

Introducing PPE Exchange: An Automated Source for PPE and Supplies

At the beginning of the COVID-19 response in Georgia, hospitals and other provider groups struggled to source the personal protective equipment (PPE) and disinfecting supplies necessary to maintain operations.

PPE Exchange can assist organizations in this area. An online marketplace of regional and national PPE suppliers, PPE Exchange is like Amazon, but focused on PPE and supplies. Via PPE Exchange, hospitals, providers, and businesses looking for supplies are virtually connected to a marketplace of verified suppliers where they can search for items, schedule orders, compare prices and complete transaction online.

PPE Exchange is currently providing PPE to some of the nation's largest hospital networks, GPO's, health care insurers, and federal agencies. The Georgia Hospital Association (GHA) is pleased to offer this opportunity to our members.

Please join this webinar for more information:

PPE Exchange Overview

Tuesday, Aug. 4

11 a.m.-noon

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Benefits of sourcing supplies on PPE Exchange:

- Support technology built on blockchain allows you to track the transaction from placement of order to delivery
- Access to more than 200 regional and national suppliers
- Ability to source from MA-based suppliers
- Ability to price shop across numerous suppliers
- Process for aggregate or bulk ordering for smaller volume providers who typically do not meet the required minimums
- A "request a quote" feature to compare current pricing with pricing from PPE Exchange's large network of suppliers

Access the [Georgia marketplace on PPE Exchange](#). Click "Request Access." Enter your email and basic information and an email will be sent to prompt you to reset your password and log in to the website. Please note: *You will need an approved username/password to access the marketplace before beginning your search.*

If you have any questions on large orders or on how PPE Exchange can work directly with you, contact Georgia's dedicated account executive, Rich Garwood, Rich.Garwood@ppe.exchange or GHA's Mallory Garrett mgarrett@gha.org.