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1 Bleach wipe the long cuff KC500 Purple Nitrile Gloves before opening the door to the patient room.
2 Step out of room onto the doffing pad with trash receptacle nearby.

3 Once on the doffing pad, if you taped the gloves to the gown, remove the tape gently and discard it before removing the gloves. 4 Remove the long cuff KC500 Purple Nitrile Gloves using glove-in-glove technique and discard them in the trash.

If the inner standard patient care gloves are accidentally removed during the doffing of the nitrile gloves, additional clean gloves are available on the doffing pad.

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5 Begin gently removing the gown. Ties should be untied if possible to reduce aerosolization. 6 Keep clean gown sleeves over your gloved hands as much as possible to prevent contamination of the gloved fingers as you gather the gown, keeping the dirty surfaces to the inside, rolling it up gently. 7 Discard in trash.

8 Remove the leg/boot covers one at a time. Roll the dirty side in as you remove them if possible, being very mindful of where the dirty side may come in contact with things around you. 9 Step into a clean area of the doffing pad and discard covers in trash. Refrain from returning to the soiled area from this point forward.

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10 Remove the inner standard patient care gloves using glove-in-glove technique and place them in the trash. 11 Perform hand hygiene, but do not leave the doffing pad (use available hand sanitizer). 12 Apply new clean gloves from the doffing pad.

13 Remove the face shield. Grab the rear strap and pull it over the head forward, gently allowing the face shield to fall forward. 14 Dispose of the face shield in the trash.

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15 Holding the lower corner of the N95 Respirator firmly, but exposing as little of your gloved hand as possible to its dirty surface, remove each strap of the N95 respirator over the head. 16 Gently place the N95 respirator in the trash. The surgical cap may move with the respirator straps as they are removed. 17 Remove the surgical cap with gentle motions, touching as little of its contaminated surfaces as possible. 18 Place surgical cap in trash.

19 Step off the doffing pad, gather it up carefully rolling the dirty surface inward. 20 Place rolled doffing pad in trash receptacle.

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21 Remove the standard patient care gloves using glove-in-glove technique. 22 Place gloves in trash. 23 Perform hand hygiene. 24 Proceed to Shower.

25 Perform post Vital Signs and 26 rehydrate.

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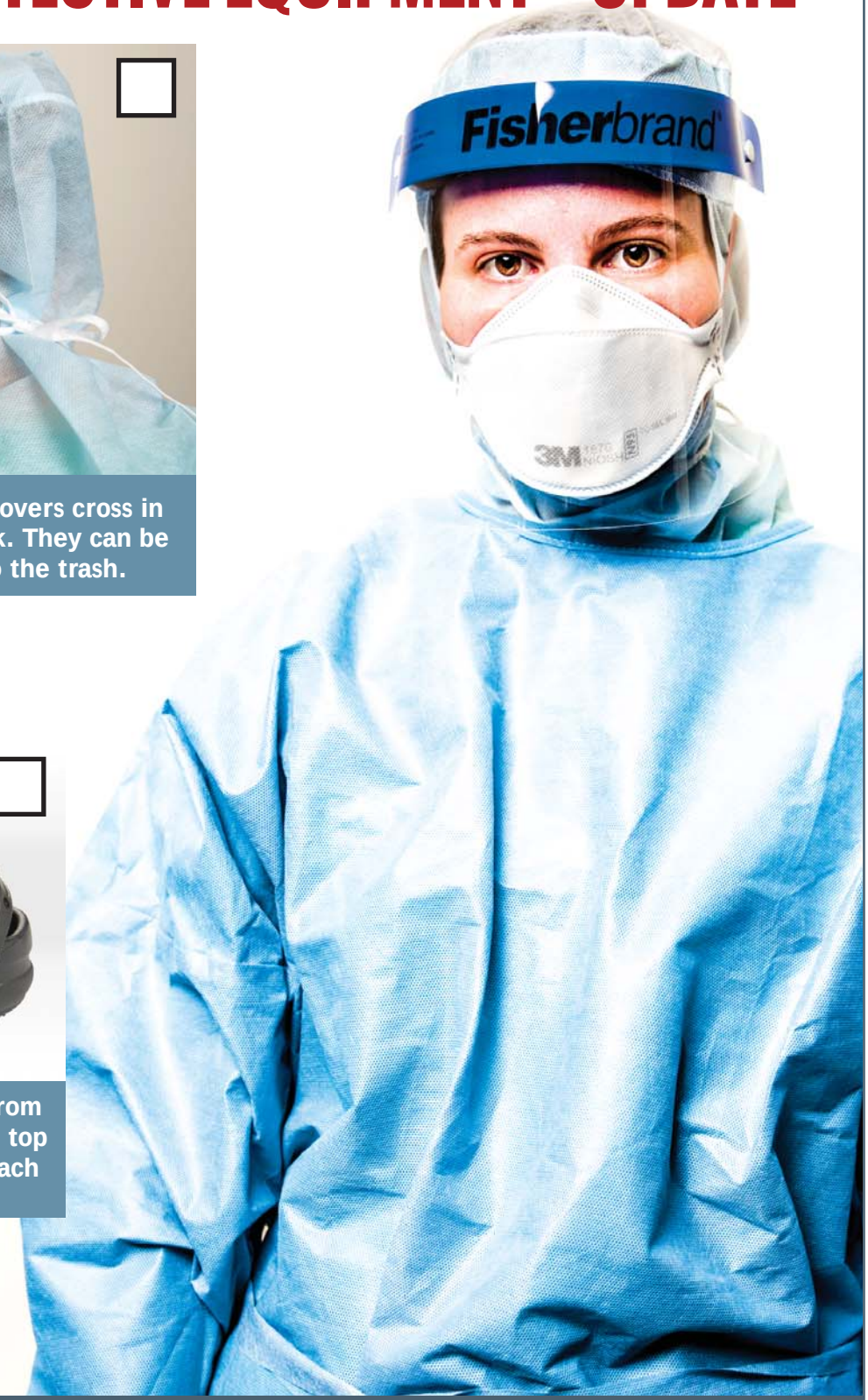
PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT - UPDATE

A The ties for the head and neck covers cross in front and then tie a bow in the back. They can be untied and gently pulled off into the trash.

B Before staff members step from the doffing pad to the floor, the top and bottom of each shoe is bleach wiped.