

# Annex C Sample checklist assessment of environmental conditions for home care of patients with ARIs of potential concern

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The sample checklists below can be used to assess environmental conditions for home care of patients with ARIs of potential concern. Circle “Y” (yes) or “N” (no) for each option.

## Infrastructure

Functioning telephone	Y	N
Any other means to rapidly communicate with the health system	Y	N
Potable water	Y	N
Sewerage system	Y	N
Cooking source (and fuel)	Y	N
Operable electricity	Y	N
Operable heat source when required	Y	N
Adequate environmental ventilation	Y	N

## Accommodation

Separate room or bedroom for the patient	Y	N
Accessible bathroom	Y	N

## Resources

Food	Y	N
Necessary medications	Y	N
Medical masks <sup>a</sup> (patient)	Y	N
Medical masks <sup>a</sup> (care providers, household contacts)	Y	N
Gloves <sup>a</sup>	Y	N
Hand-hygiene items (soap, alcohol-based hand rub)	Y	N
Household cleaning products	Y	N

<sup>a</sup> Check feasibility of training patient and household contacts on use of PPE

## Primary care and support

Person to provide care and support	Y	N
Access to medical advice and care	Y	N
Any at-risk people at home (e.g. children < 2 years of age, elderly > 65 years of age, immunocompromised people)	Y	N