

# 10 TIPS FOR LAUNDRY

1.



Wear disposable gloves and an apron when handling used linen.

2.



Determine the PPE required by checking your care home's policies and procedures.

3.



Follow your care home's colour coding system

10.



Regularly clean laundry equipment and machinery throughout the day.

4.



Separate used, heavily soiled and infectious laundry into three different coloured bags.

9.



Dry laundry items as quickly as possible.

5.



Place heavily soiled or infectious laundry into leak proof water-soluble bags.

8.



Fill laundry bags to three quarters capacity.

7.



Don't hold dirty laundry close to your body.

6.



Never wrap towels inside the sheets.

