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Agriculture  
Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
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Education  
Environment  
Health/Health Care  
Minority/Civil Rights and Women's Concerns  
National, State and Local Politics/Government  
Youth and Child Concerns

### **Agriculture**

Category: Agriculture  
Series Title: Market to Market  
Length: 30 minutes each broadcast  
Airdate: Sunday mornings at 7 AM 4/05/2020 to 6/28/2020

Description: This program continues to track the contentious and litigious issue of large-scale livestock production as the controversy spreads from rural courthouses to Congress. Market to Market is the only National broadcast program that reports regularly on industry trends like the growing market for organic produce and products, explains the importance of the changing market for financial derivatives, and examines the science that promises to make food easier.

Category: Agriculture  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12811  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/20/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:10:22

COVID-19 is disrupting agriculture on many levels. The Trump administration recently announced it will spend \$19 billion to help farmers. But they aren't the only group in need of support -- undocumented immigrants are roughly half of American farmworkers, and they have been excluded from the federal aid. Stephanie Sy reports and talks to agriculture reporter Amy Mayer of Iowa Public Radio.

Category: Agriculture  
Series Title: American Experience 3203  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/21/2020 7 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Explore the life of 1970 Nobel Peace Prize winner Norman Borlaug, who tried to solve world hunger. He rescued India from a severe famine and led the "Green Revolution," estimated to have saved one billion lives. But his work later faced criticism.

### **Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement**

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12798  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:36

As coronavirus has spread across the U.S., so have reports of violence against people of Asian descent, and the FBI warns a surge in hate crimes could be yet to come. These fears have led to the creation of a website for reporting such attacks -- and it has registered more than 1,000 incidents in less than two weeks. Amna Nawaz talks to Cynthia Choi of Chinese for Affirmative Action.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12823  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/6/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:02:24

A black family in Georgia is pressing authorities to act after the shooting death of their son. In late February, Ahmaud Arbery was killed after two white men chased him, but no charges have been filed. Now, shocking video apparently depicting the incident has emerged -- and is stirring outrage nationwide. Yamiche Alcindor reports.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12824  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/7/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:13

Two and a half years after former National Security Adviser Michael Flynn pleaded guilty to lying to the FBI about his contact with Russian officials, the Justice Department

has asked a federal judge to drop the case against him. Judy Woodruff talks to Neal Katyal, who was acting solicitor general in the Obama administration, and Brett Tolman, a former U.S. attorney for the district of Utah.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12824  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/7/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:37

Public outcry is mounting over the killing of an unarmed African American man in Georgia over two months ago. Recently released video shows 25-year-old Ahmaud Arbery jogging in late February when he was shot to death by two white men, who said they thought he looked like a burglary suspect. Marcus Arbery, the father of the victim, and his attorney, Benjamin Crump, join Yamiche Alcindor to discuss.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12825  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/8/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:02:15

In our news wrap Friday, two white men in Georgia made their initial court appearance in the killing of Ahmaud Arbery. Gregory and Travis McMichael were arrested Thursday night and face murder and assault charges in a case that sparked national outcry. Also, the CEO of Boeing says the company now expects to resume production of its 737 Max jets this month. The planes have been grounded for months.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12829  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/14/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:28

COVID-19 is sweeping the country's jails and prisons. They have proven to be breeding grounds for contagion, with close quarters and a lack of protective gear. Some have released inmates early to free up space -- but people inside say it is too little, too late. Yamiche Alcindor reports, and William Brangham talks to Dr. Homer Venters, former chief medical officer of the New York City jail system.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12842  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/2/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:51

The U.S. has now experienced a full week of protests over police treatment of black Americans. The death of George Floyd in Minneapolis has triggered widespread demonstrations, curfews and thousands of arrests. National Guard troops have been called up in states across the country. And President Trump's rhetoric urging increased use of force is prompting more disagreement. Amna Nawaz reports.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12842  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/2/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:20

President Trump has caused new controversy for his handling of a protest near the White House Monday night. Police began clearing people out from a peaceful demonstration in Lafayette Square before the citywide curfew took effect, firing gas with no apparent provocation. Trump then walked to St. John's Episcopal Church for a photograph. Yamiche Alcindor joins Judy Woodruff to discuss.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12843  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/3/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:25

As protests over the death of George Floyd continue in cities nationwide, there were major developments Wednesday in the legal response to the case. Derek Chauvin, the officer who pressed his knee into Floyd's neck, is now charged with second-degree murder, while three other officers are accused of aiding and abetting a murder. Lisa Desjardins reports.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12845  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/5/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:43

The nationwide protests over the killing of George Floyd are forcing many state and local government officials to closely examine their law enforcement agencies and practices. Los Angeles Mayor Eric Garcetti announced Thursday his proposal to cut \$150 million from the city's police budget and put that money toward helping communities of color. He joins Judy Woodruff to discuss accountability.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12846  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/8/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:38

As we have seen in Minneapolis, whose city council says it will defund the police, the move to reform law enforcement is gaining steam. Some activists want to abolish police departments entirely, while others aim to reallocate some of their funding to other services. Judy Woodruff talks to Charlene Carruthers of the Movement for Black Lives and Chuck Wexler of the Police Executive Research Forum.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12847  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/9/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:00

George Floyd's death and the ensuing protests have reignited the American conversation on race. That includes inequities and discrimination in news reporting, where several recent incidents have highlighted the different experiences of black and white journalists. Judy Woodruff talks to Dorothy Tucker of the National Association of Black Journalists and Norman Pearlstine of the Los Angeles Times.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12848  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/10/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:36

The national outcry to end racial injustice in the U.S. has expanded from protests in the streets to appeals on Capitol Hill. Philonise Floyd, George Floyd's younger brother,

headlined a Wednesday hearing before the House Judiciary Committee, which is working on a bill to address police violence and racism. Lisa Desjardins reports and joins Judy Woodruff to discuss the latest from Congress.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12848  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/10/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:17

In our news wrap Wednesday, some 1,250 former Justice Department employees are calling to investigate Attorney General William Barr for his decision to forcibly remove peaceful protesters from near the White House last week. Their request was made Wednesday to the department's inspector general. Also, NASCAR announced it is banning the Confederate flag from all its racing events and properties.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12851  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/15/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:56

Atlanta has become the new epicenter of a growing campaign for racial justice. Thousands of protesters marched there after the fatal police shooting of Rayshard Brooks on Friday night. Meanwhile, pressure continues to build in Minneapolis for the city to overhaul its police department following the death of George Floyd, which sparked a national social movement. William Brangham reports.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12852  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/16/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:12

On Tuesday, President Trump signed an executive order on policing, amid growing calls for reform and racial justice. While the measure represents Trump's most significant action on policing since taking office, many experts say it won't compel police departments to make major changes. Yamiche Alcindor joins Judy Woodruff

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12852

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/16/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:27

Rayshard Brooks' shooting death at the hands of Atlanta police has added new fuel to the national conversation and protests over use of force. The encounter began calmly but escalated when officers tried to arrest Brooks for driving under the influence. Judy Woodruff talks to Georgetown University Law Center's Paul Butler and retired police officer David Thomas of Florida Gulf Coast University.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12853  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/17/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:12:35

Senate Republicans introduced their police reform bill Wednesday. Called the Justice Act, it includes grants for body cameras and incentives for police departments to ban chokeholds. It also increases disclosure requirements for no-knock warrants and the use of force. Yamiche Alcindor reports, and Sen. Tim Scott, who is leading the bill, joins Judy Woodruff to discuss why it's "an important step."

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12853  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/17/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:57

In the three-plus weeks since George Floyd's death, the protests that began in Minneapolis over policing, race and the use of force have grown into a national reckoning on these issues. Some areas of the country with few black residents are experiencing Black Lives Matter demonstrations for the first time. Stephanie Sy reports on how the coalition has widened among different races and ethnicities

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12855  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/19/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:30

In our news wrap Friday, the mayor of Louisville, Kentucky, says one of the police officers involved in the killing of Breonna Taylor will be fired. Two others remain on administrative reassignment pending results of an investigation into the March shooting inside Taylor's apartment.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12855  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/19/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:58

The past several weeks have been tumultuous ones for American race relations. Between a pandemic disproportionately affecting Black people and new incidents of police violence, Juneteenth has taken on increased public prominence. Yamiche Alcindor talks to Mark Anthony Neal, professor of African and African American Studies at Duke University, about this unique moment -- and hope for change.

Category: Crime/Legal Issues/Law Enforcement  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12861  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/29/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:57

In our news wrap Monday, the man known as the Golden State Killer pled guilty to 13 counts of first-degree murder. Former police officer Joseph DeAngelo will be spared the death penalty but will serve life in prison without parole. Also, in Afghanistan, an attack at a busy market in Helmand province killed at least 23 people. The Taliban and the Afghan military blamed each other for the violence.

### Economy

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 127699  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/2/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:31

What does the coronavirus pandemic's unprecedented surge in job loss mean for the American economy? Professor and economist Laura Tyson served as chair of the Council of Economic Advisers during the Clinton administration. She joins Judy

Woodruff to discuss whether delivery of federal aid to the unemployed will come soon enough and why the duration of this recession is so difficult to predict.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12799  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/2/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:27

A sector of the economy that is being hit especially hard amid the coronavirus pandemic is the restaurant industry. In normal times, Americans were spending roughly as much money on dining out as they were at grocery stores. With restaurants now closed, more than 3 million jobs have been lost nationwide. Paul Solman reports on the impact on establishments in the Washington, D.C., metro area.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12803  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/8/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:51

In our news wrap Wednesday, Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin told House Democrats Americans will start receiving direct deposits of COVID-19 aid next week. He also pressed Congress to add \$250 billion to the Payroll Protection Program for small businesses.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12804  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/9/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:41

Many Americans affected by the coronavirus pandemic are struggling to pay their rent when they have lost income and haven't yet been able to secure unemployment money. Missed rent, in turn, adds up to landlords who can't pay their mortgages or property tax. And then cities and states will struggle to provide the basic services that tax payments fund. Paul Solman reports on this "looming cascade."

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12804  
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 4/9/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:55

As unemployment claims in the U.S. mount due to business closures related to the novel coronavirus, former Federal Reserve Chair Janet Yellen offered her perspective on the direction the economy may be heading in the coming months, and warned that job losses could continue to worsen.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12805  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/10/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:02:47

In our news wrap Friday, members of OPEC, along with Russia and Mexico, agreed to cut global oil production by up to 10 million barrels a day, or a tenth of the world supply. It's an effort to stabilize oil markets and boost prices, which have fallen more than 50 percent this year. Also, Attorney General William Barr says the investigation of ties between President Trump and Russia was a travesty.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12805  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/10/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:35

The economic emergency driven by the coronavirus pandemic is especially brutal for small businesses, many of which experienced an abrupt and complete loss of income. Although federal aid has been allocated to assist them, logistical obstacles to getting the funds into the hands of business owners remain. We hear from some of these owners, and Amna Nawaz turns to Lisa Desjardins for policy details.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12806  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/13/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:57

The novel coronavirus has killed nearly 120,000 people worldwide, including 23,000 in the U.S. Although officials in some countries, including the U.S., are talking about restarting economic and social activity, health experts warn that doing so without sufficient preparation -- and widespread testing for the virus -- could prompt another wave of infections. Amna Nawaz reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12806  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/13/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:39

Low-income Americans are bearing the brunt of COVID-19. Detroit, a city already facing steep economic and racial inequalities, has emerged as a virus hot spot. John Yang reports and talks to the United Way for Southeastern Michigan's Darienne Hudson about families struggling to fulfill their basic needs and access vital information about the pandemic, as well as how nonprofits are being affected.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12807  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/14/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:21

President Trump and some state governors are arguing over who should decide how to reopen the U.S. economy after the coronavirus pandemic -- and when. Meanwhile, New York's death toll from COVID-19 has passed 10,000, and meat-processing plants in Pennsylvania and South Dakota are closing after hundreds of their workers tested positive for the virus. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12808  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/15/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:39

The U.S. death toll from novel coronavirus is approaching 30,000. Though President Trump is eager to lift the restrictions prompted by the pandemic and "reopen" the economy, other leaders continue to express concern that doing so would undermine

efforts to contain the virus. Trump is also battling with the World Health Organization over their initial response to the outbreak. John Yang reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12809  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/16/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:42

The U.S. is experiencing a sudden spike in unemployment not seen since the Great Depression. In about a month, 22 million lost their jobs, with many more cuts yet to come -- and a sense that even these staggering numbers don't represent the full picture of economic devastation. Here are voices of struggling Americans out of work or forced to cut back their businesses because of the pandemic.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12809  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/16/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:58

Small businesses constitute the primary engine of the U.S. economy -- and they are among the hardest hit by the novel coronavirus pandemic's fallout. They suffered a new blow Thursday when the massive \$349 billion relief program established to support them revealed that it is already out of money. Lisa Desjardins joins Judy Woodruff to discuss the predicament and how Congress might respond.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12809  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/16/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:55

U.S. job losses resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic are simply staggering. So far, they are roughly equivalent to the number of jobs created since the last painful recession. Elise Gould, senior economist with the nonprofit Economic Policy Institute, joins Judy Woodruff to discuss which economic sectors were hit first, how losses have cascaded from there and why women might be affected more.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12809

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/16/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:45

One of the business sectors hit hardest by the novel coronavirus pandemic has been air travel. Passenger volume is down a stunning 96 percent in the U.S., while airline losses have topped \$300 billion worldwide. Despite canceled flights, travelers are not easily able to get their money back. Meanwhile, pilots and other staff worry for their safety. Economics correspondent Paul Solman reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12810  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/17/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:35

President Trump has shared a plan states can use to decide when to lift restrictions on movement and economic activity. But some governors say testing for COVID-19 isn't near the levels necessary to enable them to reopen. Meanwhile, global health experts expressed doubts about whether the presence of COVID-19 antibodies in a person's blood means they are immune to reinfection. John Yang reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12811  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/20/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:04:40

Economic damage from the novel coronavirus pandemic has knocked the bottom out of the oil market. The cost of benchmark U.S. crude oil, for delivery in May, actually fell below zero -- dragging down the entire stock market. And in some places, producers are running out of places to store unused oil. Special correspondent Ryan Chilcote joins Judy Woodruff to discuss the unprecedented numbers.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12812  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/21/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:07:27

On Tuesday, the Senate renewed its effort to mitigate economic pain caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. Lawmakers approved a \$483 billion relief package including money for hospitals, testing and small business lending -- especially targeted to business categories less successful in securing funding through previous legislation. Amna Nawaz reports, and Lisa Desjardins joins Judy Woodruff to discuss.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12814  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/23/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:55

More help is on the way for American small businesses. The House approved a \$484 billion measure aimed specifically at aiding smaller employers and hospitals Thursday. It comes as another 4.4 million Americans filed for unemployment. Meanwhile, a New York study finds much greater levels of COVID-19 than lab tests have confirmed. John Yang reports and Lisa Desjardins joins Judy Woodruff to discuss.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12814  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/23/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:16

Georgia's governor says the state will allow some businesses to reopen beginning this Friday -- a week before his stay-at-home order expires. It's a decision President Trump says he opposes. So far, Georgia has seen more than 20,000 cases and 800 deaths from COVID-19. For two views on the debate, Judy Woodruff talks to Valdosta's mayor, Scott James Matheson, and Hardie Davis, mayor of Augusta.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12814  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/23/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:34

A new survey by the Pew Research Center finds 43 percent of U.S. adults say they or someone in their household has suffered a job loss or pay cut due to COVID-19. With such widespread impact, it will likely take years for the economy to rebound. But what

will recovery even look like, as the pandemic exacerbates existing inequalities and vulnerabilities in American society? Paul Solman reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company 2217  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/29/2020 12 AM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

The president of Americans for Prosperity joins Christiane Amanpour to answer the question on everyone's mind: How can the American economy be opened up safely? Then, journalist Michael Specter discusses Anthony Fauci's career and leadership during the COVID-19 pandemic. Finally, Dr. Richard Levitan joins Hari Sreenivasan to explain why COVID-19 patients should be going to hospitals sooner.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12818  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/29/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:47

The U.S. death toll from COVID-19 has now surpassed 60,000, but there are some signs of hope. An international study run by the National Institutes of Health found encouraging results in a trial of the experimental drug remdesivir among hospitalized patients. Meanwhile, U.S. GDP shrank during the first quarter of the year, but experts warn the second will be "much worse." Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12819  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/30/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:32

New government jobs numbers reiterate the extent of the pandemic's economic damage. In the last six weeks, more than 30 million Americans have lost their jobs, including another 3.8 million filing for unemployment last week. Lawmakers are still debating how to provide financial assistance to states during the crisis, as federal social distancing guidelines expire. Yamiche Alcindor reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12821

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/4/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:03

The start of a new week marked more reopenings across the United States, whose death toll from COVID-19 is now over 68,000. In Washington, D.C., the Senate returned to the Capitol, while the House remained at recess due to the pandemic. Meanwhile, in hard-hit European countries like Italy and Spain, more workers were back on the job as virus cases and deaths fell to new lows. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12822  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/5/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:37

Weeks of business closures and stay-at-home orders have left the American economy in shambles. Now, a majority of states are starting to lift restrictions and resume business -- even though COVID-19 cases and deaths nationwide continue to climb. Arkansas Gov. Asa Hutchinson has a phased plan for reopening, and he joins Judy Woodruff to discuss why he thinks this is the right time to implement it.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12823  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/6/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:24

Congress is divided over whether the next coronavirus relief bill should fund cities and states reeling from the economic impact of the pandemic. Democrats and some Republicans cite governors and mayors who say aid is needed to stave off additional layoffs, but Majority Leader Mitch McConnell and others call such funding "Blue State Bailouts." Here's what some state and municipal workers think.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12824  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/7/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:46

More than half of U.S. states have started lifting pandemic restrictions and reopening their economies. But questions remain about how to resume business while maintaining social distancing. In addition, testing for COVID-19 remains relatively limited, with about 250,000 tests per day conducted nationwide. Judy Woodruff talks to Dr. Ashish Jha, director of the Harvard Global Health Institute.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12825  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/8/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:41

A new jobs report details a picture of devastating national unemployment not seen since the Great Depression. Neel Kashkari, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis and former assistant secretary of the treasury, joins Judy Woodruff to discuss why the crisis is likely even worse than it appears, who is hurt the most and what the government can do to try to stabilize the U.S. economy.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12829  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/14/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:35

The global death toll in the coronavirus pandemic has reached 300,000, with 85,000 fatalities in the U.S. alone. The new numbers were posted as federal vaccine expert Dr. Rick Bright, in congressional testimony, levied grave criticism of the White House's crisis response. Meanwhile, nearly 3 million additional Americans filed for unemployment amid a crippled economy. Yamiche Alcindor reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12833  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/20/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:01

All 50 states have now taken some steps to reopen after COVID-19 shutdowns. Their approaches vary, with only minor restrictions remaining in states like Texas, while New York still has strict limitations in place. Federal guidance from the CDC was released

quietly, but its recommendations aren't mandatory. Meanwhile, WHO officials warned that the pandemic isn't going away. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12839  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/28/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:35

The economic toll of the pandemic and the ensuing shutdowns continues to grow, with more than 40 million people losing jobs so far. Although economic activity will pick up as businesses reopen, there is growing debate about how government policy can support struggling Americans and a fragile economy. Judy Woodruff talks to Mary Daly, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12845  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/5/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:09

Jobs numbers from May were unexpectedly strong, catching most economists by surprise. But the Trump administration was quick to hail them as early indications of an economic recovery already underway. How do others interpret the new data -- and what do they suggest about the future? John Yang reports and talks to labor economist Elise Gould of the Economic Policy Institute and Lisa Desjardins.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12849  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/11/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:55

Shutting down the U.S. economy in an effort to control the coronavirus outbreak came at enormous cost to American businesses. But the damage borne by African American entrepreneurs has been especially significant. Paul Solman reports on how black business owners face additional challenges -- from racism among customers to a lack of financial support -- even when economic circumstances are strong.

Category: Economy  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12854

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/18/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:10

The staggering number of Americans seeking unemployment benefits underscores just how many are struggling financially due to the pandemic. While the economic damage from shuttering businesses and staying home is undeniable, public health experts worry that the pressure to reopen will end up driving the spread of COVID-19. Paul Solman reports on weighing the economic and safety risks.

### Education

Category: Education  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12807  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/14/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:19

The coronavirus pandemic has disrupted the academic year of some 20 million college students as campuses are shuttered nationwide. Many of these young people are continuing their studies through online classes -- but the transition is not easy for all of them. John Yang reports on the logistical, emotional and economic consequences of this interrupted school year.

Category: Education  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12818  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/29/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:11:31

Roughly 14 percent of students enrolled in U.S. public schools receive special education services. As families across the nation grapple with home learning, what are the particular challenges the parents of these children face? Judy Woodruff reports and talks to Selene Almazan of the Council of Parent Attorneys and Advocates, a nonprofit aiming to protect the rights of children with disabilities.

Category: Education  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12829  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/14/2020 10 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:45

Colleges and universities across the country are wrestling with how and when to reopen for classes in the fall. While some are planning to bring students and faculty back to campus, others feel such a move would be unwise and will conduct only online learning. Judy Woodruff talks to Timothy White, chancellor of California State University, about his institution's shift to mostly remote classes.

Category: Education  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12831  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/18/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:51

With schools closed and classes moving online, students nationwide are being forced to adapt to a new learning landscape. One challenge: standardized testing for college admissions, many of which have been canceled this spring. Although test administrators say tests will be run online by this fall, some experts worry that shift will exacerbate existing systemic inequities. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Education  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12857  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/23/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:22

Distance learning proved a difficult experiment for many students, teachers and parents this year. Its urgent adoption underscored gaps in access and income. Now, school districts are scrambling to figure out how to adjust plans for the fall. We hear from viewers about their own school experiences, and William Brangham talks to Mark Bedell, superintendent of Missouri's Kansas City Public Schools.

Category: Education

Every month, WKYU broadcasts over 240 hours of educational programming for pre-school and school age children. Programs include:

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- Pinkalicious and Peterric (Weekdays 5 am) Arts and Creativity
- Ready Jet Go! (Weekdays 6 am; Saturdays 9 am) Science, Technology, and Astronomy
- Sesame Street (Weekdays 8 am & 2 pm; Saturdays 6 am) Math & Building character
- Splash and Bubbles (Weekdays 9:30 am & 3:30 pm and Saturdays 8:30 am) Diversity, interconnectedness, and the importance of taking care of the ocean
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- Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum (Weekdays 11:30 am) Ages 4-7; teaching focuses on important historical figures, while exploring social emotional concepts and character traits.

### Environment

Category: Environment  
 Series Title: Power Trip: The Story of Energy 101  
 Length: 60 minutes  
 Airdate: 4/20/2020 7 PM  
 Service: PBS-PLUS  
 Format: Documentary  
 Segment Length: 00:00:00

Journey back in time and across the world to learn the history of energy and water. Today, water and energy are interconnected, for better or worse, but how can we make energy less "thirsty" and water less energy intensive?

Category: Environment  
 Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12812  
 Length: 60 minutes  
 Airdate: 4/21/2020 10 PM  
 Service: PBS  
 Format: News (live news only)  
 Segment Length: 00:04:38

As much of the globe continues to stay home to practice social distancing, vibrant cities have gone quiet, and animals are freer to roam. The rare absence of human activity grants us a special glimpse of what the world might be like without us in it.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12813  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/22/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:16

In our news wrap Wednesday, it was the 50th anniversary of Earth Day, and it came as COVID-19 lockdowns have cleared air and water worldwide. Pollution in several major cities, including Paris and New Delhi, is about 50 percent lower than in previous years.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: MainStreet 3604: Eclectic Collection  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 4/27/2020 8 PM  
Service: WKU PBS  
Format: Documentary

On this Mainstreet we have an unusual combination of stories that touch on a very busy animal shelter and a unique agricultural education program, as well as introducing us to a man who has become a reluctant celebrity at WKU.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Nature 3713  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/3/2020 12 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

In the crystal-clear waters of the Caribbean, Cuba is an island teeming with exotic biodiversity: from coral reefs pulsating with life to five-foot-long Cuban rock iguanas. As international relations thaw, what will become of this wildlife sanctuary?

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Nature 3714  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/10/2020 12 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

There are more than 100 domestic and wild kinds of rabbits and hares, from snowshoe hares to Flemish giants. Despite their remarkable ability to reproduce, many wild rabbits are in danger of being eradicated.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: MainStreet 3606: Creatures Big and Small  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 5/11/2020 8 PM  
Service: WKU PBS  
Format: Documentary

Discover how the love for animals takes shape in three different stories of the rescue, care and training of animals.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Independent Lens 2114  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/14/2020 8 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Listen as ordinary New Yorkers attempt to answer the question "What were you doing while the planet burned?" During one sweltering month in 2017, they discuss the biggest issues they face, from climate change to skyrocketing rents to mass shootings.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Nature 3410  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/17/2020 12 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Other  
Segment Length: 01:00:00

Kalkalpen National Park in the Austrian Alps was abandoned and unmanaged by man for close to a quarter of a century. Now the forest's dramatic cycle of regeneration is bringing back pygmy owls, woodpeckers, colorful insects and even the lynx.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: MainStreet 3609: All Natural  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 6/01/2020 8 PM  
Service: WKU PBS  
Format: Documentary

On the next edition of Mainstreet we're taking a trip into the natural world with an outing to a botanical garden where a miniature castle is only part of the beauty of the gardens. Then we're off to a lavender farm where the crops are more than just beautiful flowers and then we'll find out why bees are so important to our environment and what we can do to help these busy creatures.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: NOVA 4418  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/02/2020 8:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Uncover geologic fingerprints of colossal floods that violently reshaped the ancient world. Follow geologists around the globe as they reconstruct catastrophic Ice Age floods more powerful than all the world's top ten rivers combined.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: NOVA 4707  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/09/2020 8 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Eagles are the most powerful birds in the sky. They are capable of tackling enormous prey, spotting food at vast distances and soaring for miles on the wing. But how do they achieve this? To find out, this film follows the dramatic story of a family of bald eagles and bird specialist Lloyd Buck puts his trained golden eagle to the test in a series of remarkable experiments.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Power Trip: The Story of Energy 102  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/09/2020 7 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Discover how much energy it takes to bring us our food. Energy enables a stable supply in the global food system, but it's not without waste. How do we harness energy to feed a growing population without the downsides of industrialization?

Category: Environment  
Series Title: NOVA 3910

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/16/2020 8 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:49:55

In April 2011, the worst tornado outbreak in decades left a trail of destruction across the U.S., killing more than 360 people. In this NOVA special, get a look at the science behind the last year's outbreak, meeting those affected and the scientists striving to understand the forces behind the outbreak.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12853  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/17/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:56

The U.S. Senate on Wednesday overwhelmingly passed an act that provides funding for national parks and public lands. Lisa Desjardins joins Judy Woodruff to discuss the details of the legislation, including where the money will come from, and what else Congress is considering when it comes to action on protecting the environment.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Power Trip: The Story of Energy 104  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/23/2020 7 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Learn how energy changes the way wealth is concentrated in the modern world. Wealth was once tied to land ownership, but today, it is tied to energy and who controls it, creating a cascade of social and economic effects.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12859  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/25/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:06

A historic heat wave is occurring in the Arctic, already the fastest-warming place on Earth due to the increasing accumulation of greenhouse gases. Dr. Merritt Turetsky, director of the Institute of Arctic and Alpine Research at the University of Colorado

Boulder, has studied the Arctic for decades. She joins William Brangham to discuss causes and consequences of the Arctic's rising temperatures.

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Nature 3509  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/28/2020 8 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Explore the astounding abilities of butterflies 360 vision, deceptive camouflage, chemical weaponry and fantastic flight. Look beyond their bright colors and fragile beauty and follow them on one of the greatest migrations on earth.

### **Health/Healthcare**

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12798  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:55

New York's death toll from COVID-19 is nearing 2,000, and experts warn it will continue to rise. But many other areas of the country are also seeing cases climb and taking steps to try to limit them. President Trump sounded a grave warning during a Tuesday Coronavirus Task Force briefing, saying the virus is projected to kill at least 100,000 Americans in the months to come. John Yang reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12798  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:19

COVID-19 is a huge challenge for many U.S. hospitals, from large cities to rural areas. The next few weeks are expected to be especially difficult, as critical supplies dwindle and health care workers are stressed. William Brangham talks to Dr. Phillip Coule, chief medical officer for Georgia's Augusta University Health System, and Michael Dowling, president and CEO of New York's Northwell Health.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12798

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:26

In our news wrap Wednesday, U.S. intelligence believes that China vastly understated its own death toll in the COVID-19 pandemic. Two senior U.S. officials say the true number of dead in Wuhan, where the outbreak began, could be 10 times what was reported. Also, Iranian President Hassan Rouhani says the U.S. is missing a historic opportunity to ease tensions with sanctions relief.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12798  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:00

Face masks are critical protection for medical workers caring for COVID-19 patients, but should everyone else also be wearing them? So far, federal health officials have warned against the general public wearing face masks when outside the home, but that guidance could be changing soon. Amid a global shortage of these masks, William Brangham reports on the conflicting debate.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12799  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/2/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:04

The coronavirus pandemic has infected at least 1 million people and killed over 50,000 worldwide. In the U.S., President Trump is taking new action to bolster medical supplies, and unemployment is surging.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12799  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/2/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:14

Health officials have stressed that novel coronavirus doesn't discriminate based on race or ethnicity. But disparities long present in the U.S. medical system are now driving what some call a crisis within a crisis: black and brown communities across the country are being hit harder, and with fewer resources to save them. Amna Nawaz talks to Dr. Uché Blackstock of Advancing Health Equity.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12800  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/3/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:58

The coronavirus pandemic has claimed some 7,000 lives across the United States, with more than 40 percent of those in New York. The state's governor, Andrew Cuomo, said he will seize vital unused equipment from private hospitals if necessary in order to treat the surge in COVID-19 patients. Meanwhile, new numbers drive home the outbreak's devastating impact on the U.S. economy. Amna Nawaz reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12800  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/3/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:17:25

Americans should wear face masks as a way to help stifle the spread of COVID-19, said Dr. Anthony Fauci, one of the nation's top doctors leading the public health fight against the coronavirus pandemic — a departure from previous government guidance to only wear a mask if you were caring for someone with the illness or had it yourself.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12800  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/3/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:20

As the coronavirus pandemic spreads across the U.S., officials are warning that there are not enough medical professionals available to meet the growing needs of patients. The shortage has led to the easing of some regulations, enabling medical students to graduate early and retired doctors to return to practice. Lisa Desjardins shares some of their stories from this all-hands-on-deck moment.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12801  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/6/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:57

A new report from the inspector general of the Department of Health and Human Services offers a snapshot of what hospitals are facing nationwide as the coronavirus spreads. A survey of more than 320 hospitals found week-long waits for COVID-19 test results, insufficient staff to run ventilators and shortages of basic cleaning supplies. Assistant Inspector General Ann Maxwell joins Judy Woodruff.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12801  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/6/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:04

Gov. Andy Beshear of Kentucky is one of the many leaders across the U.S. competing with the federal government and with other states to secure critical medical equipment during the coronavirus pandemic. He joins Judy Woodruff to discuss the sacrifices he sees Kentuckians making, what the state government is doing to try to increase health care capacity and a “bad system” of bidding for supplies.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12802  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/7/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:05

New York remains the epicenter of the U.S. coronavirus outbreak. Medical teams there are facing a surge of seriously ill patients, and doing so while concerned about their own level of protection from the disease. William Brangham talks to Adam Blieden and Pearse Matthews, EMTs in the state’s Rockland County, about the “terrifying” ordeal of knowing that many patients they pick up won’t survive.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12802  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/7/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS

Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:11

According to early data about the scope of the coronavirus pandemic in the U.S., COVID-19 is hitting Americans of color especially hard. The CDC has not published racial breakdowns of deaths, but some states are -- and they show that patients dying of the disease are disproportionately black. That trend is evident in Chicago, whose mayor, Lori Lightfoot, joins Yamiche Alcindor to discuss.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12803  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/8/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:11

The human cost of the novel coronavirus pandemic is still rising worldwide, but infections may be leveling off in Italy, Spain and New York, which lost nearly 800 people to the disease Tuesday. U.S. officials at both the state and federal levels are urging people to remain vigilant about social distancing even as its adoption appears to be flattening the curve of new cases. John Yang reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12803  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/8/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:37

New York state has roughly 150,000 confirmed cases of COVID-19. That's more than any country in the world other than the United States. Health care workers in New York are feeling the pressure of the pandemic -- as well as concerns for their own wellbeing. Amna Nawaz speaks with Dr. Dara Kass, an emergency medicine physician who has herself tested positive for, and recovered from, COVID-19.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12803  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/8/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:55

In order to protect themselves and their communities from the novel coronavirus outbreak, Americans across the country are staying home. But what happens to those who don't have one? Stephanie Sy reports on how people experiencing homelessness are uniquely vulnerable and what's being done in some states to help them through the pandemic.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12804  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/9/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:22

California was among the first U.S. states to report cases of the novel coronavirus. Despite aggressive efforts to contain the spread, it now has around 17,000 confirmed cases and 450 coronavirus-related deaths. Governor Gavin Newsom joins Judy Woodruff to discuss why his state acted on COVID-19 early, its current levels of critical medical supplies and when stay-at-home orders might be lifted.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12807  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/14/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:10

More than 3,600 COVID-19 deaths in the U.S. are believed to be linked to nursing homes and assisted living centers. The number is only an estimate -- likely an undercount -- because the federal government has not released details of what is happening in these facilities. Amna Nawaz hears personal stories of people affected by the phenomenon and talks to Harvard Medical School's David Grabowski.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12807  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/14/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:40

President Trump announced at the daily White House Coronavirus Task Force briefing on Tuesday that the U.S. will halt funding of the World Health Organization during the coronavirus pandemic. Trump contends that the group mismanaged the health crisis

and wasted precious time -- some of the same criticisms that have been leveled at him. Yamiche Alcindor joins Judy Woodruff to discuss.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12808  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/15/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:38

Florida is among the U.S. states seeing cases of COVID-19 grow significantly. Its surgeon general now says residents will likely need to wear masks in public for up to a year. But for health care workers, protective equipment measures are much more extreme. William Brangham talks to Joseph Falise, a nurse with the University of Miami Health System, about the physical and mental strain involved.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12808  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/15/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:20

South Korea has transformed from a COVID-19 hot zone to a leader in the global fight against the virus. Companies there are now making millions of test kits for export, and the public is voting in a parliamentary election despite the disease. Special correspondent Bruce Harrison reports from Seoul on how South Koreans have worked together to make progress -- and aim to prevent a virus resurgence.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company 2208  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/16/2020 12 AM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

WHO adviser Jamie Metzl analyzes President Trump's widely criticized decision to halt funding for the organization. Eminent historian Margaret MacMillan explains what history can teach us about the COVID-19 pandemic. DNC chair Tom Perez discusses how the pandemic will shape November's election. Washington's Lieutenant Governor Cyrus Habib explains how his state has been coping with the crisis.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12809

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/16/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:07

One of the most important pieces of safety gear for health care workers amid the COVID-19 pandemic is the N95 mask, designed to filter out 95 percent of airborne particles. But the surge of patients with the highly contagious disease has meant way more demand than supply. Now, scientists are exploring whether it's possible to decontaminate and reuse the essential coverings. John Yang reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12810  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/17/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:12:55

Vice President Mike Pence was chosen by President Trump to lead his Coronavirus Task Force. This week, the administration offered governors a plan for how to begin lifting restrictions implemented due to the pandemic. Judy Woodruff talks to Pence about persistently inadequate COVID-19 testing and his message to front-line health care workers forced to share and reuse their protective gear.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12810  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/17/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:15

Tens of thousands of Americans have already lost their lives due to the novel coronavirus pandemic. They include teachers, health care workers, musicians, public servants and many more who have left a permanent mark on their communities. The death toll from the disease is too high for us to recognize every one of them, but we'll continue to share their stories as we grieve their absence.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12812  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/21/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:37

Although the novel coronavirus is known for causing respiratory symptoms, there are new questions about its impact on other parts of the body. COVID-19 may be linked in some patients with increases in inflammation of the heart as well as injury to other organs and tissues. William Brangham talks to Yale University's Dr. Alan Kliger about one of the concerning trends: serious kidney damage.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12813  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/22/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:20

COVID-19 was infecting Americans weeks earlier than was officially recorded, according to new California data showing that two deaths in mid-February were associated with the disease. Meanwhile, federal vaccine expert Dr. Rick Bright says he was forced out of his Department of Health and Human Services job because he wouldn't promote unproven treatments for COVID-19. Lisa Desjardins reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12813  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/22/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:27

The United Nations World Food Program warned this week that as a result of the novel coronavirus pandemic, the number of people facing food crisis could double -- to 260 million worldwide. David Beasley, the organization's executive director, joins Judy Woodruff to discuss how the developing world, already suffering due to climate change and conflict, is faring amid this new disaster of COVID-19.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12813  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/22/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:31

The COVID-19 pandemic is challenging Americans physically, financially and emotionally. With the dramatic and abrupt life changes the outbreak has caused, what can we do to prioritize our mental health? Dr. Sue Varma, clinical assistant professor of

psychiatry at New York University, joins Amna Nawaz to answer viewer questions about sleep, anxiety, talking to kids and more, for our series Ask Us.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12815  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/24/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:07

The White House spent part of Friday addressing concerns about President Trump's apparent conflict with his medical advisors at Thursday's Coronavirus Task Force briefing. Yamiche Alcindor reports, and Amna Nawaz talks to Dr. Michael Osterholm of the University of Minnesota's Center for Infectious Disease Research and Policy about Trump's tendency to make claims on a "non-scientific basis."

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12815  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/24/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:13

COVID-19 is ripping through the Navajo Nation, infecting and killing people at rates that are above U.S. averages. Located across three states, the Navajo population is already vulnerable, with a high prevalence of underlying disease, a lack of infrastructure and limited access to care and supplies. Stephanie Sy reports on how the Navajo community has taken on the challenge of caring for its own.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe 2908  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 4/26/2020 6:30 AM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:17

Our Women Thought Leaders Series continues with Sen. Kirsten Gillibrand (D-NY). We speak about the coronavirus crisis and its impact on women, working families, and the economy. She tells us what the Congress and what Gov. Andrew Cuomo have done to help people, and why she thinks President Trump's handling of the issue has been very poor.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12816

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/27/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:50

Cases of COVID-19 have been rising in some rural parts of the U.S. -- many of which were already squeezed for medical care before the pandemic. With fewer resources available in these places, a spike in patients requiring hospitalization and intensive care can be especially dangerous. William Brangham talks to Dr. Shanti Akers, a pulmonologist at the Phoebe Putney Health System in Albany, Georgia.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12818  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/29/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:52

President Trump has signed an executive order to keep meat processing plants open, but a number of the facilities are currently closed due to outbreaks of COVID-19. What does the pandemic's disruption mean for U.S. agriculture -- and the health of its workers? Special correspondent Fred de Sam Lazaro reports, and William Brangham talks to Amy Mayer of Iowa Public Radio for analysis.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12818  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/29/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:35

The social distancing many Americans are practicing to slow the spread of COVID-19 is driving widespread feelings of loneliness and isolation. Into this unfamiliar experience comes a new book about relationships and community: "Together," by former U.S. Surgeon General Vivek Murthy. Murthy joins John Yang to discuss why he believes we can emerge from the pandemic more connected than ever.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: Polio Crusade: American Experience; The 2102  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/30/2020 7 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

American Experience presents "The Polio Crusade," a one-hour documentary from filmmaker Sarah Colt ("Geronimo," "RFK") that interweaves the personal accounts of polio survivors with the story of an ardent crusader who tirelessly fought on their behalf while scientists raced to eradicate this dreaded disease.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12819  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/30/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:11:49

The World Health Organization held a rare emergency meeting Thursday to discuss the ongoing global health crisis -- and an escalating diplomatic battle with the U.S., its largest funder. President Trump has frozen contributions to WHO, blaming it for echoing China in its early response to COVID-19. Nick Schifrin talks to Duke University's Dr. Michael Merson and Stanford University's Lanhee Chen.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12820  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:29

Tensions continue to rise between the Trump administration and China over the handling of the novel coronavirus pandemic. The U.S. has blamed China for not containing the virus quickly; China has fired back against the criticism, saying the U.S. didn't listen to early warnings. Nick Schifrin joins Judy Woodruff to discuss why U.S. officials anticipate a continued "pressure campaign" toward China.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12820  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:16

More than a dozen states relaxed their stay-at-home orders Friday, but some southern states began lifting restrictions earlier, allowing beauty salons, restaurants and other businesses to reopen at their discretion. The iconic Waffle House chain resumed limited

dine-in service this week at 400 locations across Georgia and Tennessee. Company CEO Walt Ehmer joins Amna Nawaz to discuss the move.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12820  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:55

Across the country, essential workers are maintaining goods and services, despite the risks posed by the pandemic. Grocery store employees, bus drivers and sanitation workers are in close contact with the public, and many say they don't have what they need to stay safe. As some workers walk out to demand better conditions, others remain on the job -- and worry. Here are four of their stories.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12821  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/4/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:50

With COVID-19 cases in the U.S. still rising, many experts say the next phase in the pandemic response will require aggressive contact tracing. The technique has been used extensively in prior disease outbreaks elsewhere, but the U.S. currently lacks a nationwide tracing infrastructure. And while apps tracking movement and interactions could help, they raise privacy concerns. Amna Nawaz reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12821  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/4/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:48

The rhetorical war between the U.S. and China is growing more aggressive by the day. Now, the Trump White House is boosting a theory that the novel coronavirus was accidentally released from a lab in China's Wuhan, where the outbreak began. Nick Schifrin reports and talks to Antony Blinken, senior foreign policy advisor to Joe Biden, and Rebecca Heinrichs, senior fellow at the Hudson Institute.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12823

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/6/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:34

Since the coronavirus pandemic gripped the United States, Americans have been told to avoid emergency rooms and hospitals if possible. But now there are reports from across the country that suggest the warning may be in fact too effective, as some patients experiencing urgent health problems are not seeking the treatment they need. Miles O'Brien reports on the medical and economic consequences.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12824  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/7/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:21

As states and businesses around the country begin to reopen, many Americans are worried about the health risks of returning to work. Christina Banks, director of the Interdisciplinary Center for Healthy Workplaces at the University of California, Berkeley, joins Amna Nawaz to respond to viewer questions and concerns about workplace safety during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12826  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/11/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:57

The COVID-19 pandemic has killed over 80,000 people and infected more than 1.3 million in the U.S. -- including some in the White House, where several officials are isolating after possible exposure. But the movement to lift restrictions is gaining steam, even though health experts say testing is still not adequate. Yamiche Alcindor reports and joins Judy Woodruff and William Brangham to discuss.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12826  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/11/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:05:04

Across the globe, lockdowns imposed to try to slow the spread of COVID-19 are being lifted, businesses are reopening and people are returning to work. But even in countries that had successfully controlled their coronavirus outbreaks, like South Korea and Singapore, there are warnings of how quickly the virus can reassert itself when restrictions loosen and activity resumes. Nick Schifrin reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12826  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/11/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:57

For more than 60 million Americans with disabilities, the rapid spread of COVID-19 is especially dangerous. Many live in long-term care facilities, and they are twice as likely to experience poverty as those without disability. But so far, legislation has fallen short on help. We hear some of their stories, and Stephanie Sy talks to Rebecca Cokley of the Center for American Progress.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12827  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/12/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:52

New warnings from U.S. public health officials Tuesday emphasized that the national fight against COVID-19 is far from over -- and that lifting restrictions too quickly could cause unnecessary deaths. The sobering message was delivered as senior health figures, including Dr. Anthony Fauci, testified virtually before a Senate committee, and the U.S. death toll passed 82,000. Amna Nawaz reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12827  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/12/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:42

One of the easiest ways to reduce the spread of coronavirus is handwashing. But in some places, such as Flint, Michigan, that simple task can be difficult to accomplish. Some residents of the largely poor city lack clean running water due to the 2014 water

contamination crisis. John Yang talks to Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha, who helped expose that emergency, about how the pandemic is hitting the city.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12828  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/13/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:48

U.S. states and cities are setting their own pace in lifting restrictions enacted to slow the spread of the coronavirus. Officials are wrestling with the dual worries of economic devastation and a public health crisis, as virus cases continue to increase and deaths nationwide surpass 83,000. Meanwhile, President Trump is expressing dissatisfaction with Dr. Anthony Fauci. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12829  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/14/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:35

The global death toll in the coronavirus pandemic has reached 300,000, with 85,000 fatalities in the U.S. alone. The new numbers were posted as federal vaccine expert Dr. Rick Bright, in congressional testimony, levied grave criticism of the White House's crisis response. Meanwhile, nearly 3 million additional Americans filed for unemployment amid a crippled economy. Yamiche Alcindor reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: American Experience 1904  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/14/2020 7 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

She was described in the press as the "Baby of the Century." When Louise Brown, the world's first successful test tube baby, was born in Great Britain on July 25, 1978, the event was heralded as the beginning of a technological revolution in human reproduction.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12831  
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 5/18/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:46

More states are lifting restrictions put in place to help slow the spread of the novel coronavirus. Meanwhile, President Trump announced Monday he is taking hydroxychloroquine, a drug unproven as a treatment for COVID-19. The disease's national death toll is nearing 90,000, and the World Health Organization is facing global scrutiny about its initial response to the pandemic. John Yang reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12831  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/18/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:45

The World Health Organization hosted its annual summit Monday. This year, the meeting was intended to enable world leaders to coordinate their responses to the threat of the COVID-19 pandemic. But the session was dominated by ongoing tensions between the U.S. and China -- and criticism from other countries about a vacuum of global leadership. Nick Schifrin joins Judy Woodruff to discuss.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12832  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/19/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:52

Russia has announced nearly 10,000 new COVID-19 infections in just the last day, bringing its national total close to 300,000. Half of the cases are in Moscow, where health care workers say protective gear and training for how to treat the disease are lacking. Meanwhile, there are questions about why Russia's official virus deaths are relatively low. Special correspondent Julia Chapman reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12832  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/19/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:35

Nursing homes across the country are facing a desperate situation during the coronavirus pandemic. In 17 states, more than half of reported COVID-19 deaths have been at these facilities. Chronic staffing shortages, made worse by the virus, and inadequate infection control procedures exacerbate the threat amid the population that is the most vulnerable. Lisa Desjardins reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: NOVA 4705  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/19/2020 8 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

When the U.S. trade embargo left Cuba isolated from medical resources, Cuban scientists developed their own biotech industry -- and promising lung cancer vaccines. Can they now team up with U.S. partners to make the treatments available to all?

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12833  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/20/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:01

All 50 states have now taken some steps to reopen after COVID-19 shutdowns. Their approaches vary, with only minor restrictions remaining in states like Texas, while New York still has strict limitations in place. Federal guidance from the CDC was released quietly, but its recommendations aren't mandatory. Meanwhile, WHO officials warned that the pandemic isn't going away. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12833  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/20/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:01

Throughout the coronavirus pandemic, questions have been raised about why the U.S. federal government was not better prepared for such a crisis. Scrutiny of President Trump has been intense, but questions extend beyond him to the efficacy of government and civil service more broadly. William Brangham talks to the American Enterprise Institute's Yuval Levin and The Atlantic's George Packer.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: Independent Lens 2115  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 5/21/2020 8 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Meet a visionary doctor on a journey to find a cure for cancer. Nobel Prize winner Dr. Jim Allison spent decades waging a lonely but ultimately fruitful quest to discover a way the immune system can stop cancer in its tracks.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12835  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/22/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:12

The U.S. death toll from COVID-19 has climbed past 95,000 this week. As the staggering numbers reverberate, we take a moment to remember five people killed by the disease, including an opera singer, a father of six and a 25-year-old budding therapist.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12837  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/26/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:16

The pace of new U.S. fatalities from COVID-19 has been slowing as the pandemic's toll nears a milestone of 100,000 deaths. Still, restrictions are being lifted, and more economic activity is resuming. On Tuesday, the trading floor of the New York Stock Exchange was partially opened for the first time since March. But concerns remain, especially around meat-packing facilities. Stephanie Sy reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12838  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/27/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:17

Who will care for the children of working parents when they return to their jobs, if schools and many child care providers remain closed? The CARES Act allocated \$3.5 billion to support child care programs, but a national organization says many providers have yet to receive any funding. Special correspondent Cat Wise reports from Oregon, where a shortage of child care slots preceded the pandemic.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12841  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:01:46

In our news wrap Monday, U.S. health officials voiced fears that mass protests could fuel new COVID-19 infections. The warning came as deaths nationwide neared 105,000, including some 26,000 nursing home residents. Also, the artist Christo, known for his massive public art displays, has died in New York. He was 84 years old.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12848  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/10/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:55

As Americans attempt to return to pre-pandemic habits and activities, COVID-19 continues to spread. More than 20 states have seen a jump in coronavirus cases in the past couple of weeks, and hospitalizations have increased significantly in at least eight. Dr. Ashish Jha, director of the Harvard Global Health Institute, joins Judy Woodruff to discuss how states can balance the risks of reopening.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/15/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:11

In our news wrap Monday, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration withdrew emergency approval for hospitals to use hydroxychloroquine to treat COVID-19. The FDA said the malaria drug is unlikely to be effective against the coronavirus. Meanwhile, infections continue to increase across parts of the United States, with Arizona, Texas, Florida and Alabama among the states experiencing a surge in cases.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12855  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/19/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:18

As several states experience surges in COVID-19 cases and hospitalizations, the debate over wearing face masks is creating a sharp divide. Nearly everyone in the public health community says masks worn in crowded places can help slow coronavirus spread -- but for some Americans, they are perceived as an affront. William Brangham reports and talks to Dr. Ranit Mishori of Georgetown University.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12856  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/22/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:10:07

The World Health Organization says Sunday marked the largest global daily surge in new coronavirus cases since the pandemic began: 183,000. In the U.S., daily fatalities from the disease have dropped since the initial peak this spring, but more than 600 people are still dying each day. Amna Nawaz reports and talks to Stephen Morrison of the Center for Strategic and International Studies.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12857  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/23/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:03:50

Dr. Anthony Fauci, director of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, testified before Congress Tuesday, referring to the spread of COVID-19 in a dozen U.S. states as "a disturbing surge." Fauci and other top health experts reiterated the need for more testing, even as President Trump claimed that "testing is a double-edged sword" in the pandemic fight. Lisa Desjardins reports.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12859  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/25/2020 10 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:50

The surge of new coronavirus infections is spreading wider and faster across the country, with 29 states reporting notable increases in cases. The head of the CDC also said it's believed that at least 23 million Americans have been infected, which is 10 times higher than the number of confirmed cases. Amna Nawaz talks to Dr. Ashish Jha about how state officials can get control of their outbreaks.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12860  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/26/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:45

The fate of the Affordable Care Act, often referred to as Obamacare, is on the line again. The Trump administration has filed a brief with the Supreme Court arguing the law, through which 23 million Americans get health insurance, is unconstitutional. Judy Woodruff talks to Andy Slavitt, former acting administrator of the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services, about the law's sweeping reach.

Category: Health/Health Care  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12862  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/30/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:19

In the U.S., some states that reopened their economies early are now reversing course as the virus surges back, sickening thousands and filling hospitals to capacity. Arizona's governor has ordered gyms, bars and other businesses to close again after reopening them in the middle of May. William Brangham talks to Will Humble, executive director of the Arizona Public Health Association.

### **Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Concerns**

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12824  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/7/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:07:37

Public outcry is mounting over the killing of an unarmed African American man in Georgia over two months ago. Recently released video shows 25-year-old Ahmaud Arbery jogging in late February when he was shot to death by two white men, who said they thought he looked like a burglary suspect. Marcus Arbery, the father of the victim, and his attorney, Benjamin Crump, join Yamiche Alcindor to discuss.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12827  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/12/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:45

In U.S. cases of COVID-19 where race was identified, nearly 30 percent of patients were black -- even though African Americans make up only about 13 percent of the general population. The share of cases among Latinos is also disproportionately large. What is behind these significant racial disparities, and how are they affecting communities suffering the pandemic's toll? Yamiche Alcindor reports.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12837  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/26/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:27

An African American man in Minneapolis died Monday night after a police officer knelt on his neck while apprehending him. Echoing the 2014 Eric Garner case, George Floyd told the officer, "I can't breathe." The incident, captured on video, prompted outrage in the Twin Cities and beyond -- and led to the dismissal of four police officers involved. Amna Nawaz talks to St. Paul Mayor Melvin Carter.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12839  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/28/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:09:55

Communities in Minneapolis are reeling from the death of George Floyd, the bitter dynamic many residents feel with law enforcement and how protests have changed over the past day. Minnesota's governor called in the National Guard Thursday to help

quell demonstrations that left one person dead. Yamiche Alcindor reports, and Amna Nawaz talks to Tyrone Terrill, a Minneapolis community leader.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12840  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/29/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:43

In the days since the death of George Floyd in Minneapolis police custody, there have been peaceful protests, violent clashes and persistent calls for justice. But there is a long history behind this particular shocking event. Professor Eddie S. Glaude Jr. is chair of the department of African American Studies at Princeton University, and he joins Amna Nawaz to discuss the broader context.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Concerns  
Series Title: Finding Your Roots 409  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/29/2020 7 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Other  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Three guests of disparate Southern backgrounds, DJ and producer Questlove, talk show host Dr. Phil and journalist Charlayne Hunter-Gault, find astonishing tales of bondage in their family histories.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12841  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:31

Cities across the U.S. are bracing for unrest as protests continue. Outrage over police killings of black victims, most recently that of George Floyd at the hands of Minneapolis police on Memorial Day, has fueled demonstrations, and in some cases, destruction. In response, President Trump called for stricter policing, telling governors they must "dominate" protesters. Yamiche Alcindor reports.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12841  
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 6/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:54

Demonstrations that began in Minneapolis after the death of George Floyd in police custody on Memorial Day have spread to dozens of cities across the U.S. over the weekend, and thousands of protesters have been arrested. Amna Nawaz talks to special correspondent Fred de Sam Lazaro, Rickey Bevington of Georgia Public Broadcasting in Atlanta and Cerise Castle of KCRW public radio in Los Angeles.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12841  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:21

Peaceful protests around the U.S. continue Monday night, but there will likely also be charged confrontations and more looting and destruction. How can law enforcement defuse these fraught situations and minimize violence while acknowledging protesters' voices? Judy Woodruff talks to Sheriff Christopher Swanson of Genesee County, Michigan, and Michael Nutter, former mayor of Philadelphia.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12841  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:11:33

For analysis of the deeper systemic issues that are underlying the country's civic unrest, Judy Woodruff talks to Roxane Gay, a noted essayist and author whose work frequently addresses issues of race, identity and privilege; Anna Deavere Smith, award-winning playwright and actor; and Tay Anderson, a Denver school board member and activist who has been leading protests in that city.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12841  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/1/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:32

The problems with criminal justice in Minnesota's Twin Cities extend beyond the George Floyd case. Of the 100 largest metro areas in the country, Minneapolis' income gap between black and white families is the second largest, at nearly \$50,000, and the city has a long history of discriminatory housing practices. Special correspondent Fred de Sam Lazaro reports on the context behind this crisis.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12844  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/4/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:20

Formal mourning began Thursday for George Floyd, the Minneapolis man whose death has touched off a torrent of national outrage. While overnight protests were largely peaceful, President Trump is now facing a torrent of criticism over his talk of using the military to quell unrest. John Yang reports.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: Race Matters: America in Crisis: A PBS NewsHour Special  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/5/2020 9 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Across the United States, frustration and outrage are pouring out onto the streets over police brutality and the death of George Floyd, as well as deep, systemic racial disparities in education, the criminal justice system, the economy and health care, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12850  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/12/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:02

More than 150 years after the Civil War, monuments, schools and roads across the country still bear the names of Confederate leaders. But amidst recent protests demanding racial equality, there is a renewed push to take down the monuments and rename other landmarks. Lisa Desjardins reports on how the death of George Floyd has prompted louder calls to remove public symbols of the Confederacy.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12850  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/12/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:07:33

NASCAR's decision to ban the Confederate flag represents a major shift for a sport at whose races they have been ubiquitous. Successfully pushing for the ban this week was Bubba Wallace, a driver in NASCAR's top series. He joins Amna Nawaz to discuss how his sport is showing leadership, why he sees the demographics of NASCAR fans changing and his own experience with the Confederate flag.

Category: Minorities/Civil Rights/Women's Rights  
Series Title: Coffee Near Me 104: Civil Rights  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 6/15/2020 7 PM  
Service: WKU PBS  
Format: Documentary

A conversation with Charles Neblett, Michael Morrow, and Paulette Smith regarding race relations in this country.

### **National, State, and Local Politics/Government**

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12802  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/7/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:45

The coronavirus pandemic has delayed many presidential primaries, but Wisconsin is going forward with its own on Tuesday. It's the first state to hold a major election with in-person voting amid a stay-at-home order -- and much legal jostling preceded the decision. Amna Nawaz talks to the state's lieutenant governor, Mandela Barnes, and Ronna McDaniel, chair of the Republican National Committee.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12803  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/8/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)

Segment Length: 00:10:02

Vermont Sen. Bernie Sanders suspended his campaign for the 2020 Democratic presidential nomination on Wednesday after enduring a series of disappointing results in state primary elections. But many of the positions on which Sanders campaigned still resonate with the liberal wing of the party. Lisa Desjardins reports, and Sen. Sherrod Brown, D-Ohio, joins Judy Woodruff to discuss.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12806  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/13/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:02:47

President Trump held a press briefing with the Coronavirus Task Force Monday evening at which he rejected news reports criticizing his administration's response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Trump showed an unusual "campaign style" video during the session, also denying rumors that he is dissatisfied with Dr. Anthony Fauci and would consider firing him. Yamiche Alcindor joins Judy Woodruff to discuss.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12807  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/14/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:04:50

In our news wrap Tuesday, former President Barack Obama ended months of neutrality and endorsed his vice president, Joe Biden, for the Democratic presidential nomination. Obama said Biden has the character and experience to guide the nation through one of its darkest times. Also, the U.S. Senate appears to be at a stalemate over adding another \$250 billion to aid small business amid the pandemic.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company 2215  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/25/2020 12 AM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Authors David Rohde and Anne Applebaum discuss threats to democracy in the time of COVID-19. Nicole Newnham and James Lebrecht discuss their new Netflix documentary "Crip Camp." Pioneering mathematician and geneticist Eric Lander

explains how he transformed the renowned MIT and Harvard Biomedical Research Lab into a mass testing facility.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12828  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/13/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:41

Can states punish presidential electors for bucking a pledge to vote for their state's winner? That was the question at the heart of Wednesday's Supreme Court arguments, held once again by phone. Some states sought to invalidate the votes of these so-called "faithless electors" after the 2016 election. The electors sued, and the case has major implications for the next election. John Yang reports.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12831  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/18/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:06:42

President Trump has fired three inspectors general recently, including State Department watchdog Steve Linick on Friday. Two Democratic lawmakers say Linick was investigating a Saudi arms deal the White House fast-tracked. Yamiche Alcindor talks to Joel Brenner, a former national security inspector general and director of national intelligence, about how politicizing the IG role is "all wrong."

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12839  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/28/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:54

China's National People's Congress has created a legislative process to criminalize certain behavior in Hong Kong. Pro-democracy advocates in Hong Kong, as well as the Trump administration, have criticized the move, arguing it erodes the city's freedoms and goes against Beijing's prior promises to respect its autonomy. Nick Schifrin reports on the reaction from Hong Kong and Washington, D.C.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12843

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/3/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:40

Elections were held in several states on Tuesday, even as the pandemic and major protests consumed the country. In Ferguson, Missouri, where protests first erupted in 2014 after the shooting death of Michael Brown by a white police officer, an African American woman was elected as the city's next mayor. For more results and analysis, Judy Woodruff talks to Amy Walter of the Cook Political Report.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12848  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/10/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:49

New voting machines, trouble with absentee ballots and a pandemic combined to create chaos in Georgia's Tuesday primary. After some voters waited in line more than five hours to cast their ballots, Georgia's secretary of state called the problems "unacceptable" -- but blamed local election officials. Yamiche Alcindor reports and talks to Emory University's Andra Gillespie about what went wrong.

Category: National, State, an Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12854  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/18/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:11:38

Fallout continues from the forthcoming book by John Bolton, a former national security adviser to President Trump. Bolton portrays Trump as corrupt, self-interested and in thrall to authoritarian figures like Russian President Vladimir Putin and Chinese President Xi Jinping. Yamiche Alcindor reports and Nick Schifrin gets reaction from two former ambassadors, Gérard Araud and John Negroponte.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12861  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 6/29/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:08:21

Former U.S. military and intelligence officials say Russia has been offering Taliban fighters money to target U.S. troops. But the White House denies that President Trump was briefed on this alleged intelligence. Nick Schifrin reports, and Judy Woodruff talks to Rep. Adam Schiff, D-Calif., chair of the House Intelligence Committee, about potential implications for U.S. policy toward Russia.

Category: National, State, and Local Politics/Government  
Series Title: Amanpour and Company 2262  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 7/1/2020 12 AM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Scott Jennings and Alec MacGillis analyze Senator Mitch McConnell's political journey and imprint on the United States. "Shawshank Redemption" actor Tim Robbins tells Christiane about his career and most recent play "The New Colossus." Four-time Grammy Award-winning musician Esperanza Spalding tells Walter Isaacson about her newest solo album "12 Little Spells."

### **Youth and Child Concerns**

Category: Youth and Child Concerns  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12808  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 4/15/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:02:09

Schools across the U.S. have now been shuttered for weeks, forcing kids to stay home and parents to help orchestrate their online learning. But the adjustments to remote study and social isolation aren't easy for young people. NewsHour's Student Reporting Labs, our journalism training program for high school students, shares some of the ways teenagers are coping in the age of social distancing.

Category: Youth and Child Concerns  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour 12830  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 5/15/2020 10 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News (live news only)  
Segment Length: 00:05:47

While only a small percentage of children infected with the novel coronavirus become seriously ill, researchers are now learning about a potentially dangerous syndrome in young people apparently caused by the virus. In more than 100 cases in New York and 60 in Europe, doctors have seen an inflammatory response similar to Kawasaki disease. William Brangham talks to pediatrician Dr. Jane Newburger.