

## Putting on safety glasses / goggles - DONNING

1

Wash hands with soap and water for 20 secs.



2

Ensure your mask is correctly fitted first. Refer to the ['Donning and doffing face masks'](#) factsheet for instructions.



3

Place the eye protection over the mask straps and adjust the elastic strap so it fits firmly.



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Ensure the eye protection does not affect the fit or seal of the mask.



NOTE - it is common that eye protection fogs up when wearing a mask. If this proves to be a problem then a face shield should be used.

## Taking off safety glasses / goggles - DOFFING

1

Take off other PPE first and wash hands before taking off eye protection.



2

Carefully remove eye protection by putting a finger under the the strap and pulling upwards and away from head.



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Do not touch the front of the eye protection.



3

Wash hands with soap and water for 20 secs.



## Cleaning and disinfecting

Eye protection is reusable and must be cleaned and disinfected after each use.

Each staff member cares for their own eye protection:

- Wipe the inside of the eye protection using a disinfectant wipe.
- Carefully wipe the outside of the eye protection using a disinfectant wipe.
- Wipe the eye protection with clean warm water/detergent to remove residue.
- Fully dry using clean absorbent towels.
- Once dry, store in a sealed bag (a large sealed plastic bag is recommended). Write your name on the outside of the bag and store in secure safe location.
- Wash hands using soap and water for 20 seconds.