Tips and Pitfalls to Resuming Care at Your ASC

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Covid Crisis 2020

March 19, 2020 – surgical day / shut down

March 20, 2020- staff deployment to Hospital Nursing units



Equipment deployment

- 7 WOWs (workstations on wheels)
 - 2 anesthesia glide scopes
- Crash cart with defibrillator and suction machine
 - Wheel chairs, mini c-arm, thermometers

Monday April 27, 2020

- Meet to plan for May 4th opening
- ➢ Off site ASC
- We are the resources
- Check on temp, humidity, air exchanges
- Set back with Oxygen/med gas lines
- Walk through, invite Infection Preventionist, Emergency services, manager of Environmental Services and Material Management, Pharmacy



6 foot distancing

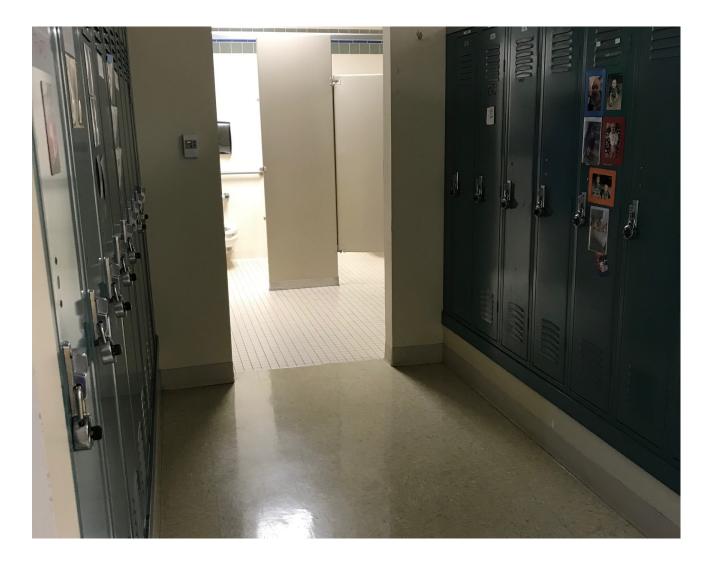
Reception desk



6 foot distancing Waiting room Accomodates 7



6 foot distancing Locker rooms



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Preop



Regional block area



6 foot distancing elevator



6 foot distancing Staff Lounge



Return to service:

- ➤Security at the front door
- ➤Linen services
- ➢ Patient nutrition
- Return staff from Nursing floor deployment
 - ➢Outdates, clean and clear out clutter
 - ➤ Wash waiting rooms, equipment, return the removed PPE
 - ➢ Prepare for State Board of Health inspection Accreditation walkthrough

Med gas line hold up

➤2 business days prior to opening

- ➤ Change gears, change location
- Administration gives OK for ASC staff to work in Periop areas HUGE Caregiver satisfier!

We're Back!

Morning meeting – remind staff:

- ➤Continued safety practices: Universal Protocol, counts, fire safety
- Remember to remove the cloth for OR- buddy watch
- First OR day went well10 cases, 2 Ors
 - ➤ Registration
 - Preop electronic record texting to families
 - ➢ PACU- new work flow 1. phone instructions
 - 2. curb side
 - ➤ 3. consultation room (minors, need of assistance)

