

ECH COLOUR CODED LAUNDRY BAGS

ITEMS TO BE LAUNDERED ON SITE

Non-infected items to be placed in a **green** bag e.g.:-



- Ward clothing, duvet covers etc.
- Curtains (window and bed). Please discuss with Laundry staff prior to sending a large amount.
- Patient's personal items - to be placed in a separate named carrier bag within a **green** bag.

Infected or heavily soiled items (NB excess matter should be removed prior to placing in laundry bag) to be placed in an **alginate** bag within a **green** bag e.g.:-



- Patient's personal items to be placed in a **red** alginate bag (delicates can be placed in a **clear** alginate bag) in a separate named carrier bag within a **green** bag.



- Curtains from a terminal clean (window and bed) to be placed in a **red** alginate bag within a **green** bag. Please discuss with Laundry staff prior to sending a large amount.

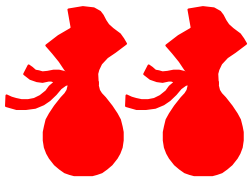
ITEMS TO BE LAUNDERED OFF SITE



Non-infected items to be placed within a **white** bag e.g.:-

- Sheets, pillowcases, towels and blankets

Infected items to be placed in a **red** alginate bag within a **red** bag e.g.:-



- Sheets, pillowcases, towels and blankets.

**All infected laundry bags or those going to ECH must be labelled
For further information please contact the Laundry on 2495**