

Lash Miller Laboratories St. George Campus

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ENTRY/EXIT

- **1. Purpose:** to provide instruction to enter and exit laboratories/offices during COVID19 social distancing and heath triage requirements
- 2. Scope: applies to everybody working at Lash Miller
- **3. Prerequisites:** Understanding of Social Distancing principles and COVID19 transmission (refer to Public Health Ontario for further information)
- **4. Responsibilities:** Principal investigators are responsible to enforce this SOP and lab-personnel are responsible to comply

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Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): COVID19-PPE
Cloth face masks are optional when physical distancing practices are in place and it
must wear while sharing the space with others if 2 m distancing cannot be ensured











Face shield are optional. Wearing together with cloth face masks will prevent people from touching their faces in situations when proper distancing cannot be ensure at all times

ENTRY

- Before entering your lab, office or study room review the <u>health self-monitoring</u> <u>questionnaire</u>. The questionnaire should be posted at every entrance. If you respond YES to any of the questions, do not enter the premises. Go home, and report as appropriated.
- 2) If your group decided, based on a risk assessment, to opt for the use of cloth face masks, then, ensure you bring it to work every day (ensure you follow cleaning/sterilization procedures) (see COVID19-LM-SOP4)
- 3) Fill the <u>entry log</u> at the beginning of your work day. Note: entry logs are optional; however, they would help tracking people in the case of someone developing symptoms., The logs will also help tracking occupancy density.
- 4) Disinfect the pen used to log in and proceed maintaining distancing at all times
- 5) Wear your face mask whenever physical distancing cannot be achieved.

EXIT

If you are wearing face shields and cloth masks: While wearing <u>clean</u> gloves

- 1) Remove Face shield (If applicable), clean/disinfect and stored inside a clean bag following proper procedures (see COVID19-LM-SOP4)
- 2) Fill the exit column of the lab-entry/exit-log (this will help to keep track of people density)
- 3) Disinfect pen used
- 4) Remove gloves and disposed in designated waste container (available at exit door and clearly identified with proper signage)
- 5) Remove face mask and place inside a clean Ziplock bag. Ensure you wash/sterilize the mask once you get home (washing machine or 5 min in boiling water)