

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE: FACE SHIELD

A face shield is classified as personal protective equipment (PPE) that provides barrier protection to the facial area and related mucous membranes (eyes, nose, lips) against.

In a general setting, it is recommended that the face shield needs to be used in conjunction with the face mask/respirators such as N95.

Forehead clip and the front shield are made out of high-quality medical-grade polymers such as Polypropylene Copolymer (PPCO) and Polypropylene (PP). The forehead clip can be reused several times and the transparent shield can be reused for 4-5 times of sanitization. In case if one experiences the vision has been compromised after sanitization or scratches, we recommend changing to a new transparent shield

Why use face shield

- More comfortable
- Protect a larger portion of the face
- Less retained dermal facial heat
- Less fogging than goggles
- Less claustrophobic
- No impact on breathing resistance
- No fit testing required
- Can be disinfected easily
- Wearers do not need to be cleanly shaven
- Easy to don and doff
- Relatively inexpensive
- No impact on vocalization
- Can be worn concurrent to other face/eye PPE
- Do not impede facial nonverbal communication
- Reduced patient anxiety
- Protects against self-inoculation over a wider facial area

- May extend the useful life of a protective facemask when used concurrently

Sanitation and reuse of your face shield

The shield has been sanitized before packaging and shipping. As a precaution, the product has been isolated for 3 days before dispatch. This is done with the hope that the pathogens will be killed in this incubation period. Though there are no proofs or studies to support this action, this has been a practice as it facilitates an additional level of safety.

Though the product has been sanitized, there is no additional antibacterial, antiseptic or anti-germs substances applied or supplied with the product.

You can sanitize and reuse your face shield. It has been evaluated to be compatible with the following chemicals:

- 70% Ethanol
- 70% Isopropyl Alcohol
- 6% Bleach*
- 3% Hydrogen Peroxide
- *leaves a residue on the face shield.

When using your face shield:

- Avoid exposure to high heat.
- Handle gently to prevent drops and scratches.
- Don't pinch bend the transparent shield
- This product is not intended to be used for the applications such as forging, grinding, welding or any such process
- Also, the shield is not intended to use in an environment where any kind of solid projectiles is being emitted or transmitted
- Transparent glass is optically clear and thus is suitable to be used with spectacles – for those who use glasses.