



# LHA COVID-19 ALERT



## LHA COVID-19 Alert: March 26, 2020 LDH Recalls PPE Alert

**PPE Health Alert Recall:** Today, the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) [recalled](#) the LA HAN [message](#) that was sent yesterday by the Department and was disseminated this morning by the LHA. The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has informed LDH that the shipment of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) that was thought to be going to vendors today will not in fact happen in the way it was originally communicated to the Department. However, according to LDH, “PPE restock will continue to your regular vendor from the manufacturer. Please keep in contact with your vendor to ensure your orders are in the queue until they are filled.” **PPE Request from State Cache:** To request PPE from the limited state cache, hospitals can call the State Supply Hotline at 225-325-5900 to be added to a list as supplies become available. This line is open 7 days a week from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. CST. This information was included in the [PPE Request Process](#) provided by LDH on March 20.

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Note: This Alert is being distributed to **Hospital C-Suite Staff** in the LHA database.