

## Directory of COVID-19 Guidance Documents

### OVERVIEW

This document is a consolidated directory, ordered by provider type and date, of COVID-19-related guidance released by the federal government and New York State and City agencies. Some particularly notable policy documents are **bolded**.

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- [Week 3 Guidance for the NYS OPWDD, OMH, and OASAS Prioritization of Essential Healthcare and Direct Support Personnel as well as High Risk Populations for COVID-19 Vaccination \(12.28.20\)](#)
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- [Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine Vial Extra Doses- Guidance on the use of NYSIIS \(12.23.20\)](#)
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- [Health Advisory: All Residential Congregate Facilities \(10.23.20\)](#)
- *(Superseded)* [Medicaid Billing Guidance for COVID-19 Testing and Specimen Collection \(10.23.20\)](#)
- [SARS-CoV-2 Antigen Tests Algorithms \(10.17.20\)](#)
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- [SARS-CoV-2 Point of Care \(POC\) Antigen Tests Frequently Asked Questions for Health Care Providers \(10.17.20\)](#)
- [Requirements for ALL Healthcare Providers Who Conduct Tests and All Laboratories to Report Results for SARS-CoV-2 \(9.21.20\)](#)

- *(Superseded)* [Revised Protocols for Personnel in Healthcare and Other Direct Care Settings to Return to Work Following COVID-19 Exposure or Infection \(7.24.20\)](#)
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- *(Superseded)* [Health Advisory: Revised Protocols for Personnel in Healthcare and Other Direct Care Settings to Return to Work Following COVID-19 Exposure or Infection \(7.3.20\)](#)
- [Revised Interim Guidance: Protocol for COVID-19 Testing Applicable to All Health Care Providers and Local Health Departments \(7.2.20\)](#)
- [New York State Department of Health and New York State Department of Labor Guidance on Use of COVID-19 Sick Leave for Health Care Employers \(6.25.20\)](#)
- *(Superseded)* [Updated Guidance for Resumption of Non-Essential Elective Surgeries and Non-Urgent Procedures in Hospitals, Ambulatory Surgery Centers, Office Based Surgery Practices and Diagnostic and Treatment Centers \(6.14.20\)](#)
- [Updated Interim Guidance: Protocol for COVID-19 Testing Applicable to All Health Care Providers and Local Health Departments \(5.31.20\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Symptom-Based Strategy to Discontinue Home Isolation for Persons with COVID-19 \(5.30.20\)](#)
- *(Superseded)* [Medicaid Billing Guidance for COVID-19 Testing and Specimen Collection \(updated 5.29.20\)](#)
- *(Superseded)* [COVID-19 - Resumption of Elective Outpatient Surgeries and Non-Urgent Procedures \(5.19.20\)](#)
- [Ensuring Access to Health Care Services During COVID-19 \(5.19.20\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Pediatric Multi-System Inflammatory Syndrome Temporarily Associated with COVID-19 Interim Case Definition in New York State \(5.13.20\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Pediatric Multi-system Inflammatory Syndrome Potentially Associated with COVID-19 in Children \(5.6.20\)](#)
- [Use of Telehealth including Telephonic Services During the COVID-19 State of Emergency Webinar \(5.5.20\)](#)
- [\*\*Comprehensive Guidance Regarding Use of Telehealth including Telephonic Services \(updated 5.1.20\)\*\*](#)
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- [Health Advisory: COVID-19 Serology Testing \(4.30.20\)](#)
- *(Superseded)* [COVID-19 Directive Regarding the Resumption of Elective Outpatient Surgeries and Procedures \(4.29.20\)](#)
- [\*\*Updated Interim Guidance: Protocol for COVID-19 Testing Applicable to All Health Care Providers and Local Health Departments \(4.26.20\)\*\*](#)
- [\*\*Discontinuation of Isolation for Patients with COVID-19 Who Are Hospitalized or in Nursing Homes, Adult Care Homes, or Other Congregate Settings with Vulnerable Residents \(4.19.20\)\*\*](#)
- [Updated COVID-19 Guidance for Health Care Facilities Regarding Management of Decedent Personal Effects \(4.19.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Private Physician Practices Operating Specimen Collection Sites \(4.19.20\)](#)

- [Updated Infection Disease Requisition Form for Collection of Demographic Information](#) (4.9.20)
- [Health Advisory on the Use of Cloth Face Coverings](#) (4.8.20)
- [COVID-19 Guidance for Managed Care Organization Contracting and Surveillance Relief](#) (4.8.20)
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- *(Superseded)* [COVID-19 Release from Home Isolation](#) (3.28.20)
- **[Medicaid Coverage and Reimbursement Policy for Services Related to COVID-19](#)** (3.27.20)
- [Update for NYS Healthcare Providers on COVID-19](#) (3.26.20)
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- *(Superseded)* [Pregnancy and COVID-19 Resources for Health Care Providers](#) (3.21.20)
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- [Guidance on the Contacts of a Close or Proximate COVID-19 Contact](#) (March 2020)
- [Containment Guidance: Precautionary/Mandatory Quarantine and Mandatory Isolation](#)

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- [Health Advisory: COVID-19 Guidance for Hospital Operators Regarding Infection Prevention and Control for Hospital Employees During COVID-19 Pandemic](#) (1.6.21)
- [Directive to Postpone all Non-Essential Elective Procedures in Erie County](#) (12.2.20)
- **[COVID-19 Hospital Visitation Program](#)** (6.17.20)
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- [Treatment of Sexual Assault Patients in a Hospital Emergency Department](#) (4.7.20)
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- [Emergency Approval for Additional Capacity or Alternative Sites for Testing, Triage, Screening or Treatment](#) (3.19.20)

#### *Community Based Services*

- **[Updated Health Home Verbal Consent Guidance](#)** (11.25.20)
- *(Superseded)* [Health Home Verbal Consent Update](#) (10.26.20)
- [Updated Children's Waiver FAQ to Address HCBS COVID-19 Questions](#) (8.26.20)
- [Lifting of Member Disenrollment Restrictions – COVID-19](#) (7.24.20)
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- [HCBS & CFTSS Timely Filing Guidance](#) (6.25.20)

- [Update: Home and Community-Based Services Regarding COVID-19 \(6.18.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Children’s 1915\(c\) Waiver Services Providers \(6.10.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Designated Children and Family Treatment and Support Services Providers \(6.10.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for 1915\(c\) Children’s Waiver Home and Community Based Services Regarding Respite Services \(4.8.20\)](#)
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- [COVID-19 Guidance regarding 1915\(c\) HCBS Children’s Waiver \(3.29.20\)](#)
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- [Guidance for Health Homes \(3.14.20\)](#)

### *Long Term Care and Home Health*

- [Health Advisory: Reopening Guidance for Adult Care Facility Day Programs for Non-Residents \(5.4.21\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Revised Discontinuation of Transmission-Based Precautions for Patients with COVID-19 Who Are Hospitalized or in Nursing Homes, Adult Car \(5.3.21\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Reopening Guidance for Medical Model Adult Day Health Care Program \(3.25.21\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Revised Skilled Nursing Facility Visitation \(2.22.21\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Nursing Home Staff Testing and Payment Requirements \(2.1.21\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Adult Care Facility Staff Testing and Payment Requirements \(2.1.21\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Holiday Guidance for Nursing Homes and Adult Care Facilities \(11.24.20\)](#)
- [Nursing Home Testing and Visitation Requirements in Red, Orange and Yellow Zones \(11.10.20\)](#)
- [Health Advisory: Adult Care Facilities and Nursing Homes Resumption of Salon Services \(11.4.20\)](#)
- *(Superseded)* [Revised Skilled Nursing Facility Visitation \(9.15.20\)](#)
- [Pediatric Skilled Nursing Facility Visitation \(7.10.20\)](#)
- [Visitation in Adult Care Facilities \(7.10.20\)](#)
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- [COVID-19 Cases in Nursing Homes and Adult Care Facilities \(7.10.20\)](#)
- [Nursing Home and Adult Care Facility Staff Testing Requirement FAQ \(5.19.20\)](#)
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- [Voluntary Plan of Care Schedule Change \(4.23.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Resident and Family Communication in Adult Care Facilities and Nursing Homes \(4.19.20\)](#)

- [Guidance for Nursing Homes on Managing Resident Deaths During the COVID-19 Outbreak \(4.19.20\)](#)
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- [Guidance on Regulatory Relief for Home Care Providers \(4.10.20\)](#)
- [Infection Prevention and Control \(IPC\) Preparedness Checklist \(4.10.20\)](#)
- [\*\*Updated Guidance for the Authorization of Community Based Long Term Services and Supports \(LTSS\) \(4.8.20\)\*\*](#)
- [Guidance for Dialysis Treatment \(4.7.20\)](#)
- [CMS Waiver to Address the High Need for Paid Feeding Assistants in Nursing Homes \(4.7.20\)](#)
- [Hospital Discharges and Admissions to Adult Care Facilities \(ACFs\) \(4.7.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Providing Adult Social Day Care \(SDC\) Services Telephonically \(4.7.20\)](#)
- [\*\*Guidance on 1135 Waivers for Workforce Flexibility in Nursing Homes \(4.4.20\)\*\*](#)
- [Guidance for Resident and Family Communication in Adult Care Facilities and Nursing Homes \(4.4.20\)](#)
- [\*\*Guidance for Inpatient, Rehabilitation, and Skilled Nursing Facilities and Other Health Care Providers on Suspension of Health Plan Utilization Review Requirements \(4.3.20\)\*\*](#)
- [COVID-19 Telephonic and Telehealth Services Available to Statewide Adult Day Health Care \(3.28.20\)](#)
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- [Recommendations to Protect Nursing Home Residents \(3.20.20\)](#)
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- [Guidance Issued by CMS to all PACE Organizations \(3.17.20\)](#)
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- [Guidance for Certified Home Health Agencies, Long Term Home Health Care Programs, Hospices, and Licensed Home Care Services Agencies \(3.14.20\)](#)
- *(Superseded)* [COVID-19 Cases in Nursing Homes and Adult Care Facilities \(3.13.20\)](#)

#### *Other Services*

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- [Interim Guidance for School-Based Health Centers Regarding COVID-19 \(3.9.21\)](#)
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- [Interim Guidance on COVID-19 Test-Out for Public and Non-Public Schools Located in Areas Designated as “Red or Orange Micro-Cluster Zones”](#) (11.4.20)
- *(Superseded)* [Interim Guidance for Quarantine Restrictions on Travelers Arriving in New York State Following Out of State Travel](#) (11.3.20)
- [The NYS COVID-19 School Report Card: An Update for BOCES Schools](#) (10.14.20)
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- [Interim Guidance on Mandatory COVID-19 Testing in Public and Non-Public Schools Located in Areas Designated as “Yellow Zones”](#) (10.9.20)
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- [Pre-K to Grade 12 COVID-19 Toolkit](#) (9.30.20)
- [Resuming Facility-Based Early Intervention Service Delivery: Group Services](#) (9.22.20)
- [Guidance to Early Intervention Providers Regarding Novel Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#) (9.22.20)
- [Interim Guidance for Fire Service Agencies to Limit Potential Exposure to COVID-19](#) (8.7.20)
- *(Superseded)* [Updated Billing Guidance for COVID-19 Testing and Specimen Collection at Pharmacies](#) (8.6.20)
- [Interim Guidance for Fourth of July Observance and Celebrations During COVID-19](#) (7.2.20)
- [Updated Frequently Asked Technical Assistance Questions Related to Implementation of Virtual Early Intervention Visits During COVID-19](#) (6.29.20)
- [Resuming In-Person Early Intervention Program Services](#) (6.18.20)
- [Interim Advisory for In-Person Special Education Services and Instruction During the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency](#) (6.8.20)
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- [SARS-CoV-2 Diagnostic Testing](#) (5.15.20)
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- [REVISED COVID-19 Protocols for Direct Care Staff to Return to Work \(4.26.21\)](#)
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- [OMH/OASAS Guidance to Article 31/32 Providers Regarding Educating Clients and Reporting COVID-19 Vaccination Status \(3.31.21\)](#)
- [OMH Multi Agency Vaccine Data Collection System Guidance Version 2 \(3.26.21\)](#)
- [Consolidated Telemental Health Guidance \(2.12.21\)](#)
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- [Updates on Infection Control: Residential Providers \(12.2.20\)](#)
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- [COVID-19-related Integrated Clinic Treatment \(12.2.20\)](#)
- [Memo: Updates to Infection Control Manual for Public Mental Health System Programs \(11.12.20\)](#)
- [Guidance, Updates and Consolidation: RTF Treatment and Documentation Standards, Visitation, Telemental Health Utilization, and Restraint Response \(10.30.20\)](#)
- [Revised Assisted Outpatient Treatment FAQ \(9.28.20\)](#)
- [Information on COVID-19 Testing for OMH and OASAS Programs \(7.13.20\)](#)
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- [OMH and OASAS Ambulatory and Residential Program COVID-19 Testing, Record Keeping, and Notification Instructions \(6.30.20\)](#)
- [Update: Treatment Planning and Documentation Standards for Article 28/31 Hospital Psychiatry Providers during Emergency Period \(6.5.20\)](#)
- [OMH Webinar FEMA Public Assistance \(5.21.20\)](#)
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- [Incident Reporting and NIMRS Update \(4.21.20\)](#)
- [Effective Date of OMH COVID-19 Disaster Emergency Telemental Health and Program Guidance \(4.20.20\)](#)
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- [Documentation Guidance for Adult and Children’s Residential Programs \(4.13.20\)](#)
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- [Program and Billing Guidance for Personalized Recovery Oriented Services \(PROS\) Programs \(4.13.20\)](#)
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- [Executive Order 202.13 Criminal History Information Attestation \(4.11.20\)](#)
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- [\*\*Telephonic Billing For Continuing Day Treatment & Partial Hospitalization \(3.31.20\)\*\*](#)
- [Supportive Housing FAQ \(3.30.20\)](#)
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- *(Superseded)* [Guidance for NYS Behavioral Health Programs \(3.11.20\)](#)

## OFFICE FOR PEOPLE WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES (OPWDD)

- [\*\*Interim Billing Guidance Regarding Intermediate Care Facility Supplemental Payments Effective March 18, 2020 \(5.17.21\)\*\*](#)
- [\*\*Revised Staff Guidance for the Management of Coronavirus \(COVID-19\) in Facilities or Programs Operated and/or Certified by the Office for People With Developmental Disabilities \(5.17.21\)\*\*](#)
- [\*\*Revised Protocols for Personnel in Clinical and Direct Care Settings to Return to Work Following COVID-19 Exposure or Infection \(5.17.21\)\*\*](#)
- [\*\*Revised Interim Visitation Guidance for Certified Residential Facilities \(5.17.21\)\*\*](#)
- [\*\*Updated Interim Guidance Regarding the Reopening of Day Services Certified by the Office for People With Developmental Disabilities \(5.17.21\)\*\*](#)
- [\*\*Interim Guidance Regarding Community Outings for Individuals Residing in OPWDD Certified Residential Facilities \(5.17.21\)\*\*](#)
- [COVID-19 Wellness Resources for Staff and People OPWDD Supports \(3.31.21\)](#)
- [OPWDD Updated Guidance Regarding Abbreviated/Refresher Training and Recertifications \(3.30.21\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Relief Efforts FAQ \(3.25.21\)](#)
- [\*\(Superseded\)\* COVID-19: Interim Visitation Guidance for Residential Facilities \(3.15.21\)](#)
- [OPWDD COVID-19 Exposed Staff Return to Work Attestation \(2.12.21\)](#)
- [\*\(Superseded\)\* Revised COVID-19 Protocols for Direct Care Staff to Return to Work \(1.22.21\)](#)
- [Notification and Attestation Checklist for Staff Return to Work During Quarantine \(1.22.21\)](#)
- [Interim COVID-19 Guidance: Week 4 COVID-19 Vaccine Prioritization in OPWDD Certified Settings \(1.14.21\)](#)
- [\*\(Superseded\)\* Interim COVID-19 Guidance: Week 4 COVID-19 Vaccine Prioritization in OPWDD Certified Settings \(1.5.21\)](#)
- [\*\*OPWDD Interim Guidance: Use of an Informed Consent Committee for Consent to the COVID-19 Vaccine \(12.30.20\)\*\*](#)
- [\*\*Interim COVID-19 Memorandum: COVID-19 Vaccine Prioritization in Certain OPWDD Certified Residential Settings \(12.22.20\)\*\*](#)
- [Revised Guidance on Home Visits for Individuals Residing in OPWDD Certified Residential Facilities \(11.21.20\)](#)
- [Revised Staffing Guidance For Management of COVID-19 \(11.10.20\)](#)
- [COVID -19: Interim Visitation Guidance for Certified “Supportive” Residential Facilities \(10.28.20\)](#)
- [Interim COVID-19 Guidance: Designated Cluster Mitigation and Oversight \(10.23.20\)](#)
- [Management of Co-Circulation of Influenza and COVID-19 Infections \(10.20.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Program Flexibilities \(10.5.20\)](#)
- [Performing Nursing Services and Duties Remotely in OPWDD Certified Programs and Settings \(9.18.20\)](#)
- [Revised Interim Care Planning and Related Activities Guidance Under COVID-19 \(9.18.20\)](#)
- [Interim Billing Guidance Regarding ICF Day Services \(9.18.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19: Interim Guidance for Non-Emergency Site Visits of Certified Facilities \(9.15.20\)](#)

- [Post Day Service Retainer Program Flexibilities Webinar FAQ \(9.9.20\)](#)
- [Revised COVID-19 Day Habilitation Guidance \(9.3.20\)](#)
- [Revised Interim COVID-19 Guidance Regarding Prevocational Services \(9.3.20\)](#)
- [Interim COVID-19 Guidance Regarding Pathway to Employment \(9.3.20\)](#)
- [Interim COVID-19 Guidance Regarding Respite \(9.3.20\)](#)
- [Interim COVID-19 Guidance Regarding Supported Employment \(9.3.20\)](#)
- [Revised Interim COVID-19 Guidance Regarding Community Habilitation Services \(9.2.20\)](#)
- [Interim Billing Guidance for Day Habilitation, Supplemental Day Habilitation and Site-Based Prevocational Providers following the July 21, 2020 Conclusion of the Day Service Retainer Program \(8.24.20\)](#)
- [Interim Guidance Regarding In-Person Services at Article 16 Clinics Operated and/or Certified by OPWDD \(8.18.20\)](#)
- [FAQ: Interim Guidance Regarding Reopening of Day Services \(7.15.20\)](#)
- [Reintroduction of Individuals to Certified Residences After Extended Home Visits \(7.10.20\)](#)
- [Retainer Day and Group Community Habilitation – Residential \(Group CH-R\) FAQ \(6.19.20\)](#)
- [Attestation of Participation in Interim Visitation Program at OPWDD Certified Residential Facilities \(6.18.20\)](#)
- [Supervised IRA CH-R Communication \(6.16.20\)](#)
- [Day Service Retainer Program FAQ \(6.4.20\)](#)
- [Residential Day Service Program Billing Guidance \(6.4.20\)](#)
- [Relief for Supervised Individualized Residential Alternative \(IRA\) Agencies FAQ \(6.4.20\)](#)
- [Addendum to Life Plan and Staff Action Plan for the Retainer Program and Community Habilitation-R During COVID-19 \(6.4.20\)](#)
- [Group CH-R Billing Flow \(6.4.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Webinar Self-Direction \(5.29.20\)](#)
- [Supervised Residential Habilitation & Updated Flexibilities for Documenting Day Services \(5.14.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Practices and Procedures \(4.29.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Provider Webinar Day Service Flexibilities \(4.16.20\)](#)
- [\*\*Revised Interim Telehealth Guidance \(4.10.20\)\*\*](#)
- [Executive Order 202.13 – Criminal Background Check Request Form \(4.10.20\)](#)
- [Interim Guidance Regarding Modified Background Check Requirements for Existing and New Staff Members \(4.10.20\)](#)
- [Hospital Discharges and Admissions to Certified Residential Facilities \(4.10.20\)](#)
- *(Superseded)* [Performing Nursing Services and Duties Remotely in Residential Settings \(4.10.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for the Management of Intravenous Therapy in OPWDD Residential Residences \(4.10.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Provider Webinar Day Service Retainer Program \(4.9.20\)](#)
- [Memo Regarding PPE Shortage \(4.6.20\)](#)
- [Interim Guidance Regarding Modified Training and Recertifications to Address COVID-19 Emergency Response \(3.29.20\)](#)

- [Respiratory Illness in Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities, Individualized Residential Alternatives, Community Residences, and Private Schools](#) (3.25.20)
- [General Management of COVID-19 in OPWDD Programs](#) (3.25.20)
- *(Superseded)* [Article 16 Clinic Guidance](#) (3.25.20)
- *(Superseded)* [Guidance on Abbreviated/Refresher Training and Recertifications](#) (3.24.20)
- [Management of Coronavirus/COVID-19 in OPWDD Family Care Homes](#) (3.24.20)
- [Interim Guidance for Community Habilitation Services Regarding COVID-19](#) (3.19.20)
- [Guidelines for Implementation of Quarantine and/or Isolation Measures at State Owned and Voluntary Providers in Congregate Settings](#) (3.11.20)

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- [COVID-19 Infection Control Summary for Non-hospital-based Inpatient and Residential Addiction Treatment Providers](#) (5.12.21)
- [COVID-19 Immunization Consent Form for OASAS Service Recipients](#) (5.12.21)
- [COVID-19 Immunization General Consent Form](#) (5.12.21)
- [Guidance for Management in Opioid Treatment Programs During the COVID-19 Pandemic](#) (4.19.21)
- [Guidance to OASAS Certified Programs about Addiction Treatment and Recovery Services during COVID-19](#) (4.14.21)
- [Reopening Guidance for Prevention Services Programs](#) (4.14.21)
- [Guidance from OASAS about Opioid Treatment Program Services during COVID-19](#) (4.14.21)
- [OMH/OASAS Guidance to Article 31/32 Providers Regarding Educating Clients and Reporting COVID-19 Vaccination Status](#) (3.31.21)
- [OASAS Guidance Regarding SARS-CoV-2 Point of Care \(POC\) Antigen \(Ag\) Testing in Inpatient and Residential Settings and Opioid Treatment Programs \(OTPs\)](#) (3.2.21)
- [OASAS COVID-19 Reimbursement Addendum](#) (3.1.21)
- [OMH/OASAS Vaccine Fact Sheet](#) (1.11.21)
- [\*\*Guidance Summary for COVID-19 Vaccination Access for Staff in Outpatient and Community-based Programs Certified or Otherwise Authorized by OASAS\*\*](#) (1.5.21)
- [Counsel's Guidance on 42 CFR Part 2 Consent for OASAS Programs Referring Patients Externally for the COVID-19 Vaccination](#) (12.15.20)
- [\*\*COVID-19 Infection Control Summary for Non-hospital-based Inpatient and Residential Addiction Treatment Providers\*\*](#) (9.28.20)
- [Updated Preliminary: Guidance from OASAS about Opioid Treatment Program Services during New York Forward](#) (8.25.20)
- [Information on COVID-19 Testing for OMH and OASAS Programs](#) (7.13.20)
- [\*\*OMH and OASAS Ambulatory and Residential Program COVID-19 Testing, Record Keeping, and Notification Instructions\*\*](#) (6.30.20)
- [Interim Guidance for Cleaning and Disinfection for Non-hospital-based Inpatient, Residential, and Outpatient Treatment Settings where Individuals Under Movement Restriction for COVID-19 are Admitted or Have Visited](#) (6.5.20)
- [\*\*COVID-19 Regulatory Relief and Program Guidance for OASAS Certified Programs\*\*](#) (5.12.20)

- [Telepractice Service Modifiers Crosswalk \(5.12.20\)](#)
- [Updated Telepractice FAQ \(5.12.20\)](#)
- [FAQs for NYS Opioid Treatment Programs \(OTPs\) Operating During COVID-19 \(5.11.20\)](#)
- [DOH Guidance for COVID-19 Prevention and Response in OASAS Facilities \(4.21.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Guidance for Outpatient Addiction Treatment Programs \(4.19.20\)](#)
- [Medicaid Billing Guidance for NYS Opioid Treatment Programs \(OTPs\) Programs Operating During the COVID-19 Emergency \(4.19.20\)](#)
- [Guidance on Buprenorphine Induction via Telephone \(3.31.20\)](#)
- [Court/Parole/Probation Appearances Guidance \(3.26.20\)](#)
- [Telepractice and Patient Confidentiality \(3.25.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Admissions and Continued Stay in Community Based OASAS Inpatient and Residential Settings \(3.20.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Residential and Community-based Provider Staff Reductions \(3.20.20\)](#)
- [Telepractice Waiver Update II \(3.18.20\)](#)
- [Prevention Services via Telepractice \(3.17.20\)](#)
- [Telepractice Waiver Update \(3.13.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for NYS Behavioral Health Programs \(3.11.20\)](#)
- [Opioid Treatment Program Guidance \(3.10.20\)](#)
- [Telepractice Attestation \(March 2020\)](#)
- [FAQs for Opioid Treatment Programs \(March 2020\)](#)
- [Telepractice Informed Consent](#)

## OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES (OCFS) AND OFFICE OF TEMPORARY DISABILITY ASSISTANCE (OTDA)

- [Dear Provider Letter — New Vaccine Guidance for Child Care Providers \(1.11.21\)](#)
- [Interim Guidance Upon Return From Out of State Travel for Child Care Providers, Licensors, Registrars, and Enrollment Agencies \(11.17.20\)](#)
- [NY Forward Guidance for Child Care Programs in Schools: Executive Order 202.68 \(10.19.20\)](#)
- [Letter to Child Care Providers Regarding School Closures \(10.16.20\)](#)
- [Requesting a Waiver to the Maximum Length of Stay for Residential Programs \(4.7.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Guidance for Voluntary Foster Care Agency and Detention Programs \(3.25.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Guidance for Foster Care and Preventive Staff \(3.20.20\)](#)
- [Runaway and Homeless Youth Guidance \(3.20.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Operators of Facilities Providing Housing to Individuals who are Homeless and Supportive Housing \(3.10.20\)](#)

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- [DFS FAQ for Insurers and Providers on Coverage for Mental Health Services for Essential Workers \(5.23.20\)](#)
- [DFS Guidance Regarding Utilization Review Requirements and Payments to Hospitals \(4.22.20\)](#)
- [Health Insurer Guidance on Coverage Requirements for COVID-19 \(4.11.20\)](#)
- [DFS Guidance Regarding Waiver of Utilization Review Requirements \(3.20.20\)](#)
- [DFS Guidance Regarding Support for Consumers and Businesses \(3.19.20\)](#)

- [DFS Guidance Regarding COVID-19 and Telehealth](#) (3.15.20)
- [DFS Guidance Regarding Preparedness for COVID-19](#) (3.3.20)
- [Telehealth FAQ](#) (March 2020)

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- [Provision of Services to Students with Disabilities During Statewide School Closures Due to COVID-19 - Supplement #3](#) (6.20.20)
- [Provision of Services to Students with Disabilities During Statewide School Closures due to COVID-19 - Supplement #2](#) (6.20.20)
- [Provision of Services to Students with Disabilities During Statewide School Closures Due to COVID-19 - Supplement #1](#) (4.27.20)
- [Provision of Services to Students with Disabilities During Statewide School Closures Due to COVID-19](#) (3.27.20)

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- [Avoid Shoulder Injury When Administering COVID-19 Vaccines](#) (5.26.21)
- [Building Confidence in COVID-19 Vaccines](#) (5.26.21)
- [Summary of Current New York City COVID-19 Guidance for Isolation, Quarantine and Transmission-Based Precautions](#) (5.24.21)
- [Letter to Providers: COVID-19 Vaccine Updates — Updated Recommendations for Use of Johnson & Johnson/Janssen; Guidance for People Vaccinated Outside the U.S.](#) (5.21.21)
- [Letter to Providers: COVID-19 Vaccine for Adolescents and Coadministration](#) (5.18.21)
- [FAQ About COVID-19 for Health Care Providers](#) (4.28.21)
- ["Speak With Your Patients" Letter to Providers](#) (4.27.21)
- [Health Advisory #8 Administration of Johnson & Johnson/Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine Can Resume in New York City](#) (4.26.21)
- [Letter to Vaccine Providers: Approval to Resume Use of Johnson & Johnson/Janssen Vaccine](#) (4.24.21)
- [Health Alert #6: Cases of Cerebral Venous Sinus Thrombosis with Thrombocytopenia after Receipt of the Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 Vaccine](#) (4.13.21)
- [Letter to Providers: COVID-19 Vaccine Appointment Scheduling Resources and Information](#) (4.12.21)
- [COVID-19 Outpatient Infection Control Quick Guide](#) (4.11.21)
- [Post-COVID Care Clinics](#) (4.5.21)
- [Dear Colleague: COVID-19 Monoclonal Antibody Treatment in the Outpatient Setting](#) (3.30.21)
- [Summary of Current New York City COVID-19 Guidance for Isolation, Quarantine and Transmission-Based Precautions](#) (3.26.21)
- [Patient Handout: Monoclonal Antibody Treatment for COVID-19](#) (3.25.21)
- [Letter to Providers: Clinical Considerations for Johnson & Johnson/Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine](#) (3.22.21)
- [COVID-19: Understanding Quarantine and Isolation](#) (3.19.21)
- [Health Advisory #4: Updated Guidance for Use of Respirators by Health Care Personnel Caring for Patients With and Without COVID-19 in Health Care Settings](#) (3.12.21)
- [Dear Colleague: Building Confidence in COVID-19 Vaccines and Vaccination](#) (3.1.21)

- [Vaccine FAQs for Health Care Providers \(2.19.21\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Face Coverings: Frequently Asked Questions \(2.18.21\)](#)
- [Letter to Providers: Demographic Data Collection from Vaccinations and Testing \(2.17.21\)](#)
- [Letter to Providers: Suggestions for Outreach to Patients 65 and Older \(2.4.21\)](#)
- [2021 Health Advisory #3 Collect and Report Race and Ethnicity Data to Help Ensure Equitable Access to COVID-19 Vaccines \(2.2.21\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Rapid Test Reporting in ECLRS: FAQs \(1.20.21\)](#)
- [Dear Colleague: Behavioral Health and Suicide Prevention During COVID-19 \(1.19.21\)](#)
- [New York City COVID-19 Vaccination Program Enrollment, Vaccine Ordering and Reporting \(1.15.21\)](#)
- [2021 Health Advisory #2 Select New York State Phase 1b Groups Are Now Eligible for COVID-19 Vaccination \(1.11.21\)](#)
- [2021 Health Advisory #1: All New Yorkers in the New York State Phase 1a Group Are Eligible for COVID-19 Vaccination \(1.8.21\)](#)
- [Hospital COVID-19 Vaccination Best Practices \(1.7.21\)](#)
- [Dear Colleague: Allocation of Limited COVID-19 Vaccine \(12.24.20\)](#)
- [Dear Colleague: Clinical Considerations for Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine \(12.24.20\)](#)
- [Framework for Providing Outpatient Medical Care in NYC During Winter 2020-2021 \(12.31.20\)](#)
- [SARS-CoV-2 Testing Overview \(12.23.20\)](#)
- [Proper Use and Interpretation of SARS-CoV-2 Antigen Tests \(12.14.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Updates: Long-Term Sequelae of COVID-19 \(12.3.20\)](#)
- [Behavioral Health Resources for Health Care Providers and Personnel During COVID-19 \(12.1.20\)](#)
- [Letter to Providers: Preventing Household Transmission of SARS-CoV-2 \(11.30.20\)](#)
- [Identifying and Triaging Adult Patients at Increased Risk for Severe COVID-19 in Outpatient Settings \(11.17.20\)](#)
- [Influenza Season During COVID-19: Guidance for Emergency Departments \(11.7.20\)](#)
- [2020 Health Alert #38: COVID-19 Diagnostic Testing and Screening Recommendations for People Who Live or Work in New York City \(10.14.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Updates: Flu Season During COVID-19 \(10.13.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Updates: Dermatologic Manifestations Associated With COVID-19 \(9.24.20\)](#)
- [2020 Health Advisory #37: All Point-of-Care COVID-19 Test Results Must be Reported Electronically \(9.18.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Updates: Older Adult Care During COVID-19 \(8.31.20\)](#)
- [Addressing Health Inequities in Care During COVID-19 \(7.30.20\)](#)
- [Identifying and Triaging Adult Patients at Increased Risk for Severe COVID-19 in Outpatient Settings \(7.30.20\)](#)
- [Heat Event July 26, 2020 to July 27, 2020: Help Prevent Heat-Related Illness and Death \(7.26.20\)](#)
- [A Checklist for Expanding Outpatient Practices During COVID-19: Considerations and Resources \(7.23.20\)](#)
- [Taking Care of Your Emotional Well-Being: Tips for Health Care Workers During COVID-19 \(7.21.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Updates: Restoring Outpatient Care During the COVID-19 Pandemic \(7.20.20\)](#)

- [Help Prevent Heat-Related Illness and Death Among Heat-Vulnerable People During the COVID-19 Pandemic](#) (7.18.20)
- [COVID-19 Guidance for Peers and Community Health Workers Supporting Participants Coping With Thoughts of Suicide](#) (7.11.20)
- [Help Prevent Heat-Related Illness and Death Among Heat-Vulnerable People During the COVID-19 Pandemic](#) (7.8.20)
- [New York City's COVID-19 Test & Trace Corps](#) (7.7.20)
- [Reopening New York City: Frequently Asked Questions What Child Care Programs Need to Know](#) (7.7.20)
- [Pandemic Planning Checklist for Long-Term Care Facilities](#) (7.4.20)
- [Updated Guidance for Health Care Personnel on Personal Protective Equipment for COVID-19 and Work Restrictions Following Exposure](#) (6.25.20)
- [HIV PrEP and PEP Best Practices During COVID-19](#) (6.25.20)
- [Multisystem Inflammatory Syndrome in Children \(MIS-C\): Guidance for Ambulatory Care Providers](#) (6.24.20)
- [COVID-19 Updates - Health Inequities](#) (6.23.20)
- [Early Intervention Program's Return to In-Person Services Action Plan During COVID-19](#) (6.22.20)
- [Early Intervention Program Consent to Resume In-Person Services During COVID-19](#) (6.22.20)
- [Telehealth Best Practices for Behavioral Health Providers During the COVID-19 Pandemic](#) (6.15.20)
- [Personal Protective Equipment and Medical Supply Companies](#) (6.11.20)
- [Help Prevent Heat-Related Illness and Death Among Heat-Vulnerable People During the COVID-19 Pandemic](#) (6.10.20)
- [Strategies to Promote Equitable Care by Reducing the Impacts of Implicit Bias](#) (6.10.20)
- [PPE Purchasing and Capacity Building](#) (6.10.20)
- [Self-Care for Health Care Workers](#) (6.6.20)
- [Recommendations for Providers Serving Patients Who Are Pregnant, Breastfeeding or With Newborns](#) (6.4.20)
- [COVID-19 Updates](#) (6.3.20)
- [Health Advisory: COVID-19 Test and Trace Operations Begin In New York City](#) (6.2.20)
- [Personal Protective Equipment and Medical Supply Companies](#) (6.1.20)
- [Health Advisory: Advise Patients When to Seek Essential Care and Plan to Expand In-Person Patient Services](#) (5.29.20)
- [COVID-19 Guidance for Peers and Community Health Workers](#) (5.26.20)
- [COVID-19 Outpatient Infection Control Quick Guide](#) (5.23.20)
- [Surge Capacity and Health Care Worker Protective Clothing During COVID-19 Care](#) (5.21.20)
- [Updated Reporting Requirements for Multisystem Inflammatory Syndrome in Children Associated with COVID-19](#) (5.18.20)
- [COVID-19 Updates](#) (5.15.20)
- [Updated NYC Health Department Recommendations for Identifying and Testing Patients with Suspected COVID-19](#) (5.15.20)
- [Updated NYC Health Department COVID-19 Recommendations](#) (5.14.20)
- [COVID-19 Updates](#) (5.5.20)
- [Pediatric Multi-System Inflammatory Syndrome Potentially Associated with COVID-19](#) (5.4.20)

- [COVID-19 Guidance for Home Health Care Workers and Community Health Care Workers \(4.27.20\)](#)
- [New York City Public Health Laboratory Now Accepting Nasal Swabs and Saliva Specimens for COVID-19 Testing \(4.27.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Pandemic Patient Surge: Preparing for Crisis Care \(4.26.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Crisis Standards of Care Planning Resources for Critical Care \(4.22.20\)](#)
- [Current Status of SARS-CoV-2 Serologic Testing \(4.22.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Updates \(4.21.20\)](#)
- [Utilizing Contingency Surge Methods and Alternate Care Sites to Address Hospital Space Needs in Context of COVID-19 \(4.20.20\)](#)
- [Summary of Treating Sexually Transmitted Infections \(STIs\) During COVID-19 \(4.19.20\)](#)
- [Essential Service Guidance for Syringe Service Programs \(4.16.20\)](#)
- [Taking Care of Your Emotional Well-Being: Tips for Health Care Workers \(4.16.20\)](#)
- [Guidance on Maintaining HIV and STI Services and Minimize In-Person Care During the COVID-19 Outbreak \(4.15.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Updates for New York City \(4.13.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Updates for New York City \(4.11.20\)](#)
- [Potential Decontamination Strategies for N95 Respirators \(4.10.20\)](#)
- [Strategies for Reuse and Extended Use of Personal Protective Equipment \(PPE\) \(4.6.20\)](#)
- [Updated Guidance and Scientific Literature on COVID-19 \(4.1.20\)](#)
- [Guidance on Maintaining HIV and STI Services During the COVID-19 Outbreak \(4.1.20\)](#)
- [Guidance on Opioid Prescribing During the COVID-19 Outbreak \(3.31.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Pandemic Preparedness Checklist for Outpatient Settings \(3.31.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Update for New York City \(3.20.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Primer for Healthcare Providers \(3.18.20\)](#)
- [Guidance for Healthcare Worker Self-Monitoring and Work Restriction \(3.17.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Update for New York City \(3.15.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Update for New York City \(3.8.20\)](#)
- [COVID-19 Update for New York City \(3.4.20\)](#)

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- [COVID-19 FAQs for State Medicaid and CHIP Agencies \(1.6.21\)](#)
- [CMS COVID-19 FAQs for State Medicaid and CHIP Agencies \(6.30.20\)](#)
- [Office of Inspector General \(OIG\) COVID-19 FAQ \(5.1.20\)](#)
- [Medicare List of Payable Telehealth Services \(4.30.20\)](#)
- [CMS Summary of COVID-19 Emergency Declaration Blanket Waivers \(4.29.20\)](#)
- [Quality Payment Program COVID-19 Response \(4.29.20\)](#)
- [CMS COVID-19 FAQ on Medicare Fee-for-Service Billing \(4.29.20\)](#)
- [Risk Adjustment FAQ on COVID-19 \(4.27.20\)](#)
- [Explanatory Guidance March 30, 2020 Blanket Waivers of Section 1877\(g\) of the Social Security Act \(4.21.20\)](#)
- [FFCRA and CARES Act Medicaid FAQ \(4.13.20\)](#)
- [Department of Labor FFCRA and CARES Act FAQ \(4.13.20\)](#)
- [Office for Civil Rights \(OCR\) Telehealth and HIPAA During COVID-19 FAQ](#)