

# LIMIT THE SPREAD OF GERMS AND REDUCE INFECTION



## Health care and government health organizations make the following recommendations:

- Stay Home, Save Lives. Avoid gatherings where a distance of at least six feet between individuals cannot be maintained.
- Practice social distancing by keeping a distance of about six feet if you must be around others.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after being in a public place, or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing. If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands.
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Stay home if you are sick, except to get medical care.
- Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when coughing or sneezing; throw used tissues in the trash. If a tissue isn't available, cough or sneeze into your elbow or sleeve, not your hands.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces daily. This includes tables, doorknobs, light switches, handles, desks, computers, phones, keyboards, sinks, toilets, faucets and countertops.
- If surfaces are dirty, clean them - use detergent or soap and water prior to disinfecting.
- Wear a facemask if you are sick. You should wear a facemask when you are around other people and before you enter a healthcare provider's office.

## OCE UTILITY MASK

- **Not a medical device**
- \$1.50 per mask
- Washable/reusable
- Material/design varies based on availability of resources

### OPTION 1: Cotton/Poly Blend Utility Mask

Finished dimensions 8" x 3-3/4"

Cotton/Poly blend fabric

Square-pleated mask

1 layer of fabric

Two elastic ear loops

Various colors based on material availability



### OPTION 2: Cotton/Poly Blend Utility Mask

Finished dimensions 8" x 3-3/4"

Cotton/Poly blend fabric

Cup style

1 layer of fabric

Two elastic head straps

Various colors based on material availability



\* Mask shown with both straps around the neck. Can also be comfortably worn with the top strap above the ear.

*The FDA is aware that as the COVID-19 outbreak continues to expand globally, the supply chain for personal protective equipment (PPE - masks, gowns, hand sanitizer, etc.) devices will continue to be stressed. The FDA recommends conservation strategies for use by healthcare organizations and personnel intended to assist healthcare organizations in determining conservation procedures during this time period.*

*To aid in the conservation of PPE, OCE has developed utility masks to reduce the exposure distance to various levels of particulates, droplets, and aerosols entering the air. This particular item is referred to as a "utility mask". As always, follow good hygiene practices.*

***These utility masks are for use in non-medical circumstances to reduce droplets or spray. They are not reliable to filter small particles and must be washed regularly. Remove the mask after use and be mindful not to touch surfaces or your face after touching the mask. Wash the mask appropriately and practice good hand hygiene afterward. Allow the mask to dry fully before wearing it, as the moisture on the inside can wick moisture inward from the outside.***