

# Long Term Care Facilities: PPE

## Proper Use of Personal Protective Equipment Webinar Training, Competencies & Resources

**\*\*Administrators – Resources to Train Your Staff\*\***

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To prevent the spread of COVID-19, it's important all long term care staff are using Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) properly when interacting with patients and residents. Providers are encouraged to review with their teams the appropriate way to apply and remove all PPE, including gloves, gowns, masks, and eye protection. Performing observations can be helpful to ensure compliance, prepare staff for reviews by state and local officials and to quickly correct any practices needing improvement.

Florida Health Care Association has developed a helpful Train-the-Trainer webinar and Staff Competency Check-Off and compiled resources to support long term care facilities in this area.

### **FHCA Proper Use of PPE: Train-the-Trainer Webinar**

Designed to educate providers on how to train their staff to properly don and doff PPE, including face masks, eye protection, gloves, and gowns. A.C. Burke of RB Health Partners, Inc., reviews proper usage of varying types of PPE, with resources provided to build your staff training based on the PPE your facility may be using. PPE training competencies and a competency tool are also addressed. *Geared toward nurse managers, supervisors, facility administration, risk managers, staff educators, infection preventionists and ALF Resident Service Directors, along with vendors that provide contract staff who work onsite in long term care facilities.*

### **Website Resources Include:**

- PPE Proper Use Webinar Recording, Handouts and Q&A
- PPE Training Competency Check-Off
- Proper Donning and Doffing Resource Links
- PPE Resource Links for Posting Materials in Facility
- PPE Conservation Resource Links, including Burn Rate Calculator

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