

Table 1

Timeline of Methods

Time Period	Hospital Activities	School Activities
0–2 months	Identification of stakeholders: pediatric clinician champion, child life specialists, staff of the hospital information technology team	Identification of stakeholders: technology specialists, administrative leader, principals, and school information technology staff
2–4 months	Stakeholder meetings to address space and time logistics, infection control management, and patient privacy	Providing details to principals; addressing teachers' and administrators' concerns around privacy and comfort with the technology, connectivity at the school, and purpose of the program; trial demonstration of robot for school partners
4–6 months	Development of infection control and operational protocols (see Table 2); determination of patient eligibility; development of materials to provide details to families	Technology acquisition: development and signing of agreements between the hospital and school partners for purchase and maintenance of the robots
6–12 months	Collection of data on operational/technical obstacles and family experiences	Robot deployment and collection of data on operational/technical obstacles