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<u>Strategies for Managing a Surge in COVID-19 Cases Webinar (also referred to as the Surge Roadmap)</u>
https://files.asprtracie.hhs.gov/documents/patient-surge-management-resources-webinar-slides.pdf

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic: Personal Protective Equipment Preservation Best Practices

This fact sheet summarizes best practices for national implementation to sustain supplies of personal protective equipment (PPE) while ensuring the protection of healthcare personnel (HCP) and first responders during the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic response.

https://files.asprtracie.hhs.gov/documents/fema-fact-sheet-ppe-preservation-best-practices-update---14-july-2020.pdf

<u>Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Preservation Strategies and Resource Request Process Guide Action Plan for Current or Anticipated COVID-19 PPE Shortages</u>

This is a concise guide for organizations to plan and to implement PPE preservation strategies, including information on ways to obtain new PPE supplies, either from commercial vendors or through state, local, tribal, and territorial (SLTT) jurisdictions or through federal channels. Facilities should work through each step until a step leads to a resolution. https://files.asprtracie.hhs.gov/documents/personal-protective-equipment--ppe--preservation-implementation-strategy-final-.pdf

Fact Sheet: Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Preservation Planning Toolkit

This toolkit is designed to aid any PPE-using organization to plan and implement preservation strategies. It provides estimates of the value of implementing preservation actions to reduce (use of), to reuse, or to repurpose PPE. The fact sheet contains the links to two additional resources that are part of the toolkit: the guide and the tool.

https://files.asprtracie.hhs.gov/documents/ppepp-toolkit-fact-sheet-hrwg.pdf

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<u>Elastomeric Half-Mask Respirators and Powered Air-Purifying Respirators in Healthcare and Emergency Medical</u> <u>Service Settings</u>

This fact sheet provides useful information for healthcare and emergency medical service organizations regarding reusable, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH)-approved elastomeric half-mask respirators (EHMRs) and powered air-purifying respirators (PAPRs) to expand options to meet respiratory protection demand. https://files.asprtracie.hhs.gov/documents/elastomeric-half-mask-respirators-and-powered-air-purifying-respirators-in-healthcare-and-ems-settings-fact-sheet.pdf

Respirators for Healthcare during COVID-19: Authorized Use & Avoiding Fraudulent Products

This fact sheet provides an overview of key practices and resources to help consumers to understand approved and authorized use of respirators, to avoid purchasing fraudulent products, and to report fraud or potentially fraudulent distributors, resellers, or other suppliers.

https://files.asprtracie.hhs.gov/documents/fact-sheet-fraudulent-respirators-8-july-2020.pdf