

## Online Ventilator Request Information

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The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services has updated its ventilator request process. Hospitals should now use the online version of the Resource Request Form at the link below.

### The link to the online ventilator request form:

<https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/1686136117694dfd8dced5e820873c27>

In order to ensure your request receives prompt attention, please call the DHSS Emergency Response Center (ERC) at 573-751-5152 or 800-392-0272, **after submitting your request.**

Below are the actions that will take place once DHSS receives your request:

- 1) Your request will be reviewed by the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) and a response provided within 4 hours.
- 2) Staff will contact you to confirm that your request meets all requirements, assess delivery timing and location, and discuss the need for any associated supplies such as ventilator circuits. Other questions to your facility may include:
  - a. Do you have sufficient qualified and trained staff to accommodate all the ventilators you are requesting?
  - b. Will you have bed space for the additional patients served by these ventilators?
- 3) Staff will also contact the Healthcare Coalition Coordinator for your region to confirm that a regional discussion on ventilator need and opportunities for resource collaboration have occurred.
- 4) A response will be provided to the primary contact on the final decision.

If you have any further questions, please contact the DHSS ERC at [DRMS@health.mo.gov](mailto:DRMS@health.mo.gov) or 573-751-5152 or 800-392-0272. They will take your information and connect you to the appropriate resource.