

**Glove or no Glove?**

Use this checklist to make sure you’re

only using disposable gloves or aprons

 when it’s clinically necessary.

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| * Taking a patients observations
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| * Washing a patient
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| * Dressing a patient
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| * Feeding a patient
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| * Transporting a patient
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| * Completing paper or electronic notes
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| * Handling used linen unless soiled
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| * Preparing and administer IV medications
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| * Giving oral medications
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| * Mobilising i.e. Physiotherapy
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| * Assessing a patient
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| * Touching blood or any bodily fluid
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| * Taking a blood sample
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| * In contact with broken skin
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| * Handling hazardous chemicals
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| * Handling contaminated waste with blood and bodily fluids
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| * Handling sharp instruments contaminated with blood and bodily fluids
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| * In contact with an Infectious patient
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| * Dressing wounds
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**Wear gloves when: Don’t wear gloves when:**

**For more information search ‘glove use’ on ELFT Intranet**