

What an election during the coronavirus outbreak will look like

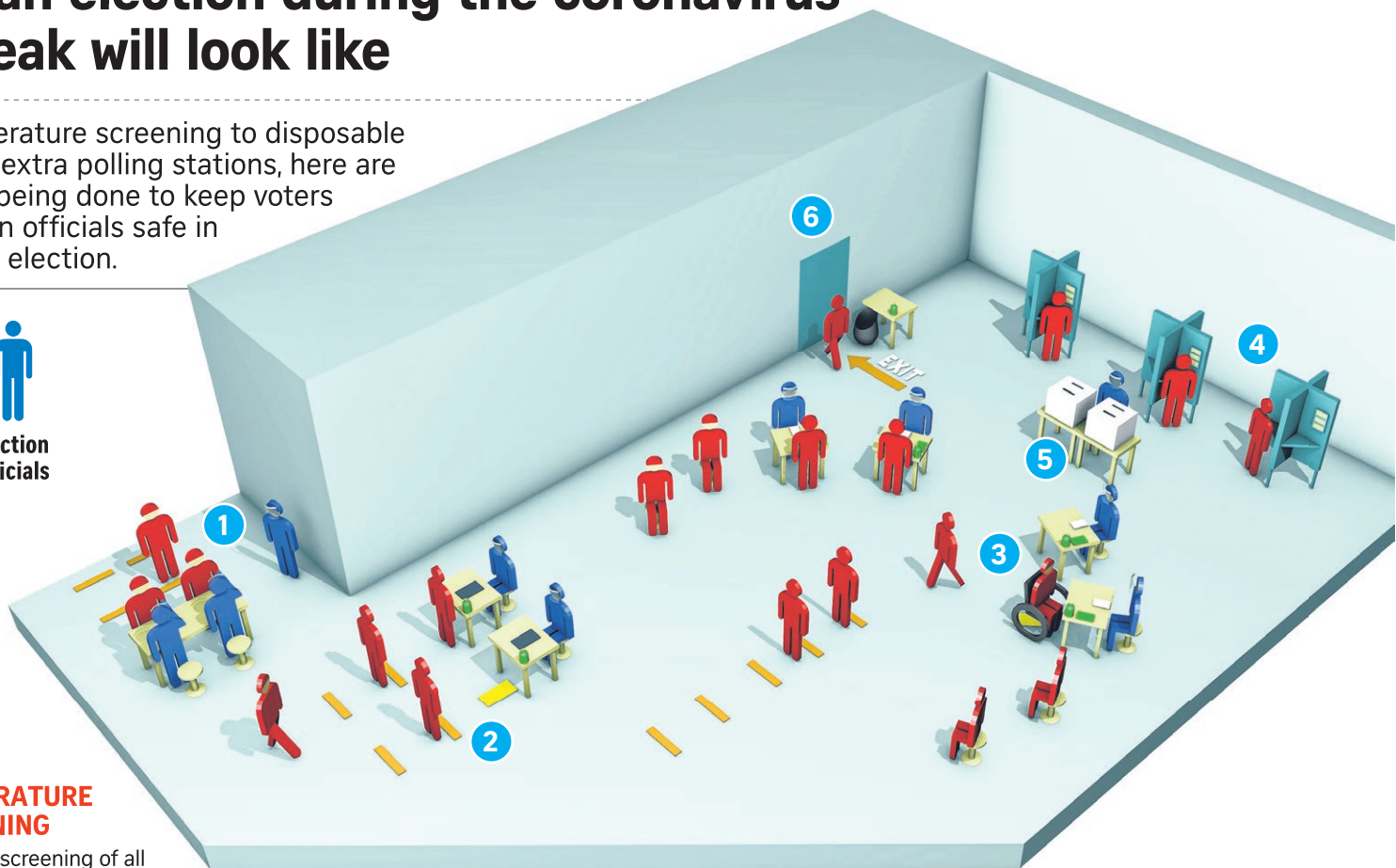
From temperature screening to disposable gloves and extra polling stations, here are the things being done to keep voters and election officials safe in the coming election.



Voters



Election officials



1 TEMPERATURE SCREENING

- Temperature screening of all voters at start of queue to detect persons with fever or respiratory symptoms*.
- Screening for voters with temperature above 37.5 deg C.
- Anyone detected with fever or respiratory symptoms will be refused entry.

*A decision on whether such persons will be allowed to vote will be made later, based on the prevailing Covid-19 situation.

2 ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION

- Voter lowers face mask and shows photo on NRIC to election official, then self-scans NRIC to register.
- If he needs to pass his NRIC to an official, he has to sanitise his hands first.

3 RECEIVE BALLOT PAPER

- Voter sanitises hands and puts on disposable gloves before receiving ballot paper.

4 MARK CHOICE

- Voter marks his choice of candidate with an "X" with the new self-inking pen. He may also use his own pen.

5 DROP BALLOT PAPER INTO BALLOT BOX

- Voter folds ballot paper before dropping it into ballot box.

6 EXIT POLLING STATION

- Voter disposes of gloves in trash bag before leaving polling station.