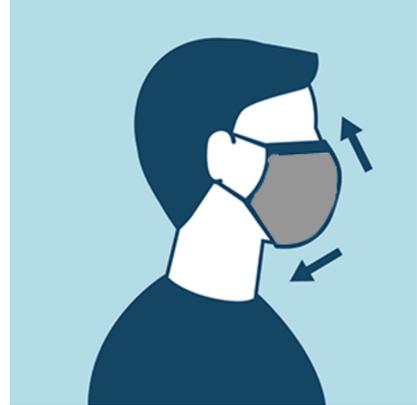


This mask was made for you with heart by a Creekside Cares volunteer! This mask is 100% quilting cotton. It has a small pocket opening in the back to allow you to insert filter material. The filter material included is made of non-medical grade polypropylene, which is very similar to the material used in surgical masks. Please remove your filter material prior to machine-washing of your mask. The filter material may be rinsed with warm soapy water and allowed to air dry. Do not iron your filter material; it will break down the integrity. This filter material is water resistant and does help prevent the spread of some bodily fluids. You can also use paper towels or coffee filter as filter material in a pinch.



This mask cannot prevent COVID 19, but may help prevent and reduce the spread. Please practice safe distancing, and follow all local, state and federal guidelines in place. Please do not get a false sense of safety from this mask.

Your mask has a front and back. The back should be placed against your face and features the filter pocket. Your mask also features a channel for the insertion of a moldable aluminum strip in the nose bridge area of the mask. Once inserted, form the wire to your nose to create a tighter seal. This is especially helpful in creating a tighter seal and reducing fog for eyeglass wearers.

To wash your mask, please wash in warm water, with normal detergent. Please be reminded to remove the filter material and the aluminum strip prior to washing. The mask can be machine or air-dried. Don't microwave it!

Your mask features adjustable elastic at the ears. Use the diagram above as a guide on how to wear your mask. The CDC recommends covering your nose and mouth at all times. *A portion of the proceeds from this mask have helped Creekside Cares defray the costs associated with maintaining our 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Another portion will help us purchase supplies to make masks for charitable causes.*

Stay safe!

Hugs and stitches,  
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