

ECHO on COVID-19 for People with Serious Illnesses

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As the COVID19 pandemic unfolds across low- and middle-income countries, this ECHO will create a space where clinicians who are seeing cases and facing challenges managing COVID concerns in people with serious illnesses can share their experience and get support from clinicians elsewhere.

These weekly sessions (for 8 weeks) will allow participants to share their experiences and support one another during the pandemic

- How have you adjusted your workflow to the COVID pandemic?
- What guidelines would be useful to create and distribute?
- How are you handling care for COVID positive patients?
- What symptoms are you seeing in patients with COVID?
- How are you managing challenging conversations?
- What new policies and procedures have you instituted?

Who can participate in this ECHO Program?

Health workers caring for people with serious illnesses and vulnerable populations

Please register here: <https://forms.gle/RQn1HuPxAtZK5gAQA>

When will sessions occur?

Every Thursday

6.30 -7.30 am for 8 weeks

1st session- 2nd April, 2020

All sessions will take place on Zoom using Zoom ID: 917-723-8901

(you should register for a free [Zoom](#) account and download the app to your mobile phone)

Please submit your questions about caring for People with Serious Illnesses affected by COVID here:
https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1_UcEAIP3ZTggRQrbyPEzkF1NmZcvY7JOPUQorRSZXUE/edit?usp=sharing
(questions submitted at least 48 hours in advance will be answered during the next ECHO session). Please share this email with other clinicians you think would be interested, especially those who care for individuals with serious illnesses.