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Coronavirus COVID-19 – Government Action – May 7, 2020

CONGRESS

- FDA Commissioner Stephen Hahn, MD; Director of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases Anthony Fauci, MD; CDC Director Robert Redfield, MD; and Assistant HHS Secretary for Health ADM Brett Giroir, MD, to testify on [COVID-19: Safely Getting Back to Work and Back to School](#) before the [US Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions \(HELP\)](#) on May 12, 2020

FEDERAL AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS

- **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**
 - [HRSA Provider Relief Fund – General Allocation](#), May 6, 2020
 - [Report - COVID-19 in Correctional and Detention Facilities — United States, February–April 2020](#), released May 6, 2020
 - [Serology Testing for COVID-19](#), May 5, 2020
 - Cases in US, [updated May 6, 2020](#)
 - Testing in the US, [updated May 7, 2020](#)
- **Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services**
 - [MLNConnects](#), May 7, 2020
 - CMS News Alert, [May 6, 2020](#) and [May 7, 2020](#)
 - [New Medicaid Section 1135 Waivers – COVID-19 \(Second Request\)](#)
 - [Arizona](#)
 - [Maryland](#)
 - [New York](#)
 - [Washington](#)
- **Federal Communications Commission**
 - [FCC Approves Fifth Set of COVID-19 Telehealth Program Applications](#), May 6, 2020
 - [FCC Eases Lifeline Process for Unemployed Americans During Pandemic](#) and [Order](#), April 29, 2020
- **Food and Drug Administration**
 - [FDA Continues to Combat Fraudulent COVID-19 Medical Products](#), May 7, 2020
 - [Guidance - Notifying CDRH of Permanent Discontinuance or Interruption in Manufacturing of a Device Under Section 506J of FD&C Act During Public Health Emergency](#), May 2020
 - [Guidance - Reporting and Mitigating Animal Drug Shortages During Public Health Emergency](#), May 7, 2020
 - COVID-19 Update: Daily Roundup, [May 6, 2020](#)
- **National Institutes of Health**
 - [NIH-Supported Research Survey to Examine Impact of COVID-19 on Rare Diseases Community](#), May 7, 2020
- **US Department of Health and Human Services**
 - [HHS Extends Deadline for Attestation, Acceptance of Terms and Conditions for Provider Relief Fund Payments to 45 Days](#), May 7, 2020
 - [HHS Awards More Than Half Billion Dollars Across Nation to Expand COVID-19 Testing](#), May 7, 2020

Health Resources & Services Administration

- [FY 2020 Expanding Capacity for Coronavirus Testing Awards](#), May 7, 2020

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- [FY 2020 Expanding Capacity for Coronavirus Testing \(ECT\) Supplemental Funding for Health Centers](#), May 2020
- [Health Center COVID-19 Survey](#), latest data from May 1, 2020
- **US Department of Labor**
 - [US DOL Awards Over \\$10 Million in Dislocated Worker Grants in Response to Coronavirus Public Health Emergency](#), May 6, 2020
- **US Department of Treasury**
Internal Revenue Service
 - [IRS: Three New Credits Available to Many Businesses Hit by COVID-19](#), May 7, 2020
 - [Economic Impact Payment Information Center](#) (see May 2020 updates)

STATES

- **New York**
 - [Health Advisory: Pediatric Multi-System Inflammatory Syndrome Potentially Associated With COVID-19 in Children](#), May 6, 2020

ASSOCIATIONS

- **American Hospital Association**
 - [Letter Urging Bankers to Work With Stressed Hospitals](#), May 6, 2020
- **America's Health Insurance Plans**
 - [Health Insurance Providers Respond to COVID-19](#), updated May 6, 2020