

CODE NRP/HIGH RISK DELIVERIES IN A COVID-19 SUSPECT/POSITIVE MOTHER

General guiding principles to reduce potential exposure to health care workers where it relates to aerosol-generating procedures with high consequence pathogens, include minimizing staff and equipment entering room and modifying processes where possible.

This process map aims to identify procedures that are not within routine practice. The assumption is that all standards of care and best practices continue to be employed with the addition of these modifications.

All team members at the bedside will don Contact, Droplet and Airborne Precautions. If the newborn is admitted to the NICU, the newborn is to be transferred in an isolette (if there are no isolettes available, and the newborn is not on respiratory support, a bassinet may be used). Contact and Droplet precautions to be maintained unless AGMPs are required in which additional Airborne PPE is required

