



## COVID-19 PROTECTION

COVID-19 is a virus that started in China and is now spreading throughout the world. The concern for public health is that the death rate from this virus is higher than other respiratory infections.

At this time, Horizon staff are asked to take additional precautions to protect all patients and themselves.

1. Horizon clinicians will ask you about recent travel and respiratory conditions before entering your home.
2. Clinicians will direct patients and family members with respiratory symptoms to wear a mask while they are in the home, whether or not you have a firm diagnosis of COVID-19.
3. Clinicians will wear a mask and protective equipment if you have COVID-19.
4. We will instruct patients and family members to stay away from anyone with a respiratory infection.
  - a. Use separate bathrooms, towels, dishes, soap, bed, space
  - b. Maintain a six foot distance from an infected person
  - c. Keep pets away
5. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water. It should take the length of singing the ABC song.

