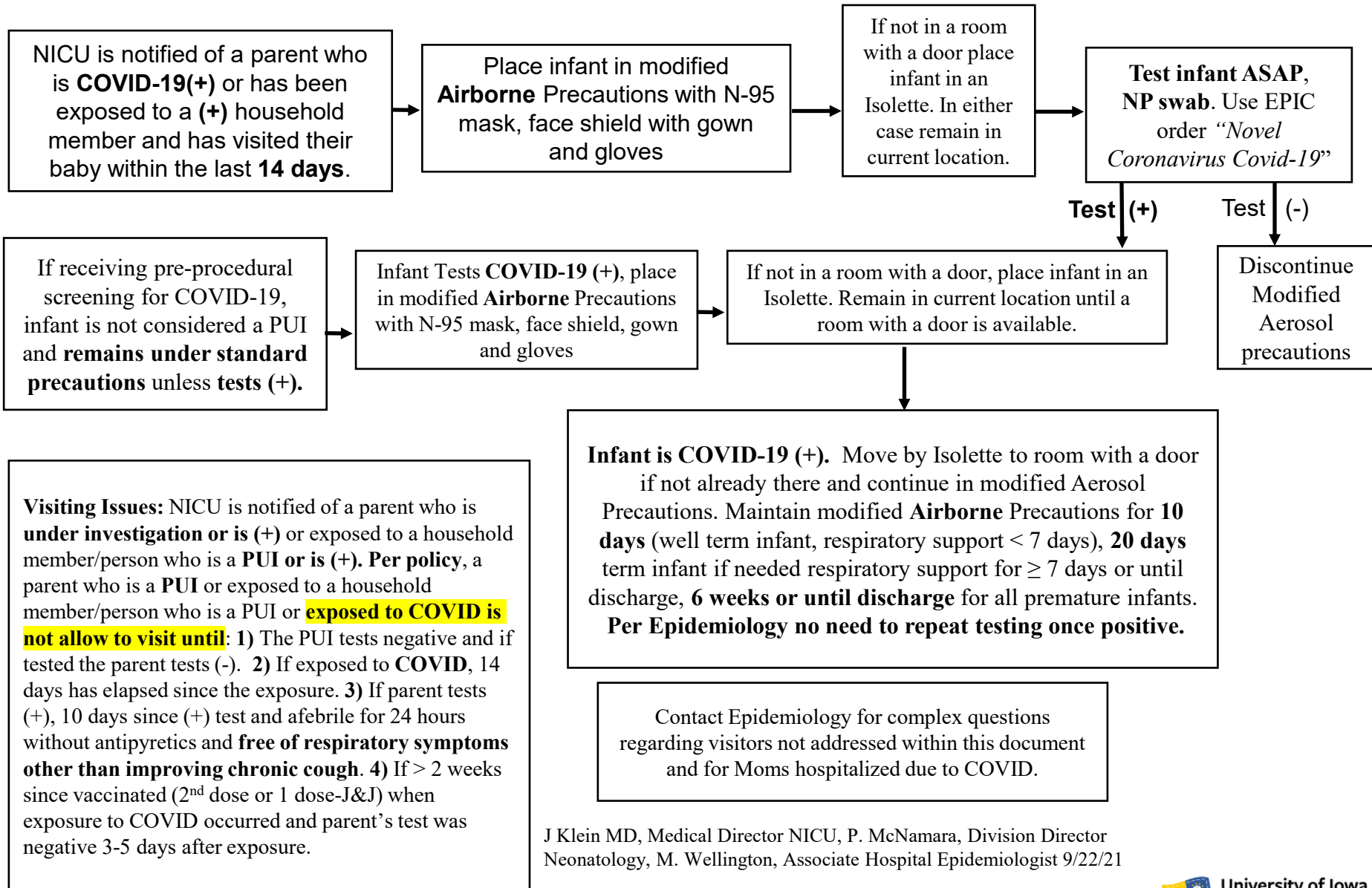


Updated Visiting and Isolation Guideline for **Current NICU Inpatients** for when a **Parent Becomes COVID-19 (+)** or **Parent** is Exposed to a Member of their Household or Person who is **(+)** or **Infant tests (+)**



If receiving pre-procedural screening for COVID-19, infant is not considered a PUI and **remains under standard precautions** unless tests (+).

Infant Tests **COVID-19 (+)**, place in modified **Airborne** Precautions with N-95 mask, face shield, gown and gloves

If not in a room with a door, place infant in an Isolette. Remain in current location until a room with a door is available.

Discontinue Modified Aerosol precautions

**Visiting Issues:** NICU is notified of a parent who is **under investigation or is (+)** or exposed to a household member/person who is a **PUI or is (+)**. **Per policy**, a parent who is a **PUI** or exposed to a household member/person who is a PUI or **exposed to COVID is not allow to visit until:** **1)** The PUI tests negative and if tested the parent tests (-). **2)** If exposed to **COVID**, 14 days has elapsed since the exposure. **3)** If parent tests (+), 10 days since (+) test and afebrile for 24 hours without antipyretics and **free of respiratory symptoms other than improving chronic cough.** **4)** If > 2 weeks since vaccinated (2<sup>nd</sup> dose or 1 dose-J&J) when exposure to COVID occurred and parent’s test was negative 3-5 days after exposure.

**Infant is COVID-19 (+).** Move by Isolette to room with a door if not already there and continue in modified Aerosol Precautions. Maintain modified **Airborne** Precautions for **10 days** (well term infant, respiratory support < 7 days), **20 days** term infant if needed respiratory support for ≥ 7 days or until discharge, **6 weeks or until discharge** for all premature infants. **Per Epidemiology no need to repeat testing once positive.**

Contact Epidemiology for complex questions regarding visitors not addressed within this document and for Moms hospitalized due to COVID.

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