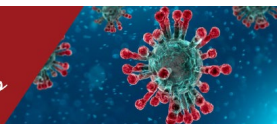


# LeadingAge Kansas COVID-19 Weekly Update April 24, 2020

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**COVID-19**  
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# State Update

- Need a temporary license or acknowledgment for COVID activities? Fill out the [ACH Checklist](#) and email to [COVIDchecklist@ks.gov](mailto:COVIDchecklist@ks.gov)
- [KDADS Guidance for 20-23](#)
  - At-a-glance [summary](#)
- [Temporary Aide Guidance](#)
  - Free training for anyone – do not have to be AHCA member.
  - [CNAOnline.com](http://CNAOnline.com)
- [Governor's new executive order](#)
- [Infection Control Survey](#)
- [Department of Labor Guidance on Workers' Compensation](#)

# Federal Update – Debra Zehr

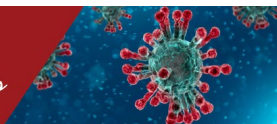
- Paycheck Protection Program and Health Care Enhancement Act
- New OAA Funding for Nutrition Programs
- CDC Reporting Requirement (not finalized)
- CMS memo <https://www.cms.gov/files/document/qso-20-26-nh.pdf>
- National Advocacy – LeadingAge advocacy with federal officials, drafting legislation, media
- Member call to action sent Wednesday
- LeadingAge National in the Media <https://leadingage.org/driving-coronavirus-conversation>

# Joint Media Campaign

- Joint Press Release from LeadingAge Kansas, KHCA and KACE
- Letters to the editor
  - Change message a bit as things begin to open up
- Infographic
- Social Media Campaign – need your help
- Video developed for our social media and websites
- Feedback?

# Workforce Update

- Rounding out Careers in Aging Services Week
- Temporary Nurse Aide Job Description and Job Announcement Coming
- Put all of your job openings on [Kansasworks.com](https://www.kansasworks.com)



# Don't Forget

- [LeadingAge National hosts daily calls](#) to keep you updated
- Join the [My LeadingAge Community – Covid-19](#) to keep up to connect with your peers, ask questions and learn from each other.
- [Check out LeadingAge Kansas' Daily update and webinar archive.](#)
- We are here for you!

# Grief

There are things  
We get through  
That we grieve  
Only later—  
When some new loss  
Pulls them to the surface  
Of the deep well  
In which they've  
Been submerged.  
And so today  
Our grief for

The world as we've  
Known it,  
For plans laid down,  
For possibilities  
Now gone forever,  
Is laced with  
Golden threads  
Of loss we had forgotten,  
As if distant waves  
Are lapping  
On an unseen shore  
In the dark of night.

Judy Brown, April 4, 2020