

## **Direct Service Professional (DSP) COVID-19 Vaccination Need and Access Survey**

ODP is requesting your assistance to **gather information about access to the COVID-19 vaccine for staff employed by ODP enrolled providers**. This as a reminder to complete the DSP COVID-19 Vaccination Need and Access Survey located at <https://www.questionpro.com/t/AJrvGZILGj> by **5:00 PM on March 8, 2021**. The attached planning template will assist in the necessary data collection to complete the survey.

If your agency has already returned the information or is working on completing the survey, you may disregard this message. See the original communication below for more information:

Dear Colleague,

ODP is requesting your assistance to **gather information about access to the COVID-19 vaccine for staff employed by ODP enrolled providers**.

We have developed an online survey to collect information on direct support professionals and other agency staff that provide in-person, ODP funded services to identify gaps in the availability of the COVID-19 vaccine.

We strongly encourage you to complete this survey, as it will assist ODP and the Department of Human Services to plan for and provide additional vaccine resources. The survey should take no more than 5 minutes to complete after organizing the information needed for your agency's submission.

Please visit <https://www.questionpro.com/t/AJrvGZILGj> to access and complete the survey. Survey completion is requested on or before **March 8, 2021**.

**NOTE: Do not include staff that live or work exclusively in Philadelphia in your responses.**

Also attached to this message is a "Planning Template" to help you gather the information needed to complete the survey. This is an optional

resource and is not required to be used. Remember that all responses must be entered into the online survey, please do not submit the Planning Template to ODP.

Please note that this survey and the proposed vaccination locations are for planning purposes only and are subject to change. As such, **providers should continue to attempt to secure vaccinations for their staff through any available vaccine provider.**

You may contact [RA-PWODPEMRGNCYRSPRQ@pa.gov](mailto:RA-PWODPEMRGNCYRSPRQ@pa.gov) with any questions or to request technical assistance in completing the survey.

Note: If you receive an error when attempting to complete the survey, please try a different internet browser such as Chrome, Safari, etc.

Thank you for your assistance and support in making make COVID-19 vaccines available to the Commonwealth's Direct Support Professionals.