COVID-19+/PUI Pediatric Standard Operating Procedures

CHILDREN’S IMAGING – OUTPATIENT

SCREEN and TEST

Outpatient
Non-general anesthesia imaging
- Phone calls are made to patients the day before their scheduled infusion/exam asking about recent travel, GI, fever, cough, or COVID-19 symptoms
- Only 1 visitor is allowed with patient and both will be screened again upon entry into the hospital
- If patient has a fever or any type of cold/flu like symptoms or is COVID-19 (+) while screening over phone, patient is rescheduled and their MD is notified
- A negative COVID-19 result would have to be obtained prior to patient coming into imaging suite for infusion/exam.
- Must have test within 72 hours
- Outside RT-PRC COVID-19 tests accepted
- Procedures requiring COVID-19 testing
  - VCUG
  - UGI
  - All MEG studies

DISPOSITION

- Day of Infusion/Exam
  - Both patient and family member are screened upon entry into hospital along with a mask
  - Second temperature is taken upon approaching the front desk in the imaging suite.
  - Seat Unavailable (Social Distancing) signs have been placed in waiting room chairs allowing for a maximum of 15 people to sit safely at one given time.
  - Patient and family member are brought back to their infusion/exam room by nurse/tech also wearing a mask
  - At end of infusion/exam, patient and family member are discharged home while wearing a mask

TRANSPORT and RESOURCES

TRANSPORT
- A mask/gloves are required for patient and nursing staff while transporting down to the Imaging Suite.
- For COVID-19 (+)/PUI, Droplet+ sign placed on outside of procedure door
- After procedure, patient wears surgical mask. Nursing staff plus anesthesia team wears N95 mask and gloves to transport back up to Pedi PACU.

RESOURCES
- Nursing staff for questions/concerns
- PPE will be outside room