



UPDATE ON CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) AND THE 2020 CPA CONFERENCE

March 2, 2020

Dear Colleagues,

The health and well-being of CPA2020 attendees is of the utmost importance to us. We are actively monitoring the Coronavirus disease (COVID-19), while moving forward with plans to deliver an exceptional meeting. As of Monday March 2, 2020, no decision to cancel or change the conference has been made.

The Program Chairs and CPA Advisory Board are paying close attention to the new guidance provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and World Health Organization (WHO) regarding COVID-19 and are following the lead of these agencies. We are also closely monitoring guidance from the California Department of Public Health (<http://cdph.ca.gov>) and the San Diego County Public Health Services (<https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/hhsa/programs/phs/>). We will follow the policies set forth by these agencies when making final decisions about the conference.

We will continue posting updates on the CPA 2020 website (<http://addictionpsychology.org/cpa> and on social media (<http://twitter.com/APADivision50>).

We are optimistic that the situation will not change dramatically over the next few weeks, but will keep you informed if things do change.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact one of the program chairs by email.

Best wishes,

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