

## Sequence For **Donning & Doffing**

**Examination Gloves** 

## **How to Don Examination Gloves**



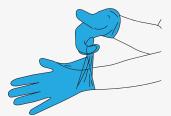
1 Once hand hygiene is performed, take the first glove



4 Remove second glove from packaging



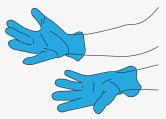
While holding the top edge of the cuff, carefully insert hand into the glove



Using the folded fingers of the gloved hand to gently ease your other hand into the glove

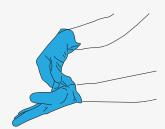


**3** Don the glove



6 Your gloved hands are now ready for

## **How to Doff Examination Gloves**



1 Grasp outside of glove with opposite gloved hand and peel off



2 Hold removed glove in gloved hand and slide fingers of hand under remaining glove at wrist



Peel glove off over first glove and dispose thoughtfully, followed by hand hygiene

## When Should Gloves be Changed?<sup>1</sup>

- 8 If the patient touches mobile equipment that is then moved to other rooms
- When caring for a single patient Setween episodes of caring for multiple patients

1. NHMRC (2010) Australian Guidelines for the Prevention and Control of Infection in Healthcare. Commonwealth of Australia

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