

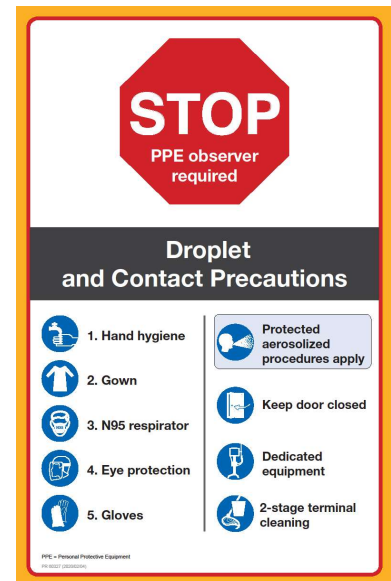
# Infection Control & Cleaning the tCart

- **Physical Distancing**

- Maintain physical distancing as per recommendations as much as possible
- Once you have established good audio and visual connection between the client and the physician, you can step away (e.g. a few steps back, to the doorway but within hearing distance in case the client or physician require assistance) and step in to assist if needed
  - If the nurse has joined the virtual visit, allow the nurse to take the lead, step back and assist when needed

- **Personal Protective Equipment**

- Wear procedure mask on the unit at all times
- Adhere to proper hand sanitation protocol at all times
- Follow precaution signs and follow visual instructions posted on client doors – if there is no sign, only masking and hand hygiene before and after are required
  - Signs are posted for any clients with suspected or confirmed cases of C-19
  - Signs are also posted for any clients who are newly admitted and must be under self-isolation for 14 days, and for any clients with other communicable diseases (e.g. MRSA, etc.)
  - See example of Full Precaution sign
- If there is a sign indicating Aerosol Generating Medical Procedure (AGMPs):
  - Do NOT enter the room if the door is closed – this indicates a procedure is being conducted
  - If the door is open, you can enter with your procedure mask on
  - Follow any precaution signage on the client's door



- **Cleaning the tCart**

- Clean after contact with client or any environmental surface in the client room
- Clean using 70% isopropyl alcohol if available, Cavi wipes if alcohol wipes are not available