Privately Owned Masks NEVER take the place of hospital approved PPE for patients on any isolation protocol

EMPLOYEES

- Masks are required for all staff at all times, while in a USA Health facility. This includes contract employees, delivery persons, vendors, etc.

- Masks may be either hospital supplied or a Privately Owned Mask (POM).

- Hospital masks will be supplied by your supervisor and are worn for 7 days or until soiled or damaged.

- Privately Owned Masks - refer to POM guidelines on USA Health COVID-19 website, see “The Role of Privately Owned PPE,” published 4/1/2020.

- POM is removed and stored prior to donning appropriate hospital-supplied PPE for isolation patients.

PATIENTS AND VISITORS

- Patients and visitors are required to wear a mask at all times while in any USA Health facility.

- Pediatric exclusions may apply depending on age of patient.