

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

PPE is any item used to protect the eyes, face, head, body, arms, hands, legs, and feet such as gloves, goggles, helmets, head covers, protective gowns, booties, protective shields, or barriers, etc.

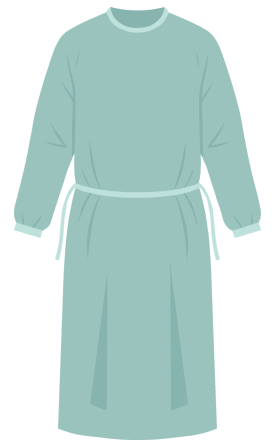


Gloves

Wear gloves if you can reasonably expect contact with hazardous chemicals, drugs, blood, potentially infectious mucous membranes, or other dangerous materials.

Protective clothing

Wear protective clothing that is appropriate to the task to protect skin and prevent soiling of clothing during procedures and activities that could cause contact with hazardous chemicals, drugs, blood, or body fluids.



Face and eye protection

Wear appropriate face and eye protection when splashes, sprays, or spatters of hazardous materials pose a risk to the eyes, nose, or mouth.

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) requires an **annual fit test** to confirm the fit of any respirator that forms a tight seal to a worker's face before they use it in the workplace.