COVID-19 Response Efforts - April 10, 2020

The State of Ohio Board of Pharmacy is committed to protecting the health and safety of Ohioans during the COVID-19 outbreak. The Board posted a document on its website that provides COVID-19 guidance and response efforts, including the issuance of waivers to assist licensees in addressing operational needs. This document will be updated regularly and can be accessed by visiting: www.pharmacy.ohio.gov/COVID.

For more information on the state’s efforts to address coronavirus, visit www.coronavirus.ohio.gov or call 1-833-4-ASK-ODH.

Compounding and Preparing Fit Test Solutions for PPE

The Board has received several inquiries regarding the ability of pharmacies to prepare fit-test solutions. As these solutions are not considered dangerous drugs, pharmacies are permitted to compound these solutions, as long as they comply with the OSHA requirements set forth in Appendix A to §1910.134, which can be accessed here.