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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

DATE: December 8, 2020

TO: Adult Day Care Centers, Child Day Centers, Short-Term Child Day Centers, Voluntarily Registered Family Day Homes, Family Day Homes, Family Day Systems, Religiously Exempt Child Day Centers, and Unlicensed Child Day Programs Receiving Child Care Subsidy Assistance

FROM: Tara Ragland, Director, Division of Licensing Programs

RE: PPE Push Pack Distribution for Adult Day Care Facilities and Child Care Programs

The Virginia Department of Social Services (VDSS) is pleased to inform you that the Governor's Administration has provided funding for personal protective equipment (PPE) "Push Packs" for open adult day care facilities and child care programs. VDSS is partnering with the Virginia Department of Emergency Management (VDEM) Disaster Logistics to provide a direct one time shipment of PPE, which will be delivered to all open adult day care and child care providers listed above by December 31, 2020.

Preparations to distribute supplies are underway. Over the next few weeks, you will receive notification from Estes Freight with additional information and to coordinate delivery. Deliveries will occur Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., wherever possible. Deliveries will not occur on federal holidays. Please be sure that staff is available on the day of delivery to help receive the shipment at the delivery location. If shipments are refused they will be returned to the terminal and VDSS will be notified of the refusal. Deliveries will be completed by December 31, 2020. Please notify VDSS at covidquestions@dss.virginia.gov if you have not heard from Estes Freight by December 18th at noon. In your email, please provide your facility's information and a point of contact for the delivery.

Generally, each Push Pack is expected to include items such as:

- adult cloth masks
- kids cloth masks
- adult surgical masks
- non-contact / infrared digital thermometers
- nitrile gloves

- vinyl exam gloves
- bleach
- sanitizer

Due to a global shortage in supplies, some items will be delayed and will be delivered separately.

The Virginia Department of Social Services understands that this has been a very difficult and challenging time for programs that have remained open during the pandemic and for those that were closed and reopening. Thank you for the work you are doing to ensure the health and safety of adults, children, families, and staff at this critical time.