AAMC COVID-19 Webinar for Clinical Leaders

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COVID-19 Pandemic: UW Medicine Experience on the Frontlines

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Emergence of Pandemic and Role of Academic Healthcare Systems

• Timeline of pandemic and Seattle area experience
• UW Medicine leading the response at forefront
  • System-wide incident command structure
    • Communications, alignment and coordination
    • Partnership with public health and other healthcare systems
    • Rapidly moved to WHO guidelines for contact and droplet precautions (mask, eye protection, gown and gloves) reserving airborne (N95 respirators/PAPRs) for aerosol-generating procedures
• Seattle Flu Study and community surveillance
• Clinical Virology Laboratory test development
• Testing clinics (drive through for employees and patients)
• Social Distancing measures
Challenges and Preparation

- Internal and external communications
- Maintaining the well-being of our faculty, staff and trainees
  - Support programs
  - Community disruption such as school closures – child care
- Maintaining healthy workforce
  - Approach to potentially exposed asymptomatic healthcare workers
  - Work-related travel and meeting restrictions
- PPE supply chain limited – implement conservation methods now
- Increase telehealth capacity
- Prepare for not doing elective care/procedures and shift towards crisis standards of care
- Public health underfunded and understaffed
UW Medicine COVID-19 public site
Link to all UW Medicine protocols and guidelines: covid-19.uwmedicine.org

FREE RESOURCE FOR HEALTH ORGANIZATIONS AND PROVIDERS
COPY AND PASTE LINK OR TYPE OUT ADDRESS
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Questions and Open Discussion

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