

## FAQ's

### **Q: What is COVID-19 (Novel Coronavirus)?**

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A: Novel Coronavirus, generally known as COVID-19, was identified as the cause of an outbreak of pneumonia originating in Wuhan, China, in December 2019. The virus has symptoms similar to an upper-respiratory infection, and may include fever, runny nose, coughing and sore throat.

### **Q: How does COVID-19 spread?**

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A: People can catch COVID-19 from others who have the virus. The disease can spread from person to person through small droplets from the nose or mouth which are spread when a person with COVID-19 coughs or exhales. These droplets land on objects and surfaces around the person.

Other people then catch COVID-19 by touching these objects or surfaces, then touching their eyes, nose or mouth. People can also catch COVID-19 if they breathe in droplets from a person with COVID-19 who coughs out or exhales droplets. This is why it is important to stay more than 1 meter (3 feet) away from a person who is sick. Studies to date suggest that the virus that causes COVID-19 is mainly transmitted through contact with respiratory droplets rather than through the air.

### **Q: Are there recommended prevention tips?**

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A: Yes. Please continue to exercise the important prevention tips below from the World Health Organization.

- Wash your hands frequently with soap and water;
- Sneeze or cough into your elbow, not into your hand;
- Avoid close contact with anyone who has a fever and/or cough;
- Seek immediate medical care if you have a fever, cough or difficulty breathing;
- If you do not feel well, please stay home until you are better.

### **Q: What are the symptoms of COVID-19?**

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A: Common symptoms include fever, cough, runny nose, sore throat, shortness of breath and difficulty breathing. These symptoms are not limited to COVID-19 and can be caused by pneumonia, other respiratory illnesses or viruses such as the common flu. More information can be found on the World Health Organization website.



**Q: As a PMI Northern Utah Chapter Professional Development Conference (PDC) registrant will I receive a refund?**

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A: Since we are just postponing the conference and not cancelling it, we plan to carry over all registration information to the new dates. No need to refund or reregister.

**Q: Are you still planning to have PDC next year?**

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A: Yes, we are still planning to hold the conference annually as we have in the past. Dates for 2021 will be determined and announced at a later date.

**Q: Who do I contact for more information?**

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A: Please contact Michelle Schumann, EVP of Professional Development at [professional.development@projectmanger.org](mailto:professional.development@projectmanger.org) for any other questions.