

We have a COVID-19 plan. Attend with confidence.

The **CBD Expo SOUTH 2020** conference is scheduled to go on as planned. As the event approaches, our team will be following any issued updates about COVID-19.

Our staff is following CDC-Guidance on the precautionary measures needed to be taken to ensure the safety of all event participants. We are continuing to monitor daily developments related to the disease outbreak and potential impact on travel to and within **Houston, Texas**.

Currently, our meeting hotel, Hilton Houston North, is operating normally. Any changes to operating status will be communicated immediately to all registered conference attendees, speakers and exhibitors.

We continue to implement preventive measures in line with the CDC recommendations and the input of our medical consultants. We have health and safety protocols in place, including:

- Easy access to handwashing facilities
- Hand sanitizer stations at entrances and every booth in the exhibit hall
- Quick response to spills, trash and other situations
- Frequent cleaning of high traffic areas
- Masks required

The Centers for Disease Control has issued guidance for COVID-19 prevention and treatment, including the following:

- Wear a mask
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick (within about 6 feet)
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth
- Stay home when you are sick
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe.
- Follow CDC's recommendations for using a facemask:
Learn what to do if you are sick. Do NOT come to the event if you are experiencing symptoms.
- Handwashing: Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Especially after going to the bathroom; before eating; and after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- *If soap and water are not readily available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.

On behalf of the MACE Media Group Team, we thank you for your continued support. Your safety is our NUMBER ONE priority.

For more information about the **CBD Expo South 2020** conference, we encourage you to keep a look-out for email updates daily.