



Advices

for healthcare providers on the safe use of medical masks



Ensure the efficiency of the bacterial filtration of medical mask is $\geq 95\%$ based on technical standards



Ensure the range of submicron particulate filtration efficiency (PFE) at .01 micron is $\geq 95\%$ based on technical standards



Health care practitioners should continuously wear a medical mask during their routine activities



Ensure the Synthetic blood penetration to be (16 kPa) according to related standards



Perform hand hygiene before putting on the medical mask



The medical mask is not touched to adjust it or displaced from the face for any reason



Place the medical mask carefully, ensuring it covers the mouth and nose, and tie it securely



After removal or whenever a used the medical mask is inadvertently touched, clean hands with appropriate cleaners



The medical mask is changed when wet, soiled, or damaged