



## **N95 and Face Shield/Goggle Re-Use FAQ**

1. Should I use a disinfectant wipe on my N95 respirator before storing in a paper bag?
  - a. No, wetting the N95 may affect its ability to filter out small droplets.
  - b. N95 respirators are protected when a face mask is placed over them before entering an isolation room.
2. How do I perform a fit check?
  - a. Perform every time an N95 mask is used.
  - b. Place both hands completely over donned respirator and exhale.
  - c. If air leaks around nose, adjust nosepiece by using two hands to mold nosepiece to the shape of your nose.
  - d. If air leaks at the edges, adjust straps alongside your head.
  - e. Repeat fit check.
  - f. If air leaks during repeat fit check this means the fit check failed.
3. When should I discard my N95 respirator?
  - a. Physical shape is not maintained.
  - b. Mask is soiled or wet.
  - c. Air leakage noted during fit-check.
4. When should I discard the paper bag I store the N95 in?
  - a. At the same time you discard the N95 being stored in the bag.
  - b. When bag is torn, wet or soiled.
5. What disinfectant wipe should I use to clean my face shield or goggle?
  - a. Use a PDI Super Sani (Purple Top) wipe and let dry for 2 minutes.
  - b. Do not use bleach wipes as it will leave a cloudy film on the face shield or goggle and may irritate the eyes.