

BBI COVID-19 National & Jurisdictional Resources

A message from BBI's National Director regarding COVID-19:

During this challenging time of uncertainty, and ongoing recommendations for "social distancing" as a methodology for containing the outbreak of COVID 19--BBI will continue work to support maintaining healthy cultures of care. This can also be an opportunity for creativity and flexibility around supporting families to maintain connection. It will be important to support each other in managing our own anxiety, along with clients and families, while making sure we are well properly prepared with whatever we may need.

BBI is working on a communication strategy where our network can use us as one of many "hubs" for information both on our website and Facebook page in order to centralize ease of access and not inundate folks with too much email traffic during this time of communication and coordination.

We would like to provide resources below about COVID-19 and remind individuals to follow simple but effective steps to support them to keep safe. We encourage you to check with your state's department of health and their licensing agencies to stay current with local updates.

NATIONAL RESOURCES:

Paycheck Protection Program loans:

https://www.lisc.org/

Alliance Member Resources:

https://www.alliance1.org/iCore/Contacts/Sign_In.aspx?ReturnURL=%2FShared_Content%2FContactManagement%2FSignInRedirect.aspx

The Alliance for Strong Families and Communities Webinars and Online Discussion (Full List): https://alliance1.org/web/resources/covid-19/web/news/2020/march/new-online-discussion-human-services-organizations-preparing-coronavirus.aspx?utm_source=Real%20Magnet&utm_medium=email&utm_c ampaign=Alliance%20General%20Communications%20

Substance Abuse Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA):

https://www.samhsa.gov/coronavirus

SAMHSA Emergency Grants to Address Mental and Substance Use Disorders During COVID-19:

https://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grant-announcements/fg-20-006

World Health Organization (WHO): https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC):

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/

The Alliance for Children's Rights: https://kids-alliance.org/covid19/

Generations United - Fact Sheet: https://www.gu.org/resources/covid-19-fact-sheet-for-grandfamilies-and -multigenerational-families/

Prevent Child Abuse America: https://preventchildabuse.org/coronavirus-resources/

National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL): https://www.ncsl.org/

National Governors Association (NGA): http://www.nga.org/coronavirus

National Association of Counsel for Children (NACC):

https://www.naccchildlaw.org/page/CoronavirusCOVID-19

National Center for State Courts (NCSC): https://www.ncsc.org/Newsroom/Publichealth-emergency.aspx

The United States Department of Education:

https://www.ed.gov/coronavirus?src=feature

Overview of State Agencies That Oversee Child Welfare Services: Responses to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic:

https://www.dropbox.com/s/kie1f58mhl25xvj/Overview%20of%20State%20Agenci...

Children's Bureau: https://www.dropbox.com/s/h9oe3h44z2prus5/2020-03-18%20CWPM%20Policy%20C...

The Family Run Executive Director Leadership Association (FREDLA): https://www.fredla.org/about-fredla/

U.S. Department of Labor - Families First Coronavirus Response Act: https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/ffcra

COVID-19 Young Leaders Fund:

https://www.oneyoungworld.com/covid-19-young-leaders-fund

United Philanthropy Forum - Momentum Fund: https://www.unitedphilforum.org/momentum-fund

PFund Foundation's Rapid Response to COVID-19 (LGBTQ+ focused): http://pfundfoundation.org/covid-19-rapid-response/

JURISDICTIONAL RESOURCES:

From California Dept. of Public Health:

https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/Immunization/nCOV2019.aspx California Youth Connection:

https://docs.google.com/document/u/1/d/1-1D6tMJG0sUrcc94YUmHa-w3k3dxiHez...

From New York Office of Children Family Services:

https://ocfs.ny.gov/main/news/2020/OCFS-Guidance-Community-Based-Visits-...

North Carolina Dept. of Health and Human Services – Larger Residential Settings Regarding Visitation:

https://files.nc.gov/covid/documents/guidance/Guidance-on-Outdoor-Visitation-for-Larger-Residential-Settings.pdf

North Carolina Dept. of Health and Human Services – Small Residential Settings Regarding Visitation:

https://files.nc.gov/covid/documents/guidance/Guidance-for-Smaller-Residential-Settings-Visitation-Communal-Dining-Group-Outside-Activities.pdf

North Carolina Dept. of Health and Human Services:

https://www.dropbox.com/s/kj9mvf23ay62f9z/NC-Interim-Guidance-for-BHIDD-...

From Washington State Dept. of Children, Youth and Families:

https://www.dcyf.wa.gov/coronavirus-covid-19

Sincerely,

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