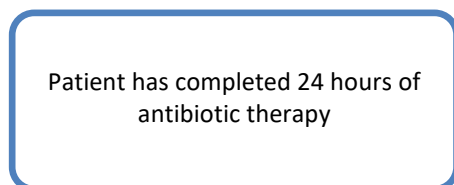
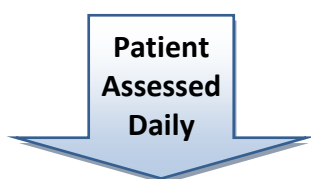
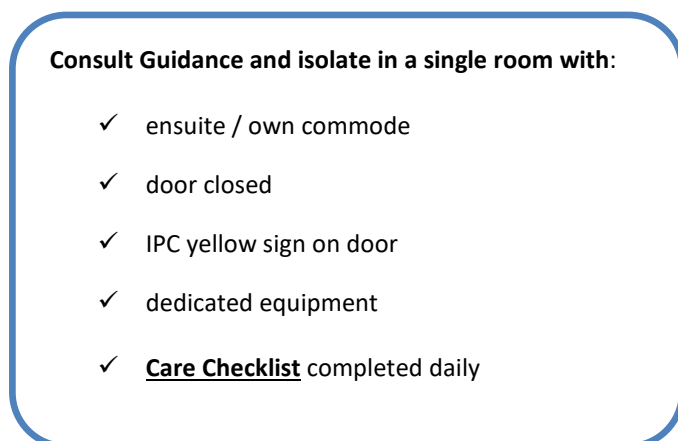
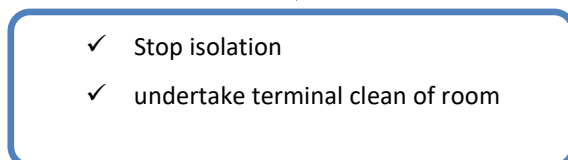
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The most up-to-date version of this guidance can be viewed at the following web page: <a href="http://www.nhsggc.scot/hospitals-services/services-a-to-z/infection-prevention-and-control">www.nhsggc.scot/hospitals-services/services-a-to-z/infection-prevention-and-control</a>			

## Meningococcal Disease Aide Memoire



NO

YES



### Guidance - for patients in isolation:

**Hand Hygiene:** Liquid Soap and Water or alcohol based hand rub

**PPE:** A fluid resistant surgical mask (FRSM), disposable yellow apron and disposable gloves should be worn for all routine care of the patient. If there is a risk of splashing/spraying of blood or body fluid eye protection should be worn. Fit tested FFP3 mask must be worn if Aerosol Generating Procedures (AGP) are undertaken and for appropriate fallow time period thereafter on a patient with a respiratory infection

**Patient Environment:** Twice daily chlorine clean

**Patient Equipment:** Chlorine clean immediately after use and twice daily.

**Laundry:** Treat as infectious

**Waste:** Dispose of as Clinical / Healthcare waste

**Incubation Period:** 2 – 10 days

**Period of Communicability:** Long term carriage is possible, not infectious after 24 hours of antibiotic therapy

**Notifiable disease:** Yes

**Transmission route:** Droplet.