COVID-19: Five key goals in managing an obstetric emergency

1. Teamwork: Assign team roles and help each other to get ready.

2. Transitions: Be aware of the transitions of staff and equipment between ‘dirty’ and ‘clean’ zones.

3. Communication: Recognise and manage communication challenges caused by wearing PPE.

4. Design and layout: Organise work flows and equipment to make the right way the easy way.

5. Evaluate: Take the opportunity to debrief as a team.

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