Flowchart for Treating Nursing Home Resident Patients in the Office

Speak to the administrator at the nursing home regarding any current COVID-19 cases at the facility

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No COVID-19 cases present at the facility

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Continue with screening remotely

Consider testing the prospective patient for COVID-19 prior to the procedure

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Screen, including temperature checks at the office, all patients for COVID-19 risk factors and symptoms

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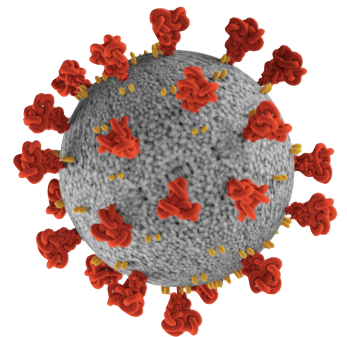Schedule the appointment for the first patient of the day to limit exposure from other patients

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Consider a follow-up call at two weeks to assess COVID-19 status of the patient and the facility