



Resources for Distance Education

- [OLC's Continuity Planning and Emergency Preparedness Resources.](#)
- QM's Emergency Remote Instruction Checklist for [Higher Education](#)
- [Interim Guidance for Higher Education from the CDC](#)
- A file of [online chemistry & biochemistry animations, videos, simulations & demos \(with active links\)](#)
- [Students' Readiness to Adopt Fully Online Learning](#)
- [Comcast offering 'Internet Essentials' package free for low-income customers for 60 days](#)
- [Keeping Students Engaged in a Transition to Online Learning](#)
- [Daniel Stanford's Crowd-Sourced List of Institutional Continuity Plans, Guidelines, and Resources](#)
- [Videoconferencing Alternatives: How Low-Bandwidth Teaching Will Save Us All](#)
- [Tips for teaching online in a pinch](#)
- [So You Want to Temporarily Teach Online](#)
- [Links to free or easily available tools for instructional continuity \(if your institution has virtually no centralized ed tech resources\)-](#)

Webinar Recordings:

- [Making the Shift to Online Learning: Emergency Preparedness & Instructional Continuity](#)
- [Using Live, Online Sessions to Support Continuity of Instruction](#)
- Discrimination, Accommodation, & Diversity; Disability Discrimination; Technology Accessibility: [OCR Short Webinar on Online Education and Website Accessibility \(March 13, 2020\)](#)

Webinar from the U.S. Department of Education Office for Civil Rights (OCR) on online education and website accessibility. The webinar discusses the legal framework of accessibility for online educational programs and OCR's resources for educators new to online learning. It also gives examples of assistive technology that helps individuals with disabilities access information online and suggests that institutions engage in routine checking of their websites to ensure that they are compatible with assistive technologies.

Government/Legal Resources:

- U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs: [Important Update: VA preparing guidance for schools that change training modality due to COVID-19](#) (Updated 3/18/20)
- U.S. Department of Education: [Information for Accrediting Agencies Regarding Temporary Flexibilities Provided to Coronavirus Impacted Institutions or Accrediting Agencies](#)
- Guidance on GI Bill Benefits from the Veterans Administration - [Questions & Answers](#) and [Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [Breaking news: U.S. Department of Education Guidance for interruptions of study related to COVID-19 \(Coronavirus\)](#)
- [Managing COVID-19 Disruption: Title IV Processing](#) - CooleyED