



WELCOME!

COVID-19 Updates and Resources for Afterschool

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Housekeeping: Utilizing Zoom



- Everyone is currently in listen only mode, but we want to hear from you! Throughout the webinar, please:
 - “Raise your hand” to comment and respond to questions
 - Use the chat box
 - Respond to polls to keep GSAN informed and help us to better support you and your program

Agenda



- Hearing from You: *What services are you providing?*
- State and Federal Updates
- Resource Sharing
- Brainstorming around school partnerships and coordination for the fall
- Hearing from You: *How can GSAN better support you?*

Who is here?

And, how are you doing?

GSAN's COVID-19 Resources Webpage



Check out our COVID-19 webpage

Looking for policy updates, professional development opportunities, and resources? We've got you covered!

Continue to check back for updates at:

<http://www.afterschoolga.org/resources/covid19/>

COVID-19 Related Updates & Resources



- Georgia Department of Public Health COVID-19 Daily Status Report
- CDC Guidance for Schools and Childcare Programs
- Georgia Emergency Management and Homeland Security Agency
- Georgia Department of Labor COVID-19 Information
- Georgia's COVID-19 Hotline: **(844) 442-2681**
- Georgia Crisis and Access Line: **1-800-715-4225**

State Updates



Governor Kemp issued an Executive Order (06/11/20) providing additional guidance and empowering a healthy Georgia in response to COVID-19.

Division of Family and Children Services



The Afterschool Care Program provides federal funding using TANF dollars to non-profit organizations and public agencies who serve youth and families during the out-of-school time.

- The program faces a \$5 million cut in FY21 due to Georgia's budget cuts.
- Call members of the House and Senate Appropriations Conference Committee and ask them to restore funding in the FY21 budget for the DFCS Afterschool Care Program. More information [here](#).

Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning



- COVID-19 Checklist Guidance (6/16)
 - For Early Care and School Age Licensed Programs
 - Maintain no more than 25 persons, including children and staff members, within one contained classroom. The licensed room capacity must not be exceeded.

Georgia Department of Education



K-12 Restart and Recovery guidance developed in partnership with the Georgia Department of Public Health. Find the one pager and complete guidelines at gadoe.org/k12recovery

The Summer Activity Guide is Here!!



A suite of activities and resources designed to support youth-serving summer programs in delivering programming –
whether in-person, virtual, or sent in take-home packets.

OUT NOW:

- Units 1 & 2 with Implementation Videos and Supply Lists
- OnDemand Webinars and future Live Q&A Sessions
- Quick Guides for providers & families
- Georgia specific resources for supporting your own and your youth's emotional well-being
- *Spanish coming soon!*

Learn more at: www.summeractivityguide.org

Mizzen by Mott

Mizzen by Mott is a new app that helps afterschool programs support kids — wherever they are!

Get hands-on activities that foster well-being and learning in arts, STEM, storytelling, music, yoga and youth voice.

**Supported by the Mott Foundation,
Mizzen is free to download from your
favorite app store.**

www.mizzenapp.org/meet-mizzen-by-mott/georgia



Upcoming Professional Development and Learning



- National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)'s Question, Persuade, Refer Thursday, June 25 from 12:00- 1:00pm
- GUIDE Inc.'s Understanding Trauma through ACEs Science Tuesday, July 7 from 1:00 – 3:00pm
- National Summer Learning Association's Summer Learning Week Monday, July 6 – Saturday July 11
- GSAN's COVID-19 Updates and Resources for Afterschool Wednesday, July 8 from 10:00 – 11:00am

Resources



- Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Strong4Life's Reopening Toolkit
- PBS Kids' 8 Indoor Activities to Release Kids' Energy
- Get Georgia Reading's Summer Resources for Parents
- Youth Today's Summer Learning Resource Hub

Partnering with Schools

For all COVID-19 updates, resources, virtual events, and forum slides visit www.afterschoolga.org/resources/covid19

Partnering with Schools



**Before conversations with school leaders,
know what your parameters are.**

- Capacity
- Academic support & intervention
- Health & well-being
- Distance learning support

Tools to Help You Connect with Schools



- Afterschool and Summer COVID-19 Response: Helping to Meet Georgia's Students' Learning Needs
- Partnering with Schools to Reopen Email and Letter Template
- Coordinating Student Grouping to Limit Spread

How can we best support you?

Questions?



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