The Self-Advocacy Association of New York State

(SANYS)

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Information

We know people have had a hard time finding PPE like gloves and masks

SANYS is advocating with OPWDD to make sure we all get the PPE we need

We know it has been very difficult for people to make sure they have what they need
Here is some information we have learned about getting PPE

If you live in a group home or certified residence OR if you have staff hired by providers…

…the provider agency should give PPE to you and your staff

If you hire your own staff…

…you should work with your Fiscal Intermediary to get PPE

If your FI or provider agency cannot get PPE, let OPWDD know through your DDRO (Developmental Disabilities Regional Office)

https://opwdd.ny.gov/contact-us