Aerosol Generating Procecures for COVID 19 positive patients and PUI - Operating Rooms

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NOTE: Institute airborne precautions and contact precautions with eye protection for all aerosol-generating procedures.

Surgical team must be capable of wearing N-95 respiratory protection for aerosol generating procedures. Otherwise OR should follow special droplet precautions.

***Aerosol generating procedures may include the following:**

- Cardiopulmonary resuscitation
- Manual ventilation before intubation
- Bronchoscopy
- Intubation/extubation
- Breaking the ventilator circuit
- Open suction of the repiratory tract
- Tracheotomy, tracheal intubation, placement or exchange of tracheostomy tubes
- Nebulizers
- High flow nasal cannula
- Continuous aerosol procedures
- CPAP
- Intrathoracic procedures
- ENT procedures

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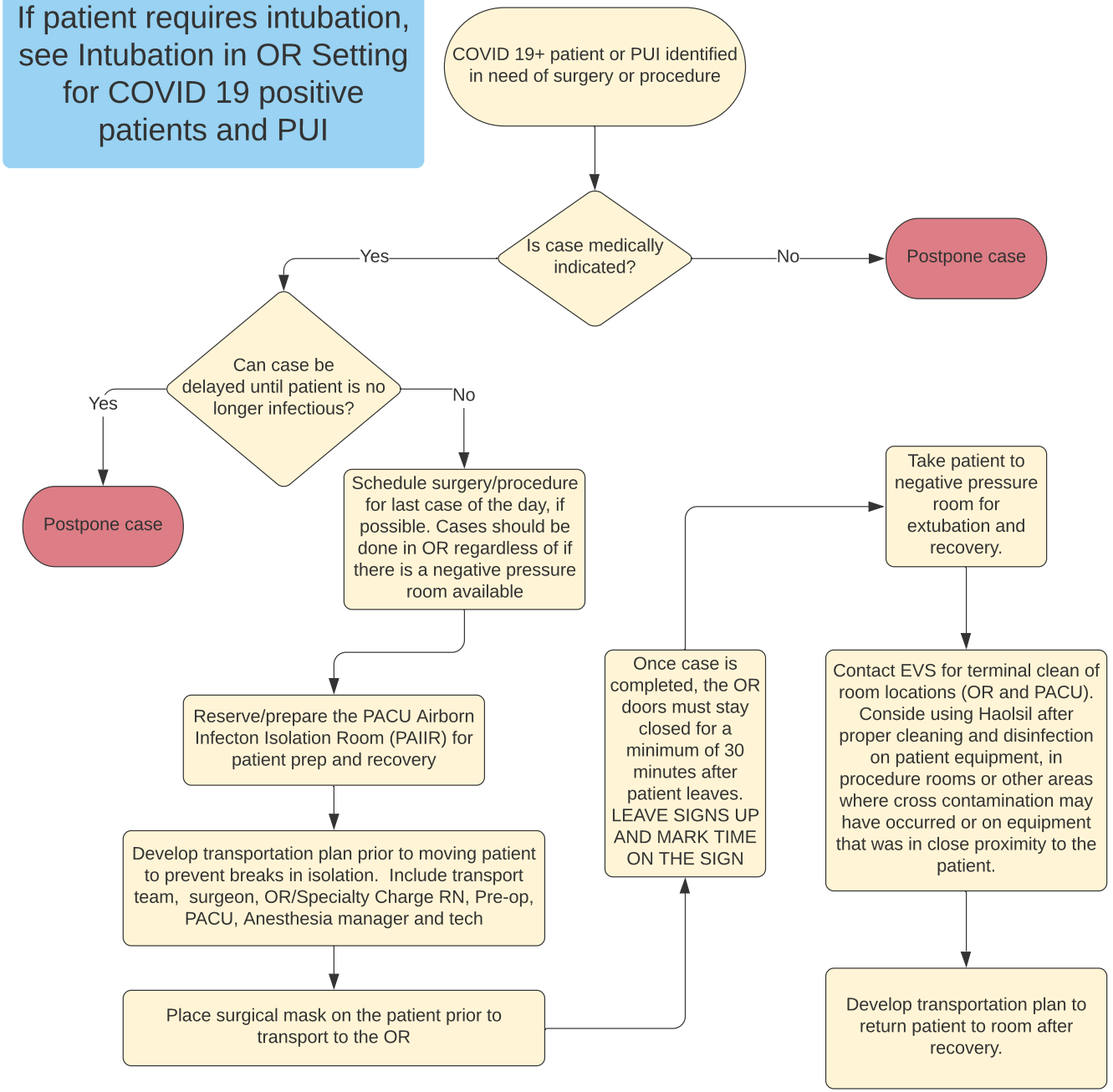
If patient requires intubation, see Intubation in OR Setting for COVID 19 positive patients and PUI



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