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Latest Updates:

- Los Angeles County of Los Angeles has launched a new <u>Disaster Help Center</u> to support a wider range of business owners and workers adversely affected by the COVID-19 health emergency
 - The Disaster Help Center's new, centralized call center and website include resources for nonprofit organizations, tenants, and landlords. The Center has also expanded its hours of operation. You can now access its free, one-on-one counseling from: 8:30 am to 5:30 pm (Monday through Friday) and 10 am to 3 pm (Saturdays)
 - Whether you are a business owner who's struggling to keep your doors open, a worker who's uncertain about your next paycheck, or an unbanked LA County resident looking for a safe and affordable way to receive your Economic Impact payment, the LA County Disaster Help Center is available for immediate assistance
 - Call them at (833) 238-4450, visit their website at https://LACountyHelpCenter.org, or email DisasterHelpCenter@lacounty.gov
- Governor Newsom announced a new portal to help Californians who are working in essential sectors find safe and licensed childcare providers in their area
 - Visit https://MyChildCare.ca.gov to find an interactive map of qualified licensed child care providers near you. The tools are available in both English and Spanish
- The Angeles National Forest has extended its order of the closures of 4 formal trailheads, 23 informal trail access points, and 19 roads through May 15 in alignment with the State of California and the County of Los Angeles
 - View their full statement and find out what is closed and what is open by visiting https://www.fs.usda.gov/angeles/
- Store your Household Hazardous Waste such as disinfectants, hair dyes & air fresheners in a cool/dry location away from other materials, children & pets until Household Hazardous Waste events resume. Visit http://CleanLA.com for updates!
- All LA County residents with the following symptoms can get tested. No insurance is required
 - If you have one of these symptoms: cough or difficulty breathing/shortness of breath
 - Or, if you have at least two of these symptoms: fever, chills, repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell
 - To make an appointment, visit https://lacovidprod.service-now.com/rrs
- Additionally, the following groups can get tested throughout LA County, regardless of symptoms:
 - All essential workers
 - o Individuals who are either 65+ or have chronic underlying conditions
 - Individuals in institutional congregate living settings
- The Los Angeles Department of Public Health has partnered with the Headspace App to extend free subscriptions of its wellness and mindfulness platform to all Los Angeles County residents. For more information and to sign up, visit https://headspace.com/lacounty