Recommended Equipment, Supplies, and Drugs in the Room for OR Cases in Patients with Suspected or Confirmed COVID-19

Only the minimum necessary equipment, supplies, and drugs should be taken in the room, to reduce contamination of unused supplies.

The anesthesia machine will not have extra supplies and the Omnicell will not be accessible.

In-room supplies (one of each) should include:

- Container of sani-wipes
- Anesthesia mask
- Circuit with HEPA filter on distal end and on expiratory limb inlet
- EPIC workstation and Omnicell covered in plastic
- One box of gloves of appropriate size(s)

Laryngoscopes:
Only one laryngoscope and one ETT should be taken in the room. Additional intubating equipment that might be required should be placed on top of the Armstrong cart, quickly available to be handed in if it is needed. A video laryngoscope (VL) with a disposable blade is usually the preferred option, to increase the distance from the patient. Check carefully that both VL and (disposable) direct laryngoscope are working and have a bright light while setting up for the case. Replace them if there is any concern. Ensure that a rigid stylet is available for VL.

Basic Case Container:

- Pulse oximeter probe
- Set of 5 EKG electrodes
- Portable hand sanitizer
- 7.5 ETT
- Stylet
- Oral airway
- Tongue depressor
- Bite block
- Roll of one inch tape
- 1 – 3 ml, 5 ml and 10 ml syringes
- TOF monitor
- 2 OR drape clips
- Oxygen face mask with ear-loop surgical mask
- 2 Tegaderms
- Esophageal temperature probe
- Small packet of gel lube for stylet