UVGI* Decontamination Cycle for N95 Respirators

1 - PREPARE FOR DECONTAMINATION

Prepare the N95 by:

- Writing your name and other required information with a soft-tipped pen on the N95.
- Placing it in a breathable container, such as a paper bag, which allows it to dry and prevents moisture build-up.
- Placing the container in the designated pickup location.

2 - UVGI DECONTAMINATION OCCURS

During UVGI decontamination:

- Each N95 is hung on a line and spaced adequately so it does not touch other N95s.
- High levels of UV radiation (300 mJ/cm²) inactivate pathogens.

* Ultraviolet Germicidal Irradiation

4 - INSPECT BEFORE USE

Before reusing, inspect to ensure:

- All information written on the N95 is correct.
- There is no soilage, including soilage from facial oils or makeup on the inside.
- The N95 is not damaged or misshapen.
- The elastic bands are still stretchy.
- The N95 fits as designed.
- A positive seal check is possible.

Don the N95 using a gloved hand.

3 - PICK UP CLEAN N95

Pick up the decontaminated N95.

- The N95 will be placed inside a clean container.
- This may be a different color than what was used to send it for UVGI.