

CTAA- ELA Project Update:

Project: Implementing Emergency Management and Preparedness

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I had hoped to be further along on my project, however, due to the events of this National Pandemic, I have fallen behind. This is mostly in part to 85% of our ridership within my agency being severely affected from this Coronavirus . Sixteen of my fellow co-workers had to be temporarily laid off. All that remains is my Director and I in the office, one driver in town and one driver handling the out of town rides. I have assumed all dispatching, and scheduling as well. I am certain other transit agencies have also been hit hard as well.

What I can report is that I have been researching several links pertaining to emergency management. My goal is to put them all into an easy to use template of sorts. I have ordered several USB thumb drives as well to upload my links, websites, and information that could prove helpful to other agencies. I plan to give one to the class, as well as my fellow transit agencies in South Dakota.

Lastly, I have begun to put my project into a power point. I am in the process of elimination. I am still deciding what to have on my poster that will be the biggest take away. I must also include, that CTAA has really been amazing in providing a lot of helpful information on how to help our agencies survive through this time of need. We will get through this!