



Pennsylvania Chapter

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COVID-19 Update and Resources 5/25 - 5/29

Last Call: PA AAP COVID-19 Practice Impact Survey

If you have already responded to our survey on the impact COVID-19 has had on your practice - thank you!

If you have not, please be sure to share your experience through this short survey. The PA AAP is surveying practicing primary care physicians so that we can better understand the financial impact of this pandemic on pediatric practice. These results will help us to better understand how we can support the needs of our members **AND can be shared with our legislators** at our upcoming Virtual Advocacy Day. This survey should only take 2-5 minutes. We appreciate your participation.

[Take Survey](#)»

Remember...

Physicians need to take time to focus on their health—it's okay not to be okay. For mental health help, text PA to 741-741 or call 855-284-2494.

COVID-19 PA Updates

PA saw 4,477 new cases since last Friday, bringing the total case count to 70,735 (includes confirmed and probable cases) in all 67 PA counties. View a breakdown of cases by region, county, gender, ethnicity, etc. [here](#).

The Latest State Guidance

Governor Wolf added eight counties to the yellow phase and 17 counties to the green phase as of today. All remaining counties in the red phase are will move to yellow by Friday, June 5 at 12:01 a.m. View details [here](#).

View details [here](#) on PA phased reopening plan.

Administration releases summer camp and recreation guidance. View details [here](#).

COVID-19 News

From the CDC

[Evidence for Limited Early Spread of COVID-19 Within the United States, January–February 2020](#)

[View new CDC guidance](#) shared on antibody tests used to determine if people have been infected in the past with COVID-19.

From the AAP

- **Immunization QI projects give practices a leg up in responding to effects of pandemic.** [Learn more.](#)
- **[View AAP Updated School Guidance](#)**
- AAP COVID-19 ECHO (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) Project portfolio expands. Next topic: Anxiety and the COVID-19 Pandemic. To learn more on this and other ECHO projects contact AAPECHO@aap.org.
- AAP On Demand [COVID-19 Webinars](#) for Pediatricians
- New HealthyChildren.org Articles to share:
 - [Return to School During COVID-19](#)
 - [COVID-19 and Pediatric Multi-System Inflammatory Syndrome](#)
 - [Is it OK to call the pediatrician during COVID-19?](#)

Webinars



Weekly Pediatric Community Forum

Due to the growing need for up-to-date information and communication, PA AAP is has been offering a modified version of our "Let's Talk" webinar series to our members on a weekly basis, every Wednesday from 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM ET. Beginning in June, we will now offer these webinars on a bi-weekly basis as we shift gears to focus on recommendations and strategies around re-opening the state.

UP Next:

Multisystem Inflammatory Disorder Wednesday, June 3rd @ 8 PM

Edward M. Berhrens, MD, The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
Zachary Aldewereld, MD- UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh

Registration Coming Shortly

RECORDED 5/27/20

"Invisible in the Time of COVID-19 – What Pediatricians in Pennsylvania can do to Support Latino Communities"

Diego Chaves-Gnecco, MD, MPH, FAAP-, Johanna Vidal-Phelan, MD, MBA, FAAP and Rita Guevara, MD, FAAP

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RECORDED 5/20/20

"COVID-19 Impact on Food Security"

Mary Ann Rigas, MD, FAAP & Clancy Cash Harrison, MS, RDN, FAND

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RECORDED 5/13/20

"Overview of Child Physical Abuse During COVID-19"

Norrell Atkinson, MD, MPH, FAAP

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RECORDED 4/29/20

"Coping with COVID and Autism"

Wendy Ross, MD, FAAP

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RECORDED 4/22/20

"Supporting Mental Health During COVID19"

Justin Schreiber, DO, MPH, FAAP & Paula Powe, MD

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RECORDED 4/15/2020

"Breastfeeding and Lactation Support During COVID"

Meg Kawan, MD, MPH, IBCLC, FAAP

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You can find the full list of recorded webinars [here](#)

Please visit our website at www.paaap.org for more resources and information on COVID-19 for Pennsylvania pediatric providers. We are doing our best to maintain up-to-date information as it becomes available.

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