



WVLS will send an email on Tuesday and Friday at 9 a.m., featuring new developments for our member libraries related to COVID-19.

**1) What's New on the [WVLS COVID-19 webpage](#)**

- Library Status Updates
- Staying Together Recording/Chat/Discussion from 7/14

**2) COVID-Update Moving to Thursdays**

Starting the week of July 20, the WVLS COVID-19 Update will be emailed weekly on Thursdays at 9 a.m. Monday Mentions will continue to come out at 12 p.m. each Monday.

**3) "Staying Together" on July 21**

The next Staying Together Discussion is on Tuesday, July 21 at 1 p.m. The topic will be staff morale.

Phone: +1.408.419.1715 or 1.408.915.6290 (only one number is needed to join)

Meeting ID: 715 397 297 139 731

Or Sign-in via Computer: <https://bluejeans.com/715397297139731>

**4) ALA COVID-19 Resources Guide Path Toward Reopening and Recovery**

Strong libraries are essential to the recovery of communities devastated by the COVID-19 pandemic. To help guide communities, library workers and library supporters along the path to

recovery, the American Library Association (ALA) today launched a curated, online repository of tools, guides and resources.

The [ALA COVID-19 Recovery website](#) includes everything from the latest information on safely reopening libraries to funding opportunities available on the local, state and federal level. It will be updated often and replace the existing COVID-19 Response page that has served the community through the pandemic thus far. [Read more.](#)

**5) Notifying WVLS of Service Level Changes (repeat)**

If your library should need to return to curbside service, temporarily close, re-open, or expand hours and services, please share the changes with WVLS at [help@librarieswin.org](mailto:help@librarieswin.org) as soon as you are able. Please refer to the document attached for guidance, also available on the [WVLS COVID-19 Resources Webpage](#).