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Topics for Today

- What past epidemics – specifically H1N1, HIV/AIDS and Ebola – have taught us about funding during a pandemic.
- The role of the funding community right now, in the near future and long-term.
- The role philanthropy can play during pandemics to reduce harm to everyone, but especially vulnerable populations.
- Why philanthropic response matters at both the domestic and international levels.
As of March 26, there have been 491,623 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in 175 countries around the world.

22,169 people have died and 118,245 have recovered.

In the United States there have been 69,210 cases, 1,046 deaths and 619 people have recovered.

Source: Google
21 states will have a Stay-at-Home order in place by the end of the week – **50 percent** of country.

The states with the most cases are **New York, New Jersey and California**.

The cities with the highest number of cases are in **New York state** although **New Orleans** has the highest per capita case count outside of New York.

*Source: New York Times*
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Lessons from HIV and AIDS

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HIV & AIDS in Context

• In 2020
  ▪ Globally
    • 37.9 million people living with HIV
    • 1.7 million new transmissions per year
  ▪ U.S.
    • 1.1 million people living with HIV
    • 38,000 new transmissions per year

• Historical Context vs. Now
• Disproportionate Impact
Lessons from the Past
Responding & Looking Forward

- Prioritize the Most Vulnerable
- Reduce Barriers
- Reach Out & Involve Community
- Partner Together
Beyond the Immediate Need

- Preparing for What’s Next
- Preparing for Next Time
Things You Can Do

- Be Kind.
- Be Understanding.
- Be Flexible.
Lessons from H1N1

Dr. Kristy Buccieri
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Lessons Learned from Past Epidemics: What Philanthropy Needs to Know Now in the Light of the COVID-19 Pandemic

Kristy Buccieri
H1N1 / Homelessness
H1N1

• Most recent pandemic outbreak prior to COVID-19
• Second H1N1 outbreak – the first was the 1918 Spanish Flu, producing the most pandemic deaths in history
• From spring 2009 to 2010 H1N1 infected approximately 1.4 billion people and resulted in an unknown number of deaths (highest estimates suggest over ½ million globally)

Some people are at particular high risk during a pandemic outbreak.

Individuals experiencing homelessness are often medically and socially vulnerable.
**Immediate Considerations**

- Fund nutritional supports
- Invest in communal stockpiles
- Help facilitate a shift to outreach

**Chart:**

- **Access to food / water during H1N1 for homeless persons**
  - Breakfast:
    - Daily: 22%
    - Weekly: 52%
    - Rarely/never: 24%
  - Lunch:
    - Daily: 11%
    - Weekly: 57%
    - Rarely/never: 28%
  - Supper:
    - Daily: 10%
    - Weekly: 56%
    - Rarely/never: 30%
  - Clean water:
    - Daily: 8%
    - Weekly: 46%
    - Rarely/never: 44%

**Flexible funding:**

Flexible funding, that organizations can choose where and when to allocate, is key to helping them adapt.
Invest in permanent measures that decrease disease transmission, such as UVGI air purification.

Fund respite centres dedicated to treat medically / socially vulnerable individuals.
Long-Term Considerations

The best way to get people out of hospitals and shelters is to get them into stable, affordable housing. *Fund new developments!*

- If a vaccine becomes available, help vulnerable individuals to gain access by funding community-based clinics

- People with lived experience should inform future planning efforts. Fund paid positions for them to do this kind of work.
FOCUS ON FOOD AND WATER
PERMIT FLEXIBILITY IN HOW FUNDING IS SPENT
CLEAR THE AIR IN CONGREGATE SETTINGS
HELP PEOPLE REST AND RECOVER
DEVELOP AFFORDABLE HOUSING
Lessons from Ebola – West Africa

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Lessons from Ebola – West Africa

- Hygiene Promotion
Lessons from Ebola – West Africa

- Information, Education and Communications (IEC)
Lessons from Ebola – West Africa

- Innovation
Vulnerable Populations

- IDP and Refugee Camps
- Homeless & Underhoused
- Low Income & Dependents of Social Services

**Final Message for Philanthropy:** Go big in 2020/21 by digging deep and maintaining your commitments at a minimum!
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Key Takeaways

- Be compassionate with yourself and your grantees.
- Meet basic needs – food, water, sanitation, hygiene, and income.
- This is a marathon not a sprint, but money needs to get out the door quickly.
- Fund now and fund later.
- Be flexible with how funding is spent and with setting expectations.
- Go big in 2020-21 by digging deep and maintaining your commitments, at a minimum.
CDP and Candid are tracking philanthropic donations to this outbreak.

As of March 25, the total donations received stood at over $2.9 billion.

CDP has a COVID-19 Response Fund.

For more information, visit www.disasterphilanthropy.org.
The Disaster Playbook has a number of toolkits and resources to guide the philanthropic community in responding to future disasters.

Learn more at www.disasterplaybook.org
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