

COVID-19: Making Effective Rapid Response Grants

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Topics for Today

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- ❑ Ideas for funders to move money faster.
- ❑ Understanding the balance between trust and risk.
- ❑ Maintaining accountability while processing grants faster.
- ❑ Why partnerships are key for rapid response funding.

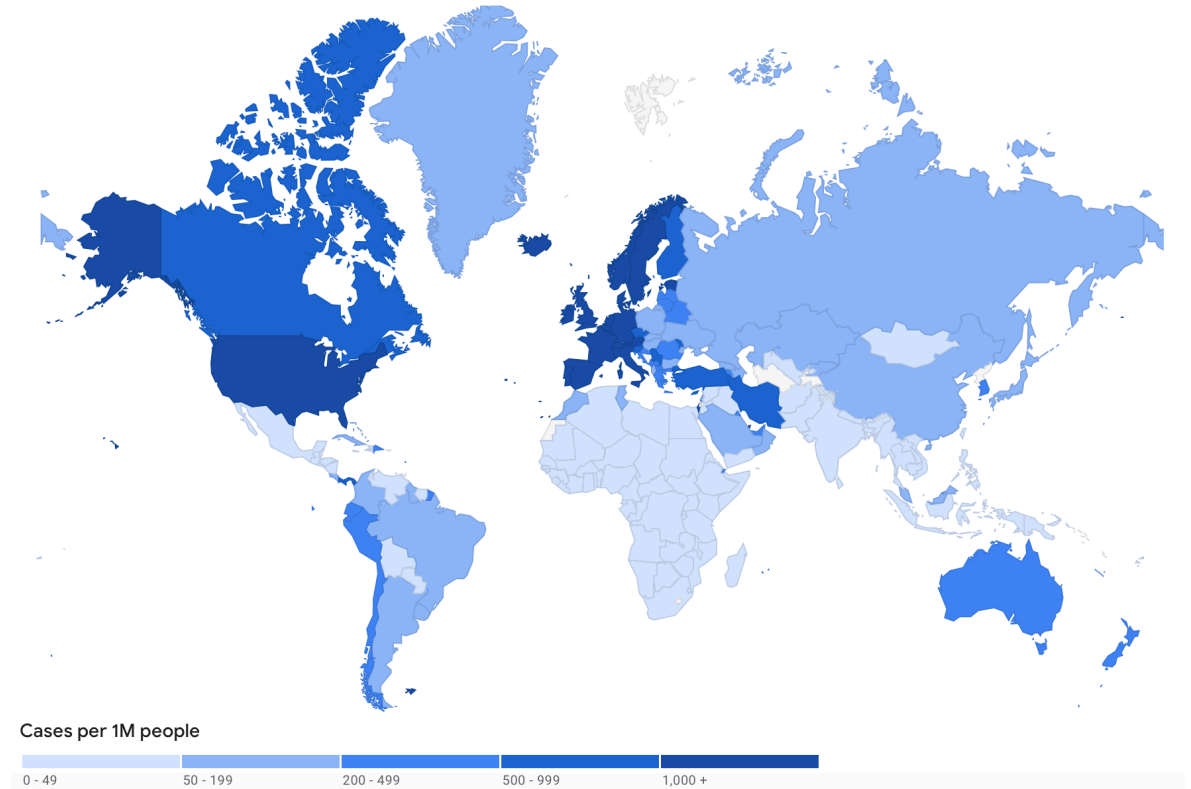


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Setting the COVID-19 Stage

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- Worldwide, as of this morning, there are **1,935,646** cases confirmed, **120,914** deaths and **465,073** people have recovered.
- In the United States, there are **582,634** cases confirmed, **23,649** deaths and **44,319** people have recovered.
- The hot spots are: **New York City** and surrounding counties, **New Orleans** and nearby parishes, several **Georgia counties**, and parts of **New Jersey**. There is also a significant outbreak in the **Navajo Nation**.



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CDP Grantmaking

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- CDP has already made 13 grants totaling just more than \$2.75 million.



Source: Good360

- Grantees:
 - Give to Asia
 - Americares
 - Feeding America
 - Good360
 - HealthCare Ready
 - Meals on Wheels
 - National Association of Free & Charitable Clinics
 - International Rescue Committee
 - CARE
 - National Indian Health Board
 - Give Directly
 - Mercy Corps
 - International Medical Corps

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Rapid Response Funding

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Case Study: Youth on Board

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- Successfully advocating for the City of Boston to continue paying hundreds of young people who participate in their paid youth programs for at least 3 weeks
- Developing COVID-19 resources for youth and providing bi-weekly virtual support groups for students
- Coordinating and bringing much-needed food and supplies to young people and their families



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Funding Focus: Food Assistance | Oklahoma City, OK



Kansas City Indian Center

Funding Focus: Food Pantry | Kansas City, MO



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Funding Focus: Operations & Social Services | Manden, ND

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Q & A

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Key Takeaways

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- ❑ Be flexible. Adjust your deadlines, applications, reporting procedures and expectations.
- ❑ Use intermediaries to flow funds to the frontline response activities.
- ❑ Communities of color and other justice-seeking groups are often ignored. This disease is impacting them differently and philanthropy needs to respond.
- ❑ Don't reinvent the wheel. Share your resources with those who are experts at moving money quickly but might not have the funds.
- ❑ To that end, be a partner – with your grantees, with fellow funders, with your community.

Philanthropic Support

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- ❑ CDP and Candid are tracking philanthropic donations to this outbreak.
- ❑ As of April 13, the total donations received stood at more than \$6.8 billion.
- ❑ CDP has a COVID-19 Response Fund.
- ❑ For more information, visit www.disasterphilanthropy.org.

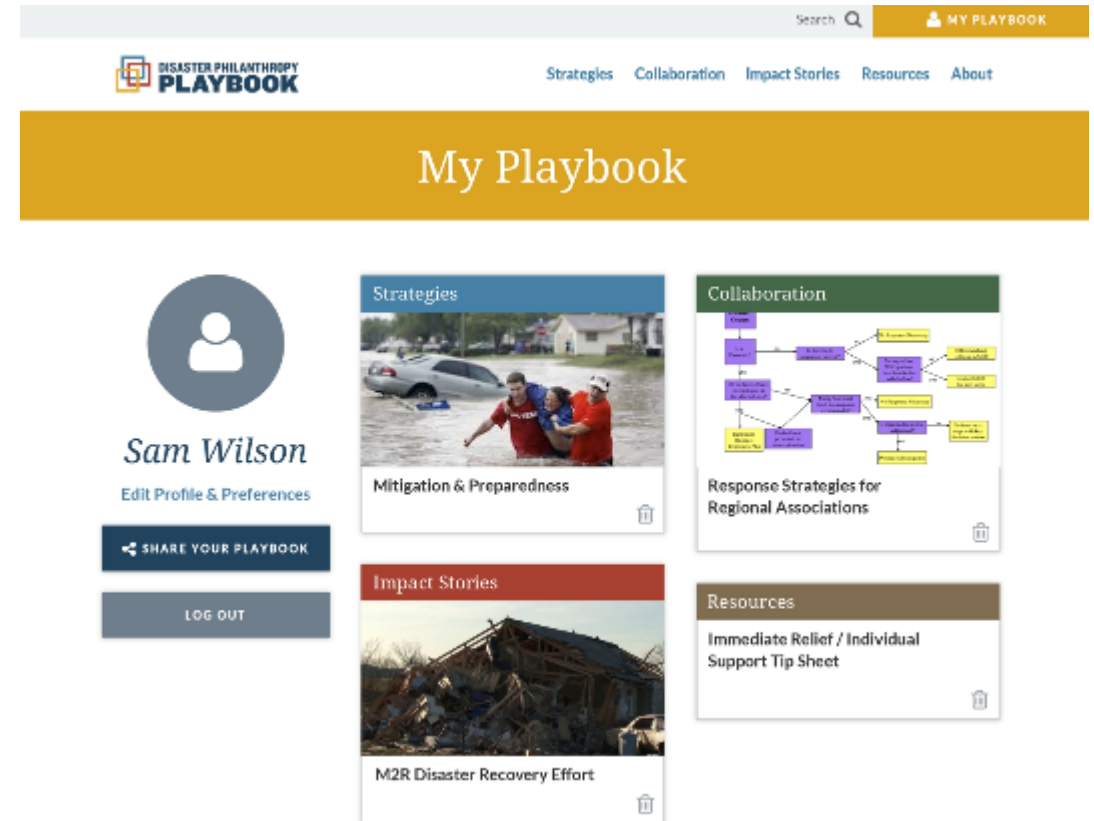


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DISASTER PHILANTHROPY PLAYBOOK

- ❑ 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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COVID-19 Series: Strategic Approaches for Funders

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- Series of seven webinars taking place over the next three months on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 2 p.m. ET.
- The next webinar will be April 28: *COVID-19: Managing Multiple Disasters Amid the Pandemic.*



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