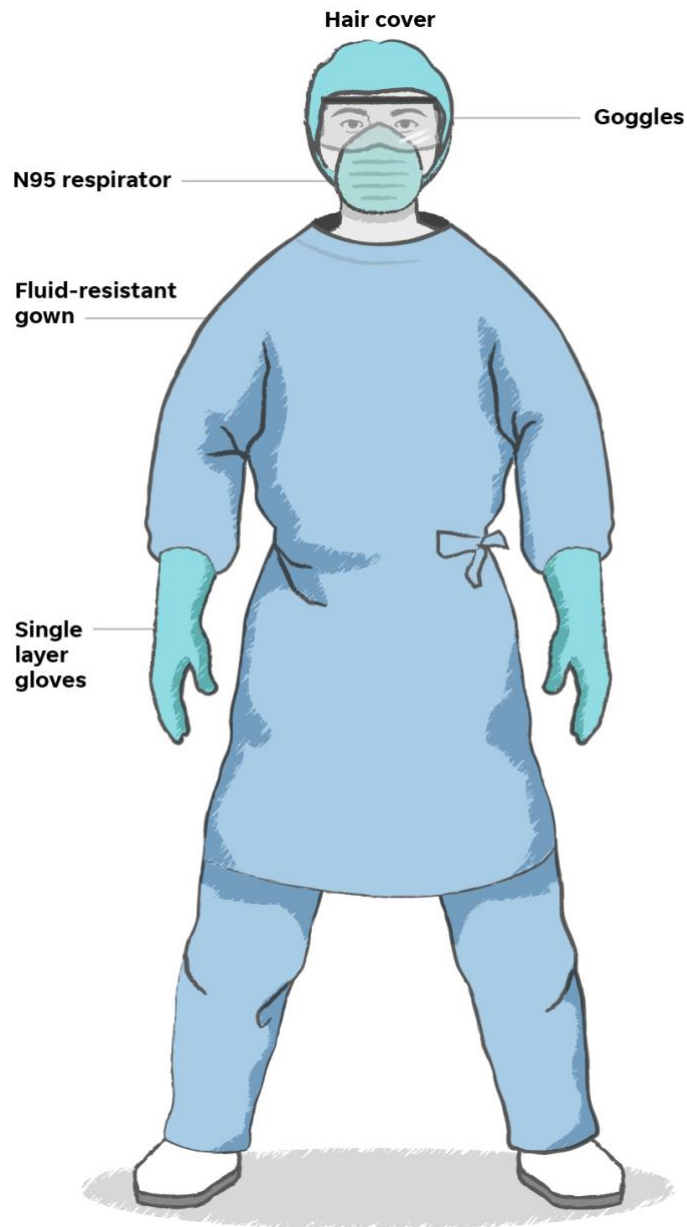




PPE - Personal Protective Equipment

is worn by front-line workers who are caring for COVID-19 patients
it protects them from catching the disease and
spreading it to other patients, family and friends



Head cover

- Keeps COVID-19 out of hair

Goggles

- Keeps it out of eyes

N95 respirator

- Special fitted mask that can be worn for a longer time and keeps from breathing in virus

Gown

- Protects body from patient fluids

Gloves

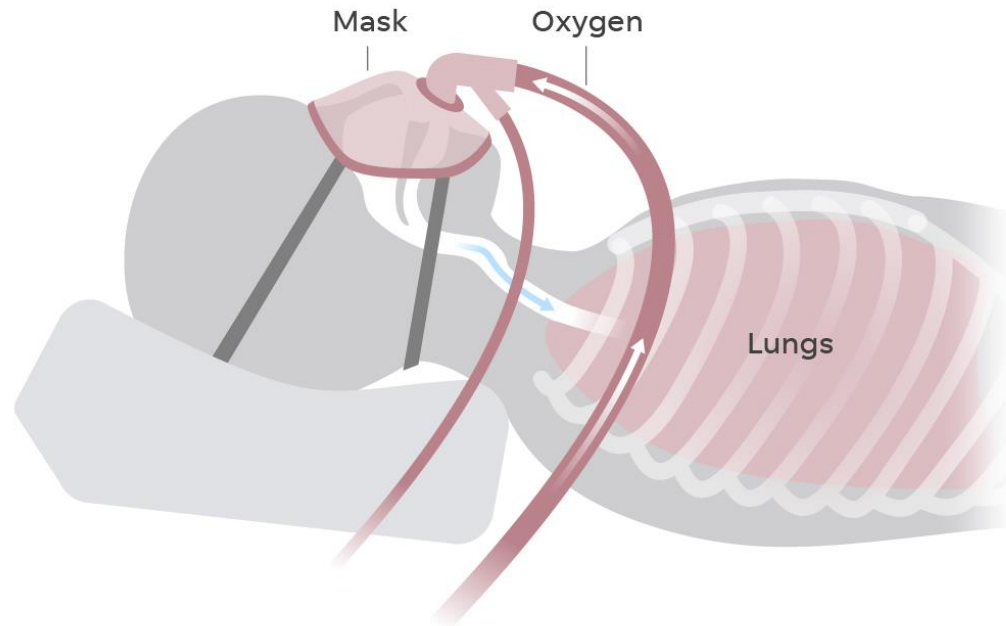
- Protects hands

Ventilator

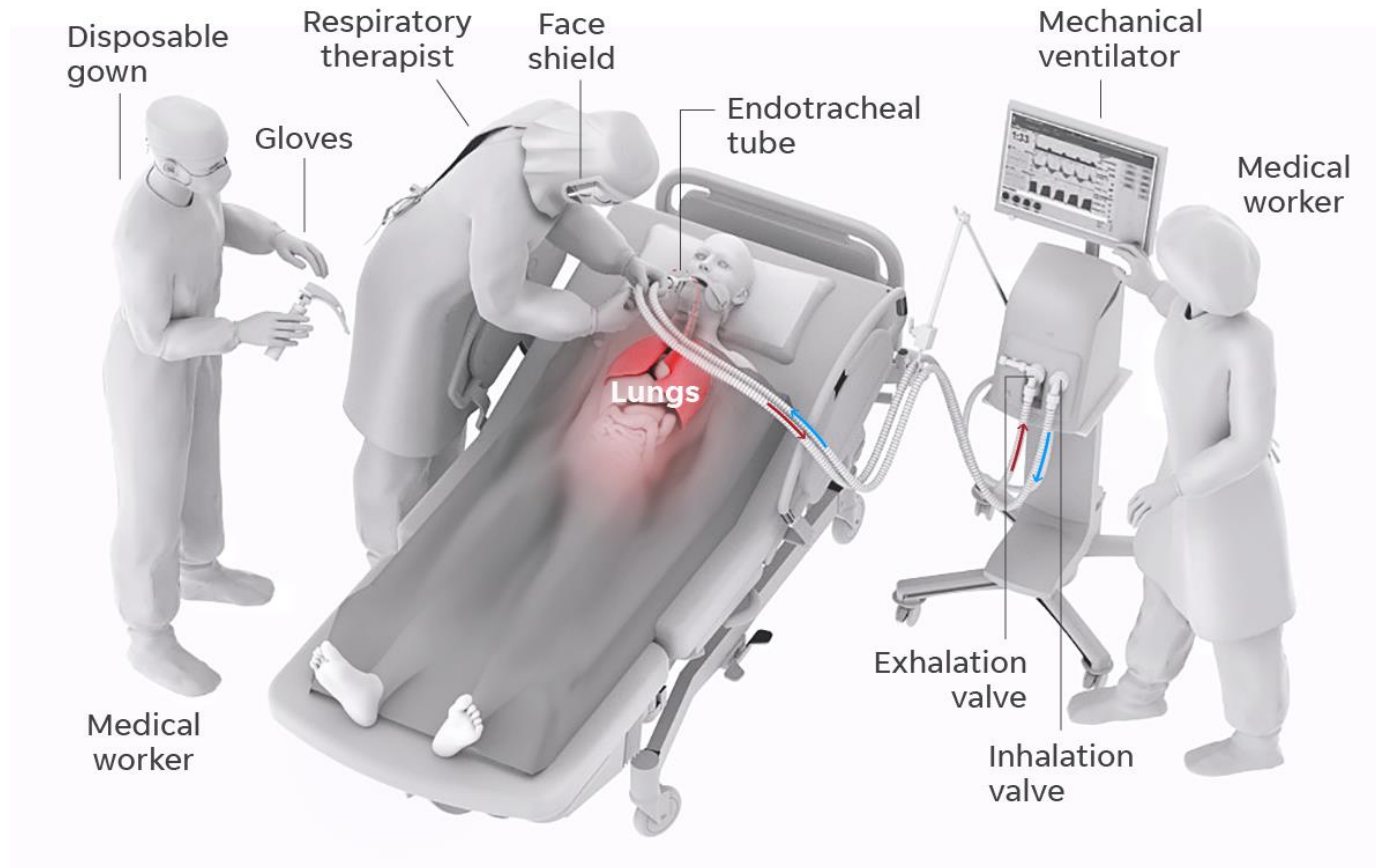
- COVID-19 affects the lungs and keeps patients from getting oxygen.
- People cannot live without oxygen.
- Ventilators help get oxygen into lungs.
- There are 2 types of ventilators

Non-invasive

Mask over face,
helps the patient get more
oxygen into their lungs



Invasive



- Used when the lungs stop working. It breathes for the patient.
- Requires a lot of front-line workers to help the patient (this picture shows three workers)
- Tube must be carefully inserted down throat into the lungs.
- The patient can be on it for anywhere from a few days to even weeks
- This is used only in the most serious of cases