



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
Aging and Long-Term Support Administration
PO Box 45600, Olympia, Washington 98504-5600

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ALTSA: ESF #2020-006
ALTSA: CCRSS #2020-006
ALTSA: ICF/IID #2020-006

REQUESTS FOR PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

Dear Provider/Administrator/Superintendent:

The Washington State Department of Health (DOH) is receiving a resupply of much needed personal protective equipment (PPE). This includes gowns, gloves, masks and face shields.

The DOH has determined that nursing homes, particularly those with positive COVID-19 residents, are the top priority for PPE along with first responders. Your local health jurisdiction will prioritize and fill other requests according to available resources and consistent with the direction from DOH. This will include assisted living facilities, adult family homes, enhanced services facilities, ICF/IID facilities, and supported living agencies.

If your facility or agency is in need of PPE, please submit your request for PPE supplies through your local health jurisdiction. [Click here for local health jurisdiction contact information](#)

DSHS is not able to supply facility and agency providers with PPE.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Candace Goehring".

Candace Goehring, Director
Residential Care Services

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