

Objectives

- What is Project Firstline?
- Who is Project Firstline for?
- Training Modules for Project Firstline
- How can your facility benefit?



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Project Firstline

CDC'S NATIONAL TRAINING COLLABORATIVE FOR HEALTHCARE INFECTION PREVENTION & CONTROL

To stop the spread of infectious disease threats—including COVID-19—anyone working in a healthcare facility needs a foundational knowledge of infection control and must understand and be ready to implement infection control protocols and procedures throughout their workday, including during every patient care activity and healthcare interaction.



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CDC's Project Firstline (PFL)

"INFECTION CONTROL IS FOR EVERYONE. IT'S A LIFE SKILL."

- Collaboration between diverse healthcare professionals and public health experts
- Provides engaging and innovative infection control and prevention training for frontline healthcare workers and healthcare support workers.
- Training modules and contents are designed for healthcare workers, regardless of educational background and experience level.



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Why use PFL?

Project Firstline training modules can be incorporated with:

- new hire orientation,
- intervention for plan of correction,
- annual in-service for staff
- ad hoc update to current guidelines and recommendations during a huddle



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Available Training Modules

Materials are presented in sequence; however, you may mix and match content to meet your facility's needs

- The Concept of Infection Control
- The Basic Science of Viruses
- How Respiratory Droplets Spread COVID 19
- How Viruses Spread from Surfaces to People
- How COVID-19 Spreads: A Review





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Additional Training Modules

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- Multi-Dose Vials
- PPE Part 1 Eye Protection
- PPE Part 2: Gloves and Gowns
- Hand Hygiene
- Virus Strains



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How long are the training modules?

- Each of the 10 training module topics comes with a lesson plan for a 60-minute session, a 20minute session, or a 10-minute session
- This allows for flexibility for the facilitator:
 - Use a 10-minute session when time is short,
 - or a 60-minute session when more in-depth treatment of the subject is needed.





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How can we take the Training Modules for PFL?

- DC Health staff can train your facility's staff to be a facilitator, or you can have a DC Health Project Firstline Facilitator provide the training in your facility
- DC Health can provide recommendations on which training modules would be most appropriate to your facility and situation.

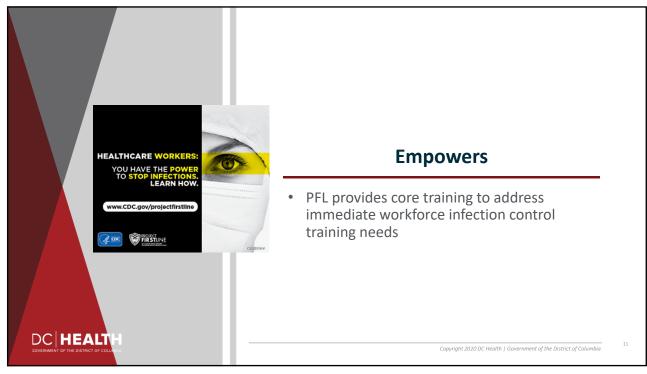




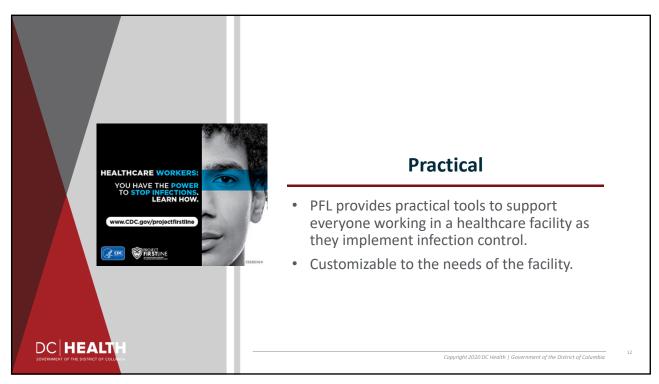
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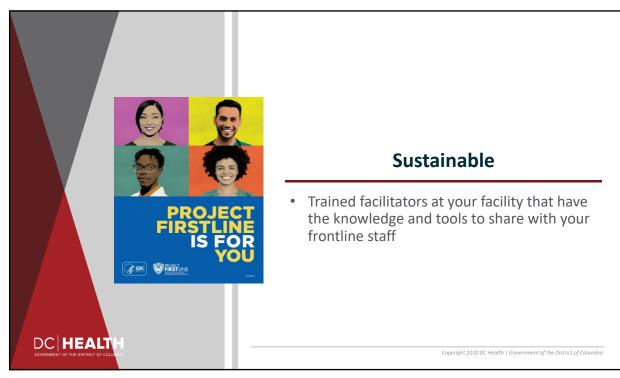
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When incorporated with your current IPC Program, you can have the peace of mind knowing you will have the most updated information from the CDC!

Questions?

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