



Dear NASDTEC Colleague,

We know that all of you are assessing appropriate preparations for and responses to the COVID-19 virus. Be assured, the NASDTEC Executive Board, staff, and I share your concerns, and our first and foremost priority is the safety and health of our families, communities, and of course, you, our colleagues.

Many of you have questions regarding the NASDTEC 92nd annual conference on June 14-16 in Boston. While circumstances related to COVID -19 virus are changing rapidly, we are consulting with local, state, and national health officials, as well as our event partners, to inform our plans moving forward.

The Planning Committee has developed an outstanding program. Our conference agenda this year includes many general and concurrent session speakers from the Boston area, and that is fortunate as we think about the quality of presenters we have available should travel restrictions cause some of our concurrent speakers to cancel.

We thank our presenters and those registered for the conference, we ask for your patience as we see how situations unfold both in your state and in the Boston area.

We know the work does not stop, and most of you are still working, some remain in the office, but many of you are now working from home. I am in contact with NASDTEC staff and consultants (who all work from home), and each one has reported that they are well and remain ready to support your work.

Please take care of your family and yourself during this challenging time, and let me or any of the NASDTEC staff know how we may be of assistance.

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