

# Transporting COVID Positive or Rule-Out Patients

1. **Mask** ALL patients unless clinically contraindicated
2. **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)** for staff
3. **Avoid** AGPs during transport, if AGPs are required:
  - **Reduce** staff and time of transport
    - i. Consider a dedicated transport team
    - ii. Establish shortest route
    - iii. Notify receiving destination
  - Utilize a **Runner** to hold elevators and clear path
  - Patient must be **Roomed** immediately

## Aerosol Generating Procedures (AGP) Required During Transport

- CPR
- BiPAP or CPAP
- Nebulizer
- Others as medically necessary



## Staff wear Modified Droplet PPE

- Gown, Gloves
- Mask
- Eye Protection



Mask patient



- **Staff wear Modified Droplet with AGP PPE**
  - Gown, gloves
  - Respirator
  - Eye Protection
- **Reduce** staff and time of transport
- Utilize a **Runner** to hold elevators and clear path
- Patient must be **Roomed IMMEDIATELY**



- **Mask the patient and/or equipment as able**
  - Non-rebreather with medical mask
- **DO NOT COVER** the patient with a passive barrier