

## Bio-Personal Protective Equipment for Community Health Centers

### NNCC Webinar – Links and Resources

- OSHA's Respiratory Protection Standard (<https://www.osha.gov/laws-regs/regulations/standardnumber/1910/1910.134>)
  - Standard guidelines around personal protective equipment which include definitions and requirements for employers.
- CDC: Tools for Protecting Healthcare Personnel (<https://www.cdc.gov/HAI/prevent/ppe.html>)
  - This page includes resources to promote patient safety and increase safety of the healthcare work environment through the improved use of personal protective equipment (PPE) by healthcare personnel.
- CDC: Using Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/hcp/using-ppe.html>)
  - Information on safely donning and doffing PPE gear in addition to CDC printable graphics and a video demonstration.
- Donning and Doffing Video
  - CDC: Demonstration of Donning (Putting On Personal Protective Equipment (PPE))
    - [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=of73FN086E8&feature=emb\\_title](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=of73FN086E8&feature=emb_title)
  - CDC: Demonstration of Doffing (Taking Off) Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
    - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PQxOc13DxvQ>
- Purchasing/Free Medical Equipment & Medicines
  - Direct Relief Network (<https://www.directrelief.org/apply/>)
    - Can donate or apply to join the Direct Relief Network.
  - Americares (<https://www.americares.org/>)
    - Can donate or apply to become an Americares partner to receive free medical products for low-income patients. <https://www.safetynetcenter.org/become-an-americares-partner/>
  - Project95 (<https://www.projectn95.org/>)
    - Website can be referred to for requesting equipment if you are a healthcare provider and need PPE/medical equipment or supplying equipment if you are supplier.
- CDC: Preventing Healthcare-associated Infections (<https://www.cdc.gov/hai/prevent/prevention.html>)
  - This page includes resources to accompany the HHS Action Plan to Prevent Healthcare-Associated Infections.
- Strategies to Optimize the Supply of PPE and Equipment (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/hcp/ppe-strategy/index.html>)
  - CDC guidelines around optimizing PPE during shortages and challenges in the US healthcare system because of the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Respiratory Protection Program
  - Template for clinics from Minnesota Department of Health (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/patientsafety/infectioncontrol/rpp/clintemplate/index.html>)