Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services Announces PPE Resource Request Process

- DHSS will begin receiving orders for PPE from our state cache assets effective Monday, March 16, 2020.
- The state cache asset has limited types of items, as well as limited models and sizes. The SNS Ordering Form delineates the types of items available from the state cache asset. See the top section on page 1 entitled “State Cache Assets”.
- All PPE resource requests must be submitted through your respective healthcare coalition. The information for submitting those requests to the healthcare coalition is in both the attached SNS Ordering Form and on page 2 of the Personal Protective Equipment Resource Request Process.
- Any orders sent directly to DHSS will be returned with no action and the requestor will be required to resubmit through the appropriate process.
- It is not a requirement that your facility or organization is involved with your respective healthcare coalition to place an order to receive PPE from the state cache assets.
- If you do not know which of the Missouri healthcare coalitions your facility or organization aligns with, please see the Healthcare Coalition Map.
- Attached are four documents, all of which you will be needed in order to place an order from the state cache assets.
  o Personal Protective Equipment Resource Request Process
  o SNS Ordering Form (Note: Do not be confused by the name, this is the ordering form you should use for resources from the state cache assets.)
  o Instructions for Completing SNS Ordering Form
  o DHSS COVID-19 Personal Protective Equipment Resource Request Approval Decision Process
  o Map of Missouri’s Healthcare Coalitions with points of contact
- Questions about the process may be directed to your healthcare coalition or to the SNS workstation in the DHSS Emergency Response Center at 573-526-5519. Please read the documents thoroughly before placing a phone call to ask a question.