On Friday, May 1, 2020, Kevin McGinnis, Texas A&M University's Chief Risk, Ethics, and Compliance Officer, made the following announcement:

UPDATE TO CAMPS AND PROGRAMS FOR MINORS GUIDANCE ISSUED APRIL 03, 2020

The following measures regarding Texas A&M University camps and programs for minors are effective immediately, May 1, 2020:

- Any face to face/in person programs are cancelled through July 31st, 2020
- Individual colleges/departments are encouraged to explore online alternatives. If programs move to an online platform, please contact University Youth Programs for adjusted risk and compliance information including adjusted requirements to the yearly compliance checklist.

If the COVID 19 situation improves dramatically nationwide, evaluation of any remaining August camps that have not cancelled will be determined by June 15th. We continue to monitor the national situation and make informed decisions with the utmost consideration for the impact on individuals and the community. Thank you for your attention and continued flexibility as we navigate this unprecedented season together.

Note: Events specific to adult educational or training opportunities will follow the current COVID-19 protocols for TAMU which can be found at www.tamu.edu.

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Due to this updated guidance, University Youth Programs has added a section to the CPM website to assist programs that choose to host a virtual program. To ensure you are informed of requirements and recommendations for virtual programs, visit https://cpm.tamu.edu/going-online-with-youth/ and reach out to University Youth Programs at uyp@tamu.edu.