

JACKSON HEALTH SYSTEM MASKING UPDATE - LOW COVID-19 RISK LEVEL

PATIENT-FACING AREA	MASKING REQUIREMENT
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emergency departments • UHealth Jackson Urgent Care centers • Jackson Behavioral Health Hospital and Jackson South behavioral health inpatient unit • Corrections Health Services 	<p>Direct care of patients with symptoms of an acute respiratory infection.</p> <p>Immunocompromised patients, regardless of symptoms.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outpatient clinics, such as transplantation (solid organs and bone marrow), cystic fibrosis, dialysis, immunodeficiency, chemotherapy infusion • Any procedural units where there is higher risk for respiratory exposure, such as PFT lab and bronchoscopy 	<p>Direct care of patients, regardless of symptoms.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inpatient units/areas, including organ transplant, oncology and bone marrow transplant or any other room housing bone marrow transplant patients across Jackson, cystic fibrosis, neonatal ICUs, burn ICUs, dialysis, and immunodeficiency. 	<p>Direct patient care upon entering a room or within 3 feet of distance, regardless of symptoms.</p>
<p>MASKING IS <u>ALWAYS</u> REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING SCENARIOS:</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In adult and pediatric operating rooms and procedural areas. • For anyone experiencing symptoms of an acute respiratory infection. • If requested by patients for individuals providing them with care, in any setting. • For care of patients on transmission-based isolation precautions, such as airborne, droplet, enhanced droplet, etc. 	