

Additional Guidelines for Clinical Infection Prevention & Control Preparedness

1. Create a written Exposure Control Plan in compliance with OSHA standard 29 CFR 1910.1030, even if you are a sole proprietor. A written plan must be reviewed and updated annually.
 - a. Template for [Exposure Control Plan](#) (update with your information and sign)
2. Identify potential high touch surfaces encountered by patients from their mode of transportation to your clinic entry: doors, elevators etc.
3. Assess modifications to clinic entry setting for appropriate infection control during screening (prop entry door so patient does not touch handle)
 - a. Take vitals: blood pressure, temperature, pulse rate, height and weight
 - b. Diagnostic tools for purchase: [Medix Source](#) [Henry Schein](#)
4. Assess number and layout of treatment rooms (allowable distance, ventilation, surfaces to disinfect)
5. Assess number of patients treated in a single room
6. Assess adjust space between treatment tables/chairs
7. Assess patient access to hand sanitizer. (The CDC is recommending hand sanitizer with 60-75% alcohol for use in medical settings)
8. Assess provision of tissues and non-touch waste disposal for cough etiquette
9. Document your inventory of supplies needed for infection control (outside the standard supplies described in the CNT manual)
 - a. Gloves
 - b. Facemasks, for providers, staff and patients.
 1. [See guide 1 and guide 2](#) on face mask selection
 2. PPE Supplier: [AHRMM](#)
10. Review requirements for disinfection of environmental surfaces.
 - a. [Information](#) on surface disinfectants
 - b. [Information](#) on furniture
 1. Antimicrobial [swivel chair](#)
 2. Antimicrobial [armrest chair](#)
11. Healthcare appropriate attire
 - a. Scrubs/medical wear
 1. [Importance](#) of medical uniforms

2. Medical wear/scrub vendors:

1. [Uniform Advantage](#)
2. [Allheart](#)
3. [Scrubs & Beyond](#)
4. [Jaanuu](#)
5. [Medelita](#)
6. [Figs](#)
7. [The Uniform Outlet](#)

- b. Non-medical clothing worn for practice should be changed prior to and post workday treatments.