Who are infection preventionists?

Infection preventionists use their detective skills to find the bad germs and make sure everyone is doing the right things to keep you safe.

- Catheters or other devices will be placed in your body after your skin receives proper cleaning.
- Healthcare workers will clean their hands before and after they care for you.
- Your healthcare workers will wear gloves, gowns, and masks at the right times. If you are in isolation, you and your visitors may need to do this too.
- Your room and any equipment that is used on you will be clean.

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