

What is an AGMP of relevance for COVID-19?
Intubation, extubation and related procedures (e.g. manual ventilation and open deep suctioning through ETT)
Tracheostomy/tracheostomy procedures (insertion/open suctioning/removal)
Bronchoscopy
Surgery using high speed devices in respiratory tract
Some dental procedures (e.g. high-speed drilling ultrasonic scalers)
Non-invasive ventilation (NIV) e.g. Bi-level Positive Airway Pressure (BiPAP) and Continuous Positive Airway Pressure ventilation (CPAP)
High Frequency Oscillatory Ventilation (HFOV)
Induction of sputum with nebulized saline
High flow nasal oxygen (high flow therapy via nasal cannula)

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What is NOT an AGMP?

- Collection of nasopharyngeal or throat swab
- Ventilator circuit disconnect
- Chest compressions
- Needle thoracostomy, thoracocentesis
- Chest tube removal or insertion (unless meets above criteria in setting of emergent insertion for ruptured lung/pneumothorax – air leak)
- Coughing, spontaneous expectorated sputum
- Oral/nasal suctioning, oral hygiene
- Gastroscopy or colonoscopy or endoscopic retrograde cholangiopancreatography
- Laparoscopy (gastrointestinal/pelvic)
- Cardiac stress tests
- Caesarian section or vaginal delivery of baby done with regional anesthesia
- Any procedure done with regional or local anesthetic
- Electroconvulsive therapy
- Transesophageal echocardiogram
- Nasogastric/nasojejunal tube/gastrostomy/gastrojejunostomy/jejunostomy tube insertion
- Bronchial artery embolization
- Chest physiotherapy (in the absence of any AGMP)
- Oxygen delivered at less than or equal to 6 liters per minute by nasal prongs & less than or equal to 15 liters per minute by Venturi masks/non-rebreather masks
- Intranasal medication administration such as naloxone
- All non-airway surgeries with cautery, lasers, saws
- Nasopharyngoscopy or nasopharyngeal airway (e.g. trumpet) insertion
- Laryngeal Mask Airway (LMA) insertion
- Nebulized medication delivery through ventilator circuit for conventional invasive mechanical ventilation
- MDI and soft mist inhaler administration +/- spacer