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Dear Colleagues,

We are writing to follow up on our previous email about COVID-19 and to provide additional resources we have just developed for you. As COVID-19 continues to impact the United States and countries across the globe, the AVMA is committed to keeping you updated on how the disease impacts veterinary medicine and veterinary practices. To provide you with factual, reliable and veterinary-focused information and resources, we continue to update AVMA's dedicated [COVID-19 webpage](#) and we have developed [FAQs](#) to help you protect your team and communicate with your clients.

[See COVID-19 FAQ's](#)

**The AVMA continues to gather information about veterinary drug and other medical supply needs related to the outbreak. We ask that veterinarians, practices/practice groups, and veterinary distributors with information about any shortages please email AVMA at [coronavirus@avma.org](mailto:coronavirus@avma.org). Please include as much information as possible about the product and its manufacturer/distributor.**

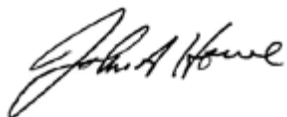
We are working closely with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), infectious disease experts, and international organizations to gain the latest resources and intel on the disease and its causative virus (SARS-CoV-2) for you and your clients. Our goal is to support you with relevant information and tangible resources in this fast-evolving situation.

Please continue to check in with us on AVMA's [COVID-19 webpage](#) and follow our social media channels for the latest developments. If you have any questions regarding how the AVMA Trust may be able to help you or your practices, visit [www.AVMAPLIT.com](http://www.AVMAPLIT.com) or call 800-228-7548.

This issue impacts our profession in a range of ways, including the veterinary care we provide, the medical product supply-chain, travel restrictions, the cancellation of meetings and events, and the health and safety of our colleagues, clients and patients.

The AVMA is here for you. We are working with all the relevant agencies and key stakeholders to be your source of veterinary-related information so that you can make the best decisions for your practice, your team, your clients, and your patients.

Sincerely,



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