Step 1: Screen
Screen patients using screening tool in E form.

Does Pt meet criteria?
- NO: Treat Symptomatically
- YES: Place a surgical mask on patient, Staff to wear full PPE and move to a negative pressure room with out contamination of surrounding envt.

Step 2: Report
LAC DPH Acute Communicable Disease Control (ACDC)
(213) 240-7941 (8:00am – 5:00pm Monday to Friday)
(213) 974-1234 (After Hours Emergency Operator)

Case accepted by ACDC?
- NO: Treat symptomatically
- YES: Close Contact = contact within 6 feet for more than 10 mins

Step 3: Test
Obtain specimen collection kit from LAB AND Complete the Test Requisition form from ACDC

Obtain two swabs: Nasopharyngeal & Oropharyngeal. CONTACT ER Charge RN for Swabbing procedure.

Ensure correct isolation Signage (STANDARD/CONTACT/AIRBORNE) is placed and restrict access to patient.

Complete PUI investigation form from CDC and return to Infection Control

Call infection control @ 2147 during normal business hours. Call nursing supervisor after hours.

Deliver the specimen and Test Requisition to LAB for transport.