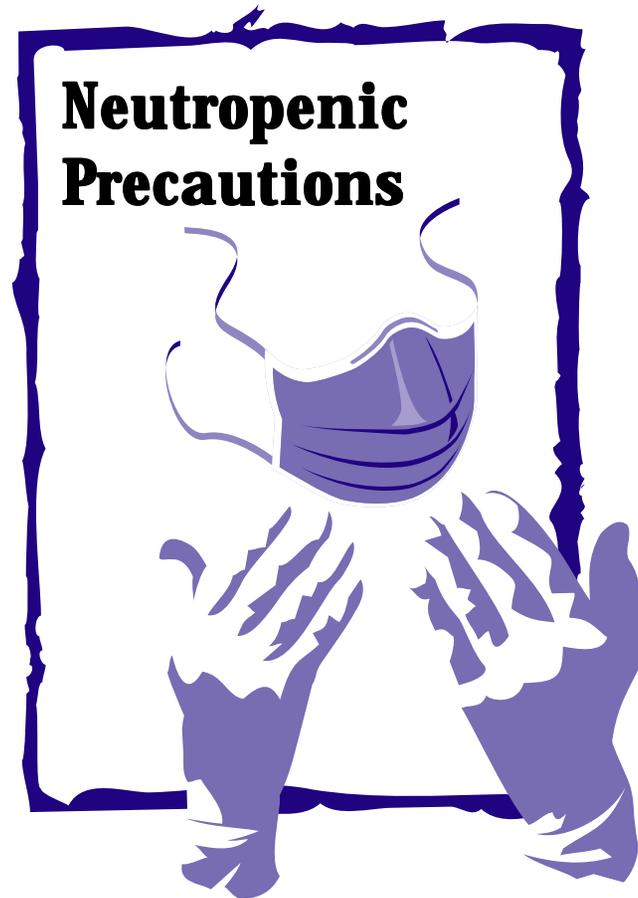


If you have any questions concerning Neutropenic Precaution please ask your Nurse to contact Infection Control at extension 470 or 1204. We will be happy to come to your room and answer any questions.



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## **Neutropenic Precautions**

Your Physician has ordered you to be placed in Neutropenic Precautions. This type of precautions is to protect you from any type of organisms that can be carried by staff or visitors. Even if the people entering the room are healthy, they will be required to follow these precautions.

You will be placed in a special private room. This room's air will be ventilated to keep the organisms out. The doors to your room will have to remain closed. Everyone who enters your room will wear a mask. This includes staff and visitors. Ideally any person with a cold, or cold symptoms should not enter your room. All staff and visitors should wash their hands with lots of soap and water before they enter your room and after they leave your room.

You will be asked to stay in your room while in Neutropenic Precautions, but if you are to leave your room for any reason, you are to wear a mask. This is to prevent the organism from getting in your nose or mouth.

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