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HEALTH-CARE FACILITIES AND CONTACT ISOLATION FOR EBOLA

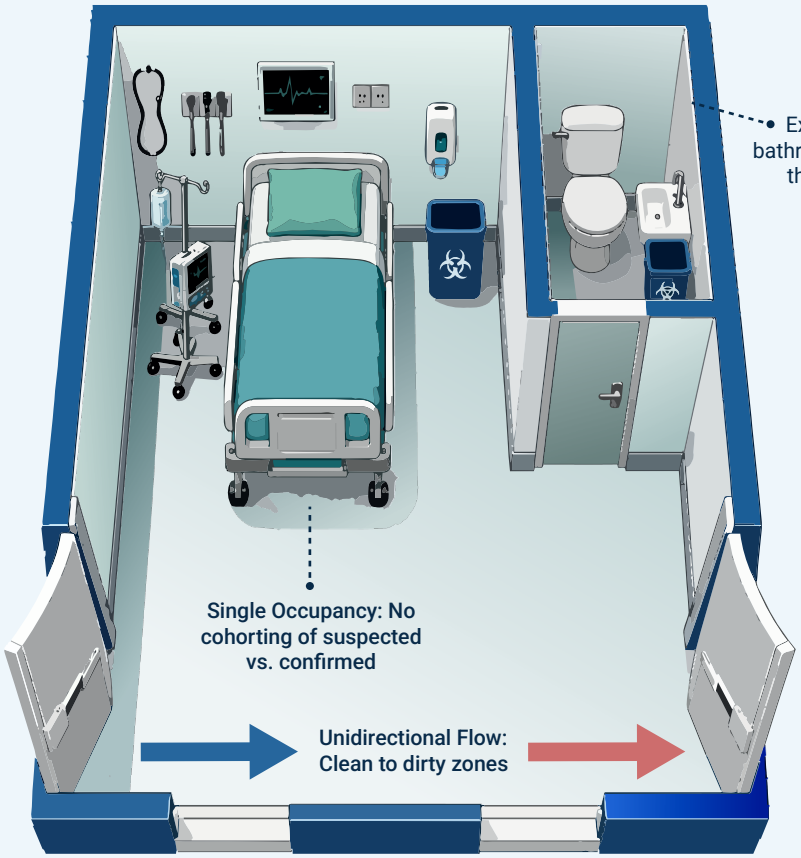
PATIENTS SHOULD BE REFERRED TO DESIGNATED HEALTH-CARE FACILITIES WITH:

Dedicated Equipment: Stethoscopes, IV poles, and sanitation facilities must remain inside

Hand Hygiene

Adequate PPE supplies

SINGLE-OCCUPANCY ISOLATION ROOM



PPE DONNING

Clearly marked PPE Donning Area

PPE

Hand Hygiene

PPE DOFFING

Separate exit area for safe PPE removal (Doffing)

Disposal bin for PPE

Hand Hygiene

WASTE

Bags for biological waste

All cleaning and disinfection supplies and materials used in this area are for exclusive use and must not be removed from the facility

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