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Covid-19's impact**

3D Printed Masks Being Developed in Colombia

Makers Colombia2



Colombia

Source: Ana Muñoz, Founder and Director, 1/4Tech Lab (ACE Leader)

Makers Colombia, a national movement of researchers and open innovators, supported several groups of makers in the creation of open-source face shields to protect health professionals treating Covid-19 patients. Following high-quality standards, face shields are made of acetate and produced through 3D printing. Makers around the country are manufacturing them and have distributed more than 600 face shields in several health institutions.

Moreover, Makers Colombia has launched a digital platform and is mapping initiatives throughout the country to create personal protective equipment and ventilators.

What support does the initiative needs?

Makers Colombia requires funding and supply of materials to manufacture the face shields, such as elastic plastic bands, printing filaments, and acetate sheets.

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