

This unit is in a **Confirmed Outbreak**

Organism: _____

ATTENTION

STAFF:

When in an outbreak, follow these steps to minimize risk of transmission:

- ✓ **Be diligent with hand hygiene.**
- ✓ **Remind and assist our clients to perform hand hygiene properly.**
- ✓ **Assist visitors to use PPE properly.**
- ✓ **Disinfect commonly used items before and after use (i.e., stethoscope).**
- ✓ **Do not float to a non-outbreak unit if you have already started work on an outbreak unit.**
- ✓ **Wear clothing that is easily laundered in hot soapy water and dried in a hot dryer after every shift.**
- ✓ **Remove all food and drinks from the nursing station.**
- ✓ **Remove shared items from staff rooms (i.e., magazines, food trays).**
- ✓ **Non-dedicated staff/support staff must wear PPE for every client. Using new PPE for every client and performing appropriate hand hygiene.**

VISITORS:

- ✓ **Perform hand hygiene with alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water before and after your visit.**
- ✓ **Only meet with one client per hospital visit.**
- ✓ **Visitors are restricted to 2 people at a time.**
- ✓ **If you are ill, please delay your visit until you are well.**
- ✓ **Avoid sitting on or setting your belongings on the client bed.**