Figure 1. IDSA Algorithm for Appropriate PPE in Conventional and Contingency or Crisis Settings

Health care personnel caring for patients with suspected or known COVID-19

Appropriate PPE (gowns, gloves and eye protection)
Adherence to proper donning and doffing

Conventional settings
Non-AGP
Surgical mask or N95 (N99/PAPR)

AGP
N95 (N99/PAPR)

Contingency or Crisis settings
Non-AGP
Surgical mask or Reprocessed N95

AGP
Face shield or surgical mask covering the N95 to allow extended use or reuse or Reprocessed N95

AGP: aerosol-generating procedures; PPE: personal protective equipment