

## Donning PPE for Obstetric theatre- Poole Maternity

Empty your pockets

Bleep must be left with outside runner

Use disposable pen if available

Wash hands thoroughly

| <b>General Anaesthesia ie AGP or high risk of conversion</b>               |                          |
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| <b>ALL PATIENTS</b>  |                          |
| <b>Sterile staff</b>   | <b>Non-Sterile staff</b> |
| (Apron – not essential)  | Long sleeved gown        |
| FFP3 mask  | FFP3 mask                |
| Hat  | Hat                      |
| Full visor   | Full Visor               |
| Then scrub   | Gloves                   |
| Sterile gown   |                          |
| 2 pairs sterile gloves<br>(you may put one on under<br>gown if you prefer) |                          |

| <b>Low risk of conversion to GA – any procedure</b><br><b>COVID SUSPECTED or POSITIVE</b> |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| Sterile staff   | Non-Sterile staff    |
| (Apron – not essential)   | Long sleeved gown    |
| Surgical face mask  | Surgical face mask   |
| Hat   | Hat                  |
| Visor/eye protection  | Visor/eye protection |
| Then scrub  | Gloves               |
| Sterile gown  |                      |
| 2 pairs sterile gloves<br>(you may put one on under gown if you prefer)                   |                      |

**IF EMERGENCY CONVERSION TO GA REQUIRED,  
DOFF and RE-DON as for AGP ABOVE**

| <b>Low risk of conversion to GA – any procedure</b><br><b>Asymptomatic patient</b><br>Pens/bleeps are permitted in theatre |                    |
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| Sterile staff  | Non-Sterile staff  |
| USUAL PRACTICE ie:   | Apron              |
| Surgical face mask   | Surgical face mask |
| Hat  | Hat                |
| Eye protection   | Gloves             |
| Then scrub   |                    |
| Sterile gown   |                    |
| 2 pairs sterile gloves   |                    |