

ACCEPTABLE MASKS AT NCH

All patients, staff and visitors are required to wear a mask while on NCH property.

ACCEPTABLE



N95 respirators are preferred for healthcare personnel during specific care activities, but may be worn by patients or visitors if that is what they are wearing when they arrive to an NCH campus.



**Homemade
Masks**



**Surgical/
Procedural Masks
(tie or ear loop)**



**Dust
Masks**

N95 MASKS WITHOUT VENTS



UNACCEPTABLE



Why? Masks with vents/exhalation valves allow unfiltered air to escape as do loose fitting masks. This is an unacceptable form of source control as a universal mask on NCH property.

N95 MASKS WITH VENTS



LOOSE FITTING MASKS



Gaiter Masks



Bandanas



Scarves