



## COVID-19 Resources

Each Friday Virginia Health Catalyst shares the latest resources for COVID-19. For more up-to-date resources visit the Catalyst [COVID-19 resource page](#).

### Returning to Dentistry Live Q&A Resources:

On Monday, Virginia Health Catalyst hosted a live Q&A with leaders across Virginia who discussed the guidelines available and shared how their clinics are phasing dental services back in.

Please remember each clinic's return to care will look different; this presentation and the supporting documents included below are intended to act as a point of reference, not definitive guidelines.

- [Recording of the Live Q&A](#)
- [Presenter Slides from the Live Q&A](#)
- [Responses to Additional Questions from the Live Q&A](#)

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### Return to Work Guidelines:

Virginia Health Catalyst is monitoring guidelines at the state and national levels. As additional information is learned, guidelines will be updated appropriately.

#### Association Guidelines:

- [ADA Return to Work Interim Guidance Toolkit](#) - The ADA has released a free toolkit for clinicians preparing to see patients during and after COVID-19. The toolkit includes guidance and recommendations to keep patients and staff safe.
- [ADHA Interim Guidance on Returning to Work](#) - The ADHA has developed this document to provide interim guidance to dental hygienists on returning to work.
- [VDA Interim Guidelines for Re-entry](#) - The VDA has released its guidelines for re-entry. The guidelines include recommendations like staggering appointments, and continuing to use teledentistry.

#### Federal Guidelines:

- [CDC Updated Infection Control Guidelines](#) - The CDC is updating its guidelines, including the Interim Infection Prevention and Control Guidance for Dental Settings with new information and recommendations.
- [OSHA Guidance for Dentistry Workers and Employers](#) - This document includes updated guidance for dentistry workers who are at greater risk of occupational exposure of COVID-19.

## Introducing the Front Line Innovations Blog Series

COVID-19 has reshaped the future of oral health and public health dentistry. To highlight the innovative approaches happening in Virginia, Catalyst has launched the [Front Line Innovations blog series](#).

Our [first blog](#) comes from Dr. McAllister Castelaz, the dental director at Horizon Health Services Ivor Dental Center on the opportunities for minimally invasive dentistry. If you have an innovation you would like to highlight, contact [Virginia Health Catalyst](#).

Check back soon for the next blog!

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## Additional Resources:

- [Virginia Safety-Net Clinic Status Spreadsheet](#) – As clinics across Virginia begin to reopen for dental services Catalyst will make updates to our clinic spreadsheet to reflect status changes. If you know of updates that aren't reflected, please [let us know](#).
- [Coronavirus Patient Resources: Print, Infographics, and Translated Materials](#) (VDH) - This VDH web page includes links to translated patient resources, and resources for the deaf or hard of hearing, from the VDH and CDC.

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