



We are supporting mental health agencies in Jackson County to respond to COVID-19. To date, funding includes:

- More than \$175,000 in technology grants to currently-funded agencies. This is keeping families and mental health staff connected.
- Emergency changes to over \$8,000,000 in current contracts. As of early April, remote services using telecommunication can be billed, and audited. This supported continuity of care and minimized effort from agencies.

Links to mental health information, guidance, and resources to assist individuals, providers, and organizations.

[COVID-19: The mental health impact on people of color and minority groups](#)

[Managing mental health during COVID-19](#)

[Practice Guidance for COVID-19](#)

[American Psychological Association \(APA\) Coronavirus Resources](#)

[Mental Health and the COVID-19 Pandemic](#)

[National Alliance on Mental Illness \(Nami\) COVID-19 Resource and Information Guide](#)

[Best Practices for Telehealth During COVID-19 Public Health Emergency](#)

[COVID-19 and Behavioral Health Disparities for Black and Latino Communities](#)

[How to combat COVID-19's disparate mental health impact](#)

[Society of Behavioral Medicine Calls for Equitable Healthcare during COVID- 19 Pandemic](#)

[How to reduce the racial gap in COVID-19 deaths](#)

[Emergency Preparedness Resources for Persons from Diverse Cultural Origins](#)