

Infection Control Checklist

Client Home Visits

Pre-Visit Preparation

Screening: Contact clients to screen for symptoms of infectious diseases before visits.

Supplies: Ensure PPE kit includes gloves, masks, aprons, hand sanitiser, disinfectant wipes, and waste disposal bags.

Staff Health Check: Verify staff are free of symptoms and have no recent exposure to infectious diseases.

Communication: Inform clients about infection control procedures and expectations during the visit.

Equipment Preparation: Disinfect all reusable equipment before leaving the base.

Arrival at Client's Home

Perform hand hygiene before entering the home.

Put on appropriate PPE before client interaction.

Assess the environment for cleanliness and safety.

Politely request any symptomatic household members to maintain physical distancing.

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During the Visit

Hand Hygiene: Wash hands before and after direct contact with the client.

Surface Cleaning: Disinfect frequently touched surfaces, including chairs, tables, and door handles.

Equipment Management: Use disposable equipment where possible and clean reusable items immediately after use.

Waste Management: Safely dispose of used PPE and clinical waste in designated bags.

Distancing: Maintain safe physical distancing except during essential care tasks.

Post-Visit Procedures

PPE Removal: Remove and dispose of PPE safely outside the client's home.

Hand Hygiene: Perform thorough hand sanitisation after PPE removal.

Equipment Disinfection: Clean and sanitise all reusable tools and equipment.

Incident Reporting: Record visit details and immediately report any infection risks or incidents.

Waste Disposal: Ensure clinical waste bags are labelled and disposed of as per applicable standards.