All patients, staff and visitors are required to wear a mask while on Mayo Clinic Health System property.

**PREFERRED MASKS**

- **SURGICAL/PROCEDURAL MASKS** (tie or ear loop)

Patients and visitors will be asked to substitute, or wear a surgical/procedural mask over, any cloth mask or non-vented N95 product while on campus.

**ACCEPTABLE MASKS**

- **N95 MASKS WITHOUT VENTS**
- **CLOTH MASKS**
- **DUST MASKS**

Other face coverings, such as homemade masks and dust masks, are accepted but not recommended at this time. Please consider wearing a surgical/procedural mask instead.

**UNACCEPTABLE MASKS**

- **MASKS WITH VENTS**
- **BANDANAS**
- **NECK GAITORS**

- Vented N95 products, bandanas, and gaiters must be substituted with a surgical/procedural mask.
- Face shields are not an acceptable alternative to a surgical/procedural mask (exceptions may be permitted on a case by case basis).
- Do not damage the surgical/procedural mask integrity (e.g. poke holes or otherwise alter). This will reduce source control effectiveness.

**ALL STAFF ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR A MASK ON MAYO CLINIC PROPERTY.**

Staff must wear institutionally provided personal protective equipment. All staff may wear a cloth masks in and out of work, but must replace with a surgical/procedural mask when in work unit.