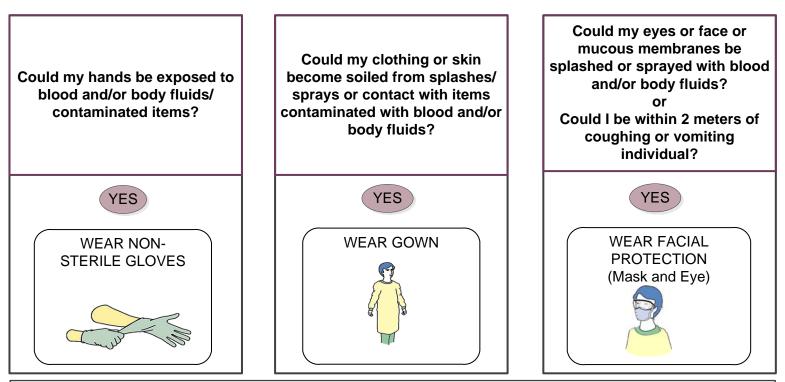
Wound Drainage in Continuing Care

Does the individual have drainage from a wound?

Complete a <u>Point of Care Risk Assessment (PCRA)</u> before every contact, even if the individual is on Additional Precautions as more personal protective equipment (PPE) may be needed.

Clean your hands before and after PPE use.



Focus on:

- **PCRA-** encourage everyone to think about contact with individual and choose appropriate personal protective equipment.
- Hand hygiene clean hands, and apply gloves before contact with drainage.
- Contain drainage cover with dressing, monitor dressing, and replace as needed.
- Clean package Individual to wear clean clothing, and clean their hands when leaving their room.
- Dedicate to individual or clean and disinfect all equipment before use on another individual.
- If having difficulty containing drainage, place on additional precautions and consult your Infection Control Professional.

Refer to the Continuing Care Infection Prevention and Control Diseases and Conditions Table

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