PROTOCOL FOR PUTTING ON PROTECTIVE CLOTHING (FMD)

1. Prepare equipment & PPE (protective clothing) before travelling

2. Prepare "clean" & "dirty" areas in car

CLEAN

DIRTY

3. Remove watch & jewellery before leaving car

4. Place mobile phone in zip-lock bag

5. Carry equipment to site in plastic bag

Equipment

6. Identify suitable location for clean/dirty separation

HYGIENE BARRIER

DIRTY

CLEAN

7. Prepare clean & dirty disinfection points at hygiene barrier

DIRTY

Waste

Equipment

PPE

CLEAN

8. Put on disposable suit

9. Put on waterproof suit

10. Put on boots – putting legs of disposable suit inside boots

11. Pull down legs of waterproof suit outside boots

12. Put on boot covers
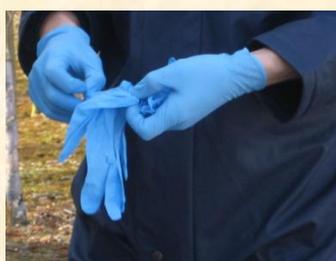
13. Put on two pairs of disposable gloves

14. Pull sleeve of disposable suit down between the two pairs of gloves

15. Tape outer glove to sleeve of disposable suit

16. Pull down sleeves of waterproof suit outside gloves

17. Carry equipment onto site

Equipment

Waste

18. When on site, do not remove mobile phone from zip-lock bag

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PROTOCOL FOR TAKING OFF PROTECTIVE CLOTHING (FMD)

1. Disinfect equipment & outside of sample boxes/bags

2. Place equipment & samples in equipment bag on clean side

3. Remove boot covers & place in waste bag for disposal

4. Disinfect legs of waterproof suit

5. Clean soles of boots thoroughly & disinfect

6. Disinfect remainder of waterproof suit

7. Remove waterproof suit

8. Place suit in PPE bag on "clean" side

9. Remove first outer glove – touching only the outer surface

10. Remove second outer glove by hooking thumb under cuff - place in waste bag

11. Step onto clean side & disinfect boots

12. Remove disposable suit & place in waste bag on "dirty" side

13. Remove first inner glove – touching only the outer surface

14. Remove second inner glove by hooking thumb under cuff - place in waste bag

15. Double bag & seal the equipment & PPE bags

16. Disinfect outside of bucket

17. Disinfect hands using 6-step procedure

18. Wipe face with wet-wipes

19. Pour disinfect over plastic mat & place mat in waste bag

20. Place equipment & PPE bags in "dirty" area of car