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Outline of possible COVID-19 related scenarios.

Scenario #1 non-ambulatory Supported individual is d/c from hospital post stay of 24hrs or more

- Individuals returns to their home and self-isolates in room
 - o Contact/droplet precautions initiated (staff wear PPE when interacting with individual)
- Individual is monitored for signs and symptoms

Scenario #2 ambulatory supported individual is d/c from hospital post stay of 24hrs or more

- Individuals returns to Wilson St home and self-isolate, unless able to self-isolate in own room
 - o Contact/droplet precautions initiated (staff wear PPE when interacting with individual)
- Individual is monitored for signs and symptoms

Scenario #3 Non-ambulatory and ambulatory supported individual visits Emerg for non-COVID-19 related reason

- Individuals return to their home and resumes regular activities
- Individual is monitored for signs and symptoms

Scenario #4 Supported individual exhibits COVID-19 symptoms in home – the following guidelines are general in nature – each case will be managed on a case-by-case basis

- Individual tested for COVID and kept in self-isolation (in room) until test results return
 - o Contact/droplet precautions initiated (staff wear PPE when interacting with individual)
- If test results are negative, individual resumes normal activities
- If test results are positive, individual remains in self-isolation with contact/droplet precautions for 14 days after symptom onset

Scenario #5 Staff member visits Emerg for non- Covid-19 related reason

- If staff member is asymptomatic, they can return to work
- Monitor for signs and symptoms

Scenario #6 Staff member exhibits COVID-19 Symptoms

- Staff member is tested for COVID-19 and remains in self-isolation until test results return
- If negative, return to usual duties 24 hours after symptoms resolve
- If tested positive, remain in self-isolation for 14 days after symptom onset and return to work follows guidelines from public health for Health Care Workers

Staff managing clients in scenarios 1, 2, and 4 will wear PPE (procedure mask, face shield, gown and gloves) for duration of period of self-isolation. N 95 masks need only be worn when aerosol-creating devices (C-PAP etc.) are being used or procedure (suctioning, nebulizers) being performed.