



## Collaborate with Colleagues – COVID-19 Summary of “Nuggets” 3/18/20

### Academic Medical Centers

- Students, volunteers, & clinicals
  - Students involved in clinicals. How do we allow them to continue, does that burn through PPE, other considerations? Where do we put them? What is your plan if your medical center says you may not use students?
- Working from home. Angst already! People are starting to experience the behavioral health issue already

### Large Health System

- Care for pets – reports (hearsay) that one facility could spend \$100,000 to pay for walking dogs of staff to ensure they can stay at work
- Daycares are being closed, but some are being turned into “babysitting services”. This allows them to bring in medical providers’ kids and be a little less regulated.

### Long Term Cares

- Some facilities still need plan – should be a response plan at this point – max – 2-3 pages
  - “Here’s what to do today” will be simpler and more impactful
  - Kristi has written a template for those that need. Will post on COVID19 resource page

### Testing

- Criteria for testing is still: Symptomatic + exposure to confirmed patient OR Symptomatic + recent travel to high risk areas

### PPE

- Are we actually running low or just projecting that we will soon?
  - One person said they have a 5 day supply-had gotten some from SNS and were a vendor priority
  - NC is running low- getting some but not enough
  - SD is out of test kits at the state level and low on PPE

### Schools

- KS – all schools K-12 and Universities are OFF for rest of year

### General Supply Chain

- Cities are seeing empty shelves in grocery stores still – not sure to handle this but it does create a stress to community and HCW’s
- Critical infrastructure representatives confirm that grocery shortages are a demand issue, NOT a supply issue

