACT PRECAUTIONS**

(In addition to Standard Precautions)

# **STAFF and PHYSICIANS**



## **Gloves**

#### **Always**

• Hand hygiene before donning



#### Gown

**Always** 



### Equipmen

**Dedicate equipment** 

Disinfect with disinfectant wipes between patients



#### For essential purposes only

#### **Patient:**

- Clean gown
  - Hand hygiene

Staff: Clean gown & gloves only if patient transported in own bed or contact with blood or body fluids expected

# **VISITORS, STAFF and PHYSICIANS**



When you enter and each time you leave the room, either: Use waterless foam

- 1. Apply foam. Spread thoroughly over hands.
- 2. Rub until dry.

## **OR Wash hands.**



- 1. Apply soap to wet hands. Wash 15-20 seconds. Rinse completely.
  - 2. Dry hands with paper towel. Use a towel to turn off water.