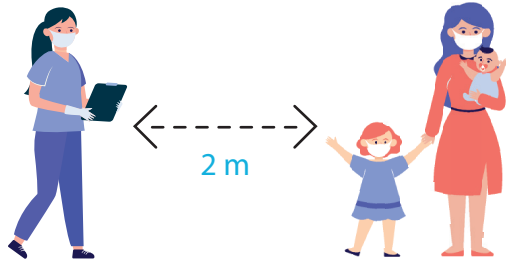


ACTIVE SCREENING

APPROPRIATE PRECAUTIONS WHEN SCREENING:

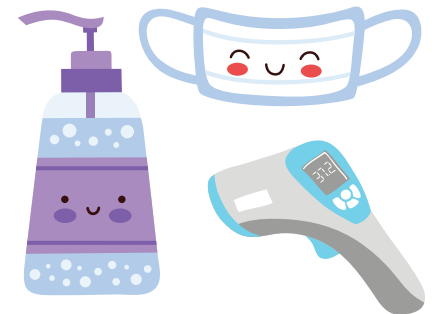


Maintain a distance of **2 metres** from those being screened
OR
Ensure you are separated by a **physical barrier** (such as a plexiglass barrier)



Wear PPE

- Surgical or procedure mask
- Gown
- Gloves
- Eye Protection (goggles or faceshield)



Needed equipment and supplies

- 70% alcohol-based hand sanitizer
- Thermometer
- Disinfectant
- Extra PPE

Non-contact thermometers are preferred. Ear thermometers must be covered with single-use protective covers and discarded after each use

SCREENING ESSENTIALS

UPON ARRIVAL

Everyone needs to be screened.

- Children
- Parents/guardians
- Staff
- Essential visitors (cleaners, people doing maintenance work, people providing supports for children with special needs)

Educate parents and guardians on the signs and symptoms of COVID-19 and direct them to call the child care centre if symptoms develop at home.

RECORD SCREENING RESULTS:

Maintain daily records that include:

- Name
- Contact information
- Time of arrival/departure
- Temperature
- Responses to screening questions

Centres may use the questions provided in the Active Screening Tool from WDG Public Health. Those using this tool are responsible to modify the screening criteria according to any updated Ministry-related changes to the screening criteria.

DENY ENTRY TO

- Non-essential visitors
- Any person who answers **yes** to any of the screening questions
- Children who have, or whose members of household **have, symptoms**. Parents should not go past the screening area.

Prepare a script and protocol for responding to uncompliant visitors.

NOTE: Every operator is responsible for developing a screening plan and process.
For more details check the WDG COVID-19 Guidance: Child Care Centres & Providers document.



ALTERNATE FORMATS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

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For more information, refer to the WDG Public Health and the Ontario Ministry of Education guidelines for Reopening Childcare during the COVID-19 Pandemic.