

Protecting Oregon's Food Supply and Essential Agricultural Workers



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Background

- Mitigating COVID-19 has required that the industry implement social distancing and increased sanitation to reduce transition.
- In Oregon there is a high rate of COVID-19 among the Latinx community (20.9 cases per 10,000 residents) relative to non-hispanics (5.8 cases)
- Inequitable distribution of resources among communities exacerbated by COVID-19 pandemic.

Agriculture PPE Distribution



Salem Reporter



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COVID-19 Food Security & Farmworker Package

1 | Housing Access \$10M *\$3.5M

- On-farm Options
 - Modular Units
 - Tent Options
- Hotel/motel vouchers

*\$3.5 million in Safe Sheltering funds are also available to migrant farmworkers

2 | Field Sanitation \$6M

- Handwashing stations
- Portable restrooms
- Social distancing transportation

3 | Mitigation of COVID-19 \$14M

- Masks and sanitizer
- Isolation and quarantine access
- Quarantine Fund
- Communications and outreach

Key Dates

Housing

Producers can begin applying for funds starting June 10, 2020.

Producers can request reimbursement of costs associated with housing incurred on or after May 11, 2020.

Sanitation & Transportation

Applications will be made available starting June 10, 2020.

Producers can request reimbursement of costs associated with field sanitation & transportation incurred on or after June 1, 2020.

Outreach

Community partners invited to OHA-CPOP webinar June 4.

Funds to be disbursed by June 29, 2020.

Quarantine Fund

Launching soon! June 2020

Website & Customer Service

ODA website: <https://oda.direct/fsfs>

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Questions