Steps to remove personal protective equipment (PPE) for Ebola/Marburg disease: Gown and headcover



Always remove PPE under the supervision of a trained buddy.

- 1. Perform glove disinfection of outer gloves with ABHR or soap and water.
- 2. a. Untie or break apron strap from the back/waist. b. Remove apron leaning forward and keeping it away from the body. If disposable apron place in waste bin. If reusable/heavy duty apron place in bucket for decontamination.
- 3. Perform glove disinfection of outer gloves with ABHR or soap and water.
- 4. Remove outer pair of gloves and dispose of them safely in waste bin. If heavy duty gloves used place in bucket for decontamination.
- 5. Perform glove disinfection of inner gloves with ABHR or soap and water.



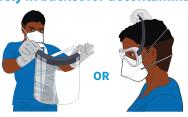
6. Remove head and neck covering from back to front and dispose of it safely in waste bin.



- 7. Perform glove disinfection of inner gloves with ABHR or soap and water.
- 8. Remove the gown from back to front rolling it from inside to outside and dispose of it safely in waste bin.



- 9. Perform glove disinfection of inner gloves with ABHR or soap and water.
- 10. Remove eye protection by lifting the strap from behind the head and dispose of it safely in waste bin. If reusable eye protection is used, place safely in bucket for decontamination.



- 11. Perform glove disinfection of inner gloves with ABHR or soap and water.
- 12. Remove mask from behind the head by first lifting the bottom strap above the head and leaving it hanging in front; and then lift the top strap from behind head and dispose of it safely in waste bin.



- 13. Perform glove disinfection of inner gloves with ABHR or soap and water.
- **14.** Remove inner gloves and perform hand hygiene with ABHR or soap and water.











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- 15. Step into 0.5% chlorine foot bath. Step out of the foot bath and remove rubber boots without touching them.
- **16.** Perform hand hygiene with ABHR or soap and water.