Proper Use of Disposable Gloves

When you take gloves off for any reason they go in the GARBAGE (never reuse)!





Do not use soap or alcohol based hand rub while wearing gloves, as these can break down the material.

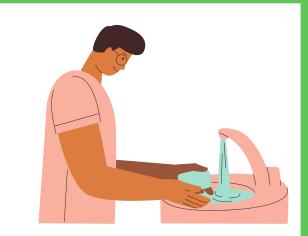
Your gloves should match the size of your hands.





Never double glove.

Before putting on new gloves, wash your hands so you do not contaminate the clean pair of gloves.





When in doubt...change your gloves! Gloves should be changed between tasks and between clients.

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