



**PHOENIX
CHILDREN'S**

COVID-19

Goggle Cleaning Guidelines FAQ

Goggles are to be cleaned when taken off, visibly soiled and at end of shift.

How to clean goggles following Reuse protocol policy # 2903:

Perform hand hygiene before and after goggle cleaning

1. Goggles are to be cleaned using Oxivir for a 5 minute wet time
2. When goggles are dropped off in dirty/soiled utility room, place soiled goggles in a clearly labeled bin **"Dirty Eye Protection"** with a lid
3. Clean with Oxivir for a 5 minute wet time, making sure all surfaces of the goggles are wet and let dry on clean paper towel.
4. Once the goggles have met the 5 minute wet time and dried completely, the wearer may choose to rinse with clean water to remove any residual residue
5. After goggle cleaning process is complete, store in the **designated clean location**
 - a. Use a rigid bin with a lid to store clean goggles
 - b. Clearly label bin **"Clean Eye Protection"**
 - c. Do not store clean goggles in a dirty/soiled utility room

***Please keep complete separation of clean and dirty process, cannot be done in the same room.**

FAQS

Q. Can I clean my eye protection in the hallway or other locations?

A. Yes, as long as your eye protection is not visibly soiled, and it is not the end of your shift you can clean them using Oxivir following the 5 minute wet time and allow them to dry.

If visibly soiled or at the end of shift, you must go to the nearest soiled utility room and clean eye protection prior to returning eye protection to clean bin or donning. .

Q. Can I use the spray Oxivir to clean?

*A. Yes, you can use the spray bottle of Oxivir to clean as long as you are inside a soiled utility room and keep the eye protection wet for 5 minutes. The **Oxivir spray** does not require manual friction like the Oxivir wipes.*

Q. Do I have to return my eye protection every shift/day?

A. Yes, eye protection need to be returned prior to leaving any Phoenix Children's location at your areas designated return location.

Q. Can I purchase my own eye protection?

A. No, only approved Phoenix Children's Hospital eye protection is permitted.

Q. Do my own personal eye glasses count as eye protection?

A. No, you need to wear eye protection on top of your personal eye glasses. Eye glasses are not a substitute for eye protection.

Q. Do I need to wear gloves when cleaning my eye protection?

A. For universal eye protection use, gloves are not needed when cleaning with Oxivir. However, if your eye protection is grossly soiled, follow standard precautions and glove appropriately.