

Coronavirus (COVID-19) and Other Resources

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COVID-19 Resources for First Line Management

Primary Health Care Facility Management of Possible COVID-19

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PACK Mental Health for Health Workers Leaflet COVID-19

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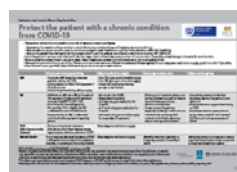
PACK Practise Safely COVID-19

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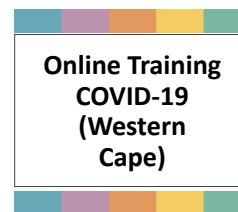
Protect the patient with a chronic condition

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Online training: COVID-19 for health workers (Western Cape, South Africa)

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COVID-19 Resources for the Public and Communities

Mask Information COVID-19 (English)

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Mask Information COVID-19 (Afrikaans)

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Mask Information COVID-19 (isiXhosa)

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