Identify, Isolate, & Inform
Frontline Facility Care and Management of Patients
with an Emerging Infectious Disease

Countries under global surveillance of epidemic-prone infectious diseases (Africa, Arabian peninsula, and/or Asia) within 21 days (3 weeks) of symptom onset

Symptoms may include: fever, flu-like symptoms, cough, shortness of breath, nausea, vomiting, weakness, malaise, internal/external bleeding, and/or diarrhea

If patient meets above criteria:

2. Isolate

Have patient put on a face mask and isolate away from others
Keep a safe distance of at least 6 feet until appropriate level of PPE is available
Follow your facility’s infection control policy to determine the appropriate level of PPE

3. Inform

IMMEDIATELY notify your facility’s Infection Control Program and other appropriate staff, ie, charge nurse/supervisor, treating physician

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