

# COVID-19

## Treatment and Diagnostics Updates from South Dakota Physicians

In response to the most recent global pandemic threat, the world continues to search for a promising treatment to combat the novel coronavirus. Learn how South Dakota is contributing to this search and pooling resources to aid in the possible treatment of this deadly virus.

**Date:** May 28, 2020

**Time:** 2:00 pm-3:00 pm CST  
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm MST

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A panel of South Dakota physicians from the three largest Health Systems will share efforts being conducted locally to evaluate possible therapeutic treatments, discuss current clinical trials, and testing options. Additionally, they will address the challenges to the development and deployment of pandemic planning, provide lessons learned in treating and testing patients, and share their unique perspectives to how South Dakota healthcare system is dealing with COVID-19. The discussion will conclude with questions from the audience.

### Panelists



Allison Suttle, MD,  
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