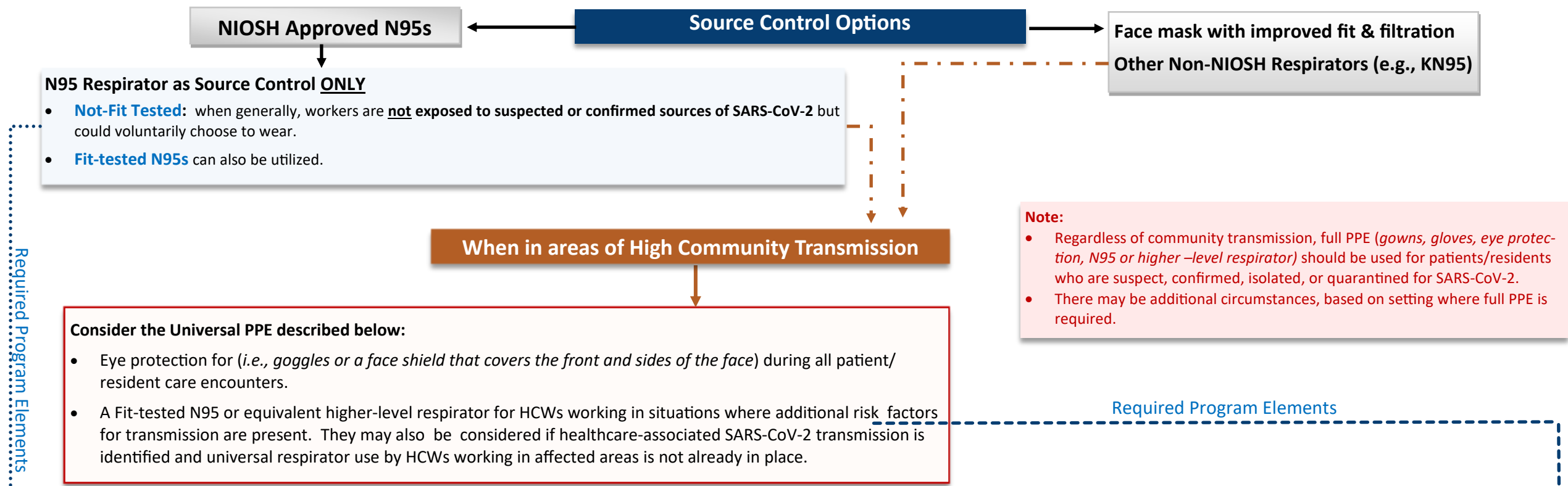


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Key—Line Type

- . . . → Dependent upon community transmission level
- Always applicable
-→ Review more details in table

Respirator Use Required Elements	Mini RPP Respirator as Source Control Only	Normal RPP	
		Respirator as Source Control Only	Respirator as Source Control & PPE OR Respirator as PPE only
Written Program Plan		✓	✓
Staff Training	✓	✓	✓
Choosing respirator that fits well	✓	✓	✓
Medical Evaluation			✓
Fit-Testing			✓
User Seal (fit) Checks (<i>when donning</i>)	✓	✓	✓
N95 used for source control - follow Extended-Use guidelines listed in <i>Conventional Capacity</i> supply strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none">• May be used until they become soiled, damaged, ok hard to breathe through. Should be immediately discarded after removal.	✓	✓	✓
If during practice of extended-use of N95s as source control, N95s are also used as respiratory protection (PPE), it is considered a <i>Contingency Capacity</i> Strategy and facility would need to follow those guidelines		Not/applicable as Respirator would be considered <u>PPE</u> and all apply	✓

References:
HAI Website: <https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/infectious-disease/hai/resources.shtml>
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