



Information sent every Thursday at 9 a.m., with developments for our member libraries related to COVID-19.

1) What's New on the [WVLS COVID-19 webpage](#) (this page can be found under "Resources" from the WVLS Home Page).

- Status of WVLS Member Libraries

2) "Staying Together" on September 8

The next Staying Together Discussion is on Tuesday, Sept. 8 at 1 p.m. The topic is evaluating the Wisconsin Public Libraries Reopening Guide.

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>

3) Tips to Reenergize and Refocus (blog post)

I don't know about you, but I'm exhausted. The pandemic is exhausting. Natural disasters, a nation coming to terms with centuries of racial disparity, and a Presidential campaign here in the United States are exhausting.

And yet the library world continues to provide service during this crazy year. Library marketers are expected to be energetic and enthusiastic. And you're expected to produce results, driving people to watch virtual programs, use your curbside pickup service, and follow all the rules for social distancing.

It's only natural to feel burned out by the speed at which everything happens at your library. So here are some tips to help you manage your work and avoid burnout. [Read more.](#)

4) Emergency Internet Resources (blog post)

Just a quick reminder that the Public Service Commission (PSC) of Wisconsin has a [webpage to help consumers find internet resources](#) during the pandemic. It includes a map of public wifi locations, special internet deals from commercial providers, and a few other options. [Read more.](#)