

Leamington Mennonite Home
Long Term Care

**INFECTION CONTROL
POLICY AND PROCEDURE**

CATEGORY: Precautions	SUBJECT: Isolation Precaution Carts	SECTION: G POLICY: 10
DATE: July 12, 2022	Administrator's Signature: _____ <i>J. M.</i>	
REVISION DATES: November 2023	IPAC Lead's Signature: _____ <i>L. Coppola, RN.</i>	

ISOLATION PRECAUTION STATIONS

POLICY:

When it is determined that a resident must be placed on additional precautions, an isolation precaution station will be set up and stocked outside the door to resident's room.

PROCEDURE:

The isolation precaution station will consist of a plastic cleanable supply cart.

The IPAC Lead or Nurse will:

- 1) Stock the isolation precaution cart with supplies appropriate to the additional precautions implemented, including plastic garbage bags.
- 2) Include a bottle of alcohol-based hand hygiene product on top of the cabinet if not available at point of care.
- 3) Place a container of disinfectant wipes in the cart to use to wipe down shared equipment.

The Personal Support Worker will:

- 1) Ensure that the supply holder/cart is restocked at the end of each shift.

The Housekeeping staff will:

- 1) Once the resident is no longer on transmission-based precautions, clean and disinfect the cart thoroughly, inside and out, with the appropriate disinfectant, and place into storage.