



## SCREENING PROTOCOL PER VISIT

### PRIOR TO EXAMINATION

- All efforts will be made to telephone screen the examinee 3 to 5 days prior to the scheduled assessment date. While phone screening is an important step, the **most critical examinee screening will take place on the day of the appointment** and an examinee should not come to an AssessMed location if he or she have any one of the following conditions:
  - Have you been exposed to a confirmed or probable case of COVID-19 in the past 14 days?
  - Have you had a positive COVID-19 test within the last month and/or awaiting the results of a COVID-19 test?
  - Anyone in their household have new or worse cough and shortness of breath?
  - Have or had symptoms, of a fever ( $> 37.8^{\circ}\text{C}$ )?
  - Have had the shakes, chills, severe headache, runny nose, nausea, diarrhea or vomiting in the last 24 hours?
  - Have traveled outside of Canada to any other locations in the past 14 days?
- On the day of the appointment, the clinician or designate must document the examinee's COVID-19 screen was completed and determined to be negative.

### IN PERSON SCREENING PROTOCOL

1. Use the COVID 19 Screening Questionnaire & Protocol form (attached)
2. Screening at confirmation of assessment (**Touch Point 1**), and document
3. Ensure examinee is made aware of the following:
  - No others accompanying the examinee will be admitted.
  - Limit the number of personal belongings they bring into the site during the appointment.
  - That we will be completing a final screening questionnaire and will be taking their temperature prior to the appointment. To help prevent the spread they will be asked to sanitize their hands and wear a mask during their appointment.
  - Do you have any questions?
4. Arrival of examinee
  - Examinee will sanitize hands and put on PPE (mask, gloves, shoe covers)
  - **Nurse meets examinee in controlled environment, prior to examinee being allowed in waiting or examination areas.**
  - Complete Prior to Appointment Screening (**Touch Point 2**) - document
  - Temperature Recorded – Pass or Fail
  - Direct examinee to waiting or assessment room - limit amount of individuals within waiting area.
  - Examinee will dispose of PPE upon exit and wait for transportation outside the office. No amount of waiting in the waiting room is permitted.
  - Request that examinee participate in a brief exit survey.
5. Upload COVID 19 Screening Questionnaire into examinee file.