

To Our AST Family:

We are all facing a dynamic and difficult situation in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic. Our families, friends, customers, employees and communities are all dramatically affected by this virus and its impact on the global economy. During this time, I wanted to reach out and tell you how Allegheny Science & Technology (AST) is responding to the situation.

Preparing and adapting to this unprecedented community health crisis has been difficult, but AST has been working diligently to communicate the latest guidance to our team. We are reviewing and working on an implementation plan of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act that was passed by both the House and Senate going into effect on April 2, 2020. We have also teamed with professionals to get further guidance on implementing this law to the staff.

Along with so many others, we are prioritizing the safety of our employees, customers, and the communities in which we operate. We continue to coordinate telework capabilities for our staff and encourage our team to remain in continuous contact with their customers and the missions they support. For the time being, we have also eliminated unnecessary travel.

Our hearts go out to anyone impacted by the virus, especially those who are sick. We are also incredibly grateful to the healthcare workers, first responders, and other people who are working around the clock to ensure we have healthcare, food, safety, shelter and sanitation. During this time, as you can imagine, there are going to be many in need. We would like to encourage you to consider giving to areas that are important to you personally and that can be of the most help across the entire nation.

On behalf of the entire AST team, know that we are committed to the AST family and that we will navigate through this difficult time together with you.

We will keep you updated, and as always, please reach out with any questions.

Sincerely,



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