LeadingAge Kansas COVID-19 Weekly Update August 21, 2020





State Update

- Regional COVID-19 Planning Project
 - Purpose: Develop HCC-Based region plans for how/where people receive COVID acute, post-acute care
 - State Partners: KDHE, KDADS, LTC and Hospital Associations, HCC kshcc.com
 - Each HCC Regional planning groups will include 2 LTC reps.
- Nurse licenses expiring July 1, 2020 or after do NOT fall under Executive Order 20—49. Must be renewed by normal date
- PASSR extended another 30 days to September 31st





Lt. Governor's Virtual Rural Tour

Action Tour Dates:

- North-Central 8/6 (complete survey)
- Northwest 8/12 (complete survey)
- Southwest 8/25 (register and attend virtually fill out survey)
- South-Central 9/12 (register and attend virtually fill out survey)
- Southeast 9/9 (register and attend virtually fill out survey)
- Northeast 9/16 (register and attend virtually fill out survey)
- STATEWIDE 8/22 (register and attend virtually fill out survey)





Poll Question

Question: Are you hosting CNA classes in your communities right now? Answer:

Yes – we are hosting them in our buildings

Yes – we are partnering with a local community/tech college and hosting clinicals

No - we can't find an instructor/institution to partner with

No – we don't need any right now





Federal Update

- Standard surveys resume for all Medicare/Medicaid providers
 - <u>QSO 20-35-ALL</u>
 - LeadingAge Summary
- Interim Guidance for Rapid Antigen Testing
- Member question: Will Medicare provider relief funds or use of PPP loans count against future Medicare cost reports?

Answer: There is no clear answer yet. National associations are pushing for guidance from HHS and Treasury







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Information & Resources

Thank You

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The Cost of Caring PR Campaign Update

- Launches during roundtables next week
- Highlights the heroic efforts of long-term care communities across the state
- Tactics:
 - Write/share OpEds and news releases with local media
 - Share social media messaging/posts
 - Educate county health offices, provide resources
 - Activate members to help





Virtual Roundtables – Starts Monday!

Update for Everyone

• Monday, August 24th | 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Virtual Discussion Groups by Location

- Tuesday, August 25th | 1:00 2:30 PM South Central Kansas
- Wednesday, August 26th | 1:00 2:30 PM Southwest Kansas
- Thursday, August 27th | 1:00 2:30 PM Northwest Kansas
- Friday, August 28th | 1:00 2:30 PM North Central & Northeast Kansas

Registration link.





Upcoming Education/Events

• Webinar with Amy Siple – Trauma Informed Care

Tuesday, September 1, 2020 | 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

-Identify at least two reasons people respond differently to the same traumatic event
-Describe at least two potential long-term impacts of trauma
-Name at least one assessment tool that can be utilized to evaluate for trauma impact
-List at least two considerations when responding to a person impacted by trauma
Register Here

- Regional COVID Planning Project webinar Sept. 3, 1 PM
- KDHE webinar for Adult Care Homes Sept. 9, 1 PM
- Virtual Happy Hour September 18th at 3 PM

Stay tuned for more information!





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Thank you!



