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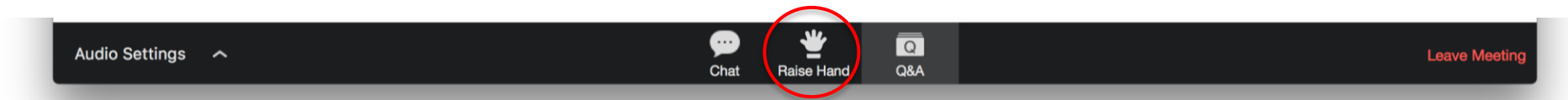
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All Member National MCH Policy Call Series/ COVID-19 Town Hall

April 2, 2020



Agenda

- Welcome
Jonathan Webb, AMCHP CEO
- Legislative Update
Amy Haddad, AMCHP Director of Government Affairs
- CDC Update
Dr. Romeo Galang, Medical Care and Countermeasures Task Force
Dr. Georgina Peacock, At-Risk Task Force
- MCHB Update
Dr. Michael Warren, Associate Administrator
- Q&A/State Needs
- State Sharing
- Wrap-Up

COVID-19 Legislative Packages

- Package #1: Corona Virus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act (Became Law on March 6th)
- Package #2: Families First Coronavirus Response Act (Became Law on March 18)
- Package #3: Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act (Became Law on March 27)

Package #1:

Corona Virus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act

- \$8.3 billion in emergency funding for federal agencies to respond to the Corona Virus outbreak
 - \$1.6 billion for international response

Package #1: Corona Virus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act

**\$6.7
billion**
for domestic
response

\$3.4 billion for Public Health & Social
Services Emergency Fund (PHSSEF)

\$1.9 billion for CDC

\$836 million for NIAID

\$61 million for FDA

\$20 million for Small Business Administration

Package #2: Families First Coronavirus Response Act



Emergency Paid Sick Leave



Emergency Paid Family Leave



Unemployment benefits

Package #2: Families First Coronavirus Response Act



Free coronavirus testing



Expanded food assistance – WIC, foodbanks, nutrition assistance for Territories, school meals



Requires employers to provide additional **protections for health care workers**



Emergency 6.2% **increase to FMAP**

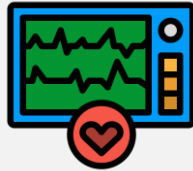
Package #3: Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act

Coronavirus Relief Fund

\$150 billion to states for necessary expenditures incurred in responding to the coronavirus outbreak (ex/ building hospitals and buying ventilators)

- March 1, 2020 - December 31, 2020
- Every state is guaranteed at least \$1.25 billion, remainder determined by population
- Tribal set aside of \$8 billion
- Localities with more than 500,000 people can apply directly

Package #3: Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act



\$150 billion for **health system equipment and infrastructure**



Direct **payments to families**



Student Loan Relief



\$1.32 billion for **Community Healthy Centers**

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Emergency support for:

- schools
- child care
- transit
- aviation
- housing

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Miscellaneous

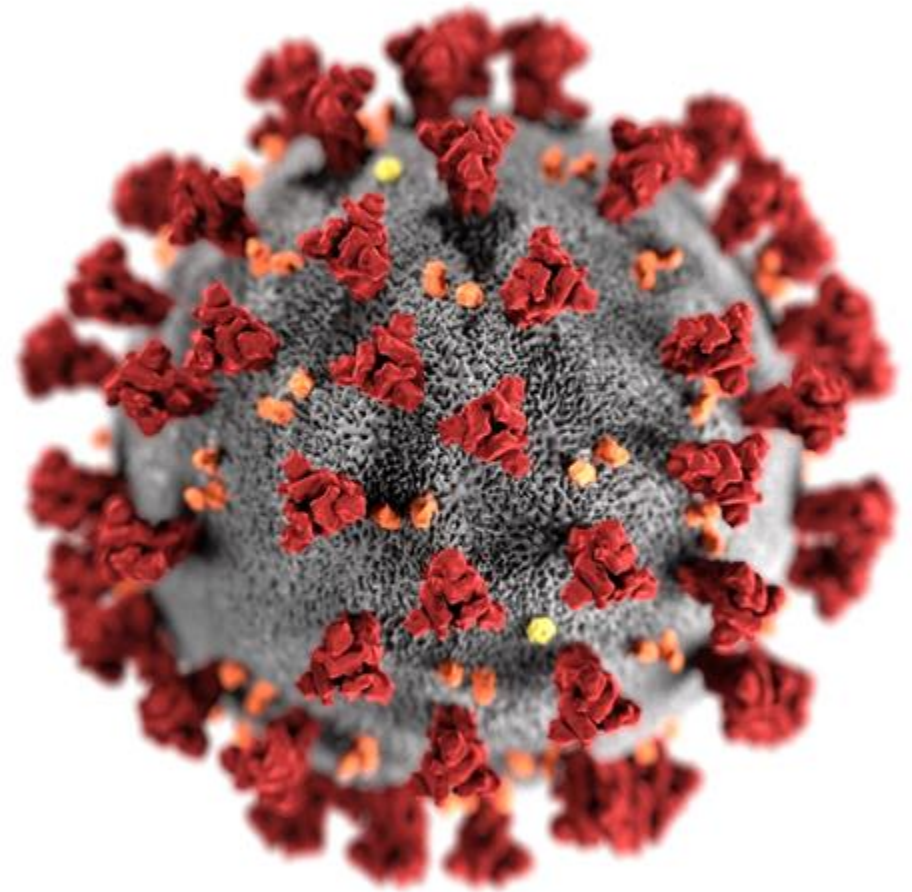
- **Healthy Start** program reauthorized for 5 years
- **Title VII and Title VIII** reauthorized (health professions and nurses) for 5 years
- Extension of **PREP and SRAE** (formerly Abstinence-Only Education) through November 30



Dr. Romeo Galang

*Medical Care and Countermeasures
Task Force*

At-Risk Task Force Overview



COVID-19: At-Risk Task Force Mission

- Reduce morbidity and mortality of those at risk
 - At-risk medical conditions
 - Groups at risk
 - Social-behavioral health



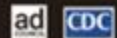
While there is limited information regarding risk factors for severe illness from COVID-19, people of any age who have serious underlying medical conditions like diabetes may be at higher risk for getting sick. Learn what actions you should take to reduce your risk: <https://bit.ly/2UurzDU>

Have Diabetes?

You're at higher risk
for **Coronavirus**

Learn what to do at coronavirus.gov

TOGETHER, WE CAN HELP STOP THE SPREAD.



At-Risk Taskforce: What We Do

Higher Risk for Severe Illness

- People 65 and older
- People who live in a nursing home or long-term care facility
- People with chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma
- People who have serious heart conditions
- People with severe obesity (body mass index [BMI] of 40 or higher)
- People with diabetes
- People with chronic kidney disease undergoing dialysis
- People with liver disease

Other Populations at Risk

- Pregnant people
- People experiencing homelessness
- People with disabilities
- Minority groups (racial and ethnic, sexual, and gender)

In conjunction with CDC communications

- People who speak English as a second language
- People with low literacy

Social-Behavioral Health and Emotional Wellbeing

- Substance abuse
- Interpersonal and domestic violence
- Mental health, coping and resilience



COVID-19: At-Risk Task Force



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Caring for a loved one may cause stress and anxiety during the COVID-19 outbreak. If you feel overwhelmed and need help coping, find ways to manage your feelings:

- Connect with family and friends by phone, text, or email.
- Call, email, or text your healthcare professional.
- Get support 24/7 by calling 1-800-985-5990 or text TalkWithUs to 66746.

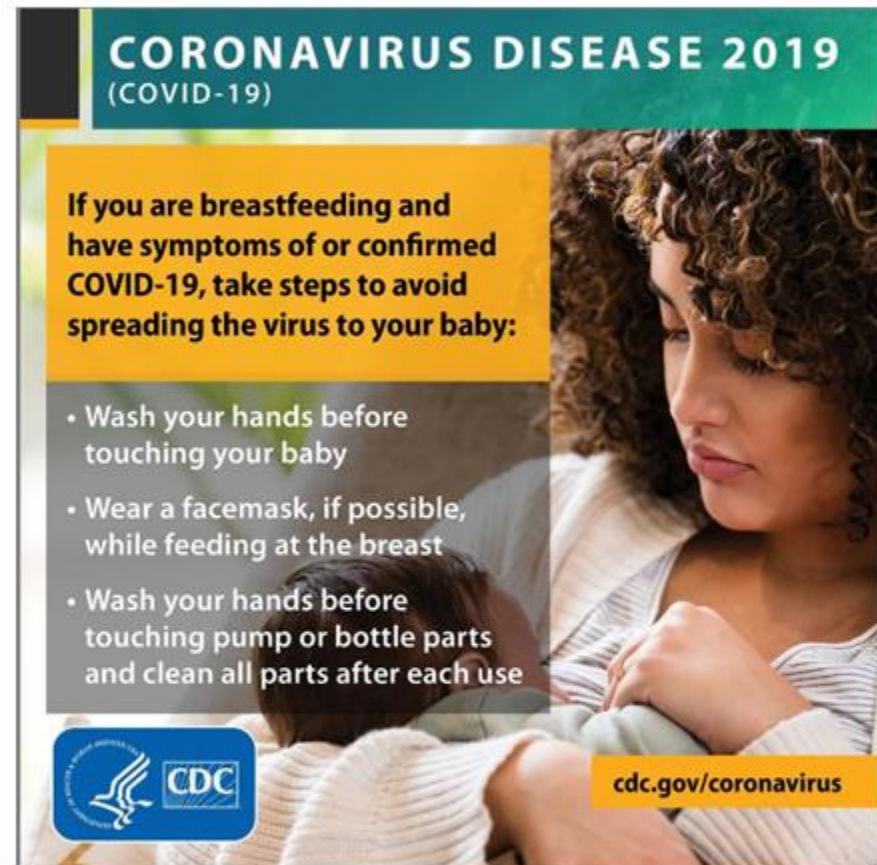
Learn more about stress and coping during the COVID-19 outbreak: <https://bit.ly/39UVoEj>

CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19)



Maternal Child Health


- Pregnancy Risks
- Maternal-Child Transmission
- Breastfeeding
- Infant Health
- Addressing Partner Concerns

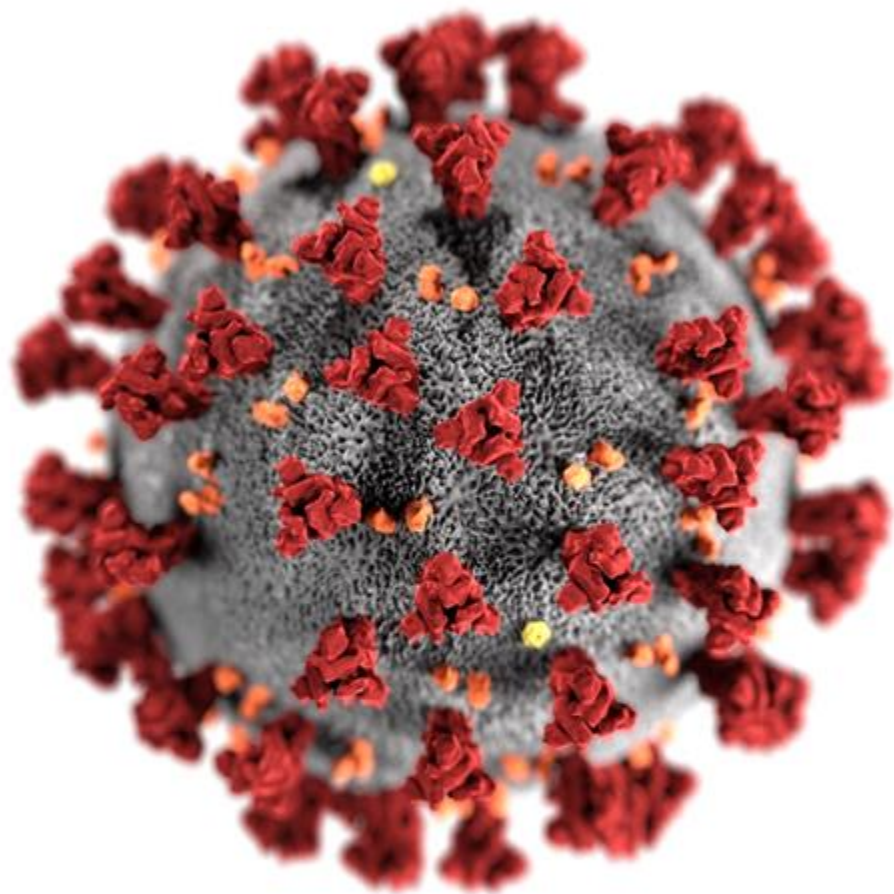


CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019
(COVID-19)

If you are breastfeeding and have symptoms of or confirmed COVID-19, take steps to avoid spreading the virus to your baby:

- Wash your hands before touching your baby
- Wear a facemask, if possible, while feeding at the breast
- Wash your hands before touching pump or bottle parts and clean all parts after each use

 cdc.gov/coronavirus



For more information, contact CDC
1-800-CDC-INFO (232-4636)
TTY: 1-888-232-6348 www.cdc.gov

The findings and conclusions in this report are those of the authors and do not necessarily represent the official position of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.



COVID-19 Town Hall

April 2, 2020

**Dr. Michael Warren, Associate Administrator
Maternal and Child Health Bureau**

Vision: Healthy Communities, Healthy People



FY 2021 MCH Block Grant Application/FY 2019 Annual Report Modified Timeline

September 15, 2020

- Due Date for Submission of the State MCH Block Grant FY 2021 Applications/FY 2019 Annual Reports, which include the 2020 Five-Year Needs Assessment Summary.

September 30, 2020

- Abbreviated internal review that provides for financial assurance (e.g., 30-30-10 rule) and ensures completeness of the Application/Annual Report are submitted).

October 1, 2020

- Award of the FY 2021 MCH Block Grants

October 1, 2020 -
December 31, 2020

- Virtual MCH Block Grant meetings with each of the 59 States/jurisdictions to allow for more in-depth program analysis and technical assistance.

October 1, 2020 -
March 31, 2021

- Dissemination of MCH Block Grant Application/Annual Report Review Summary Statements to State Title V Grantees.



COVID-19 MCH Resources

- [Coronavirus.gov](https://www.coronavirus.gov) -- Primary portal of information for the public regarding COVID-19
- <https://mchb.hrsa.gov/coronavirus-frequently-asked-questions> -- Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Maternal and Child Health Bureau Frequently Asked Questions
- <https://www.hrsa.gov/grants/manage-your-grant/COVID-19-frequently-asked-questions> -- HRSA Grantee Frequently Asked Questions
- www.hrsa.gov/coronavirus --List of HRSA program COVID-19 resources
- <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/cases-updates/summary.html> -- CDC is a resource for all up-to-date information
 - <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/people-at-higher-risk.html> -- Impact of COVID-19 on pregnant and breastfeeding women and children



Q & A




Save the Date!

The next COVID-19 MCH Update will take place on
Thursday, April 16 from 2pm-3pm ET

Register [Here](#)

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Thank You!

