

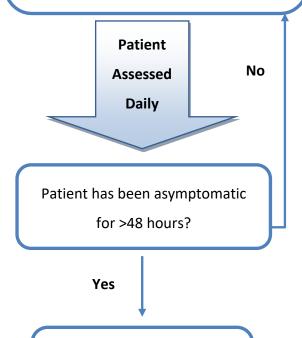
NHS GREATER GLASGOW & CLYDE CONTROL OF INFECTION COMMITTEE Review Date NOROVIRUS AIDE MEMOIRE Pec 2022 From Review Date Version 7

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Norovirus Aide Memoire

Consult guidance and isolate in a single room with:

- ✓ ensuite / own commode
- √ door closed
- ✓ IPC yellow sign on door
- √ dedicated equipment
- ✓ Bowel Movement Record
- ✓ Loose Stools Care Checklist completed daily



- ✓ Stop isolation
- ✓ Undertake terminal clean of room

Norovirus Guidance – Guidelines for patients in isolation:

Hand Hygiene: Liquid Soap and Water

PPE: Disposable gloves, yellow apron and fluid resistant surgical mask. Staff should risk assess the need for eye/face protection

<u>Patient Environment:</u> Twice daily chlorine clean

<u>Patient Equipment</u>: Chlorine clean after use and at least on a twice daily basis

Laundry: Treat as infected

<u>Waste:</u> Dispose of as Clinical / Healthcare waste

<u>Disease Symptoms:</u> Diarrhoea and vomiting

Incubation Period: 12 – 48 hours

<u>Period of Communicability:</u> While symptomatic and up to 48 hours after symptoms

Notifiable Disease: No

<u>Transmission Route:</u> Direct contact, indirect contact, droplet contact

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