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Hello, Sparkers!

I hope all is well amid everything going on. I'm just reaching out to share some resources that my classmates and I have been working on.

[COVID-19 Community Resources:](#)
[Palo Alto, Sunnyvale, Mountain View, Central San Jose](#)

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[East Palo Alto, Menlo Park, Redwood City](#)

(Attached above ^) We have been working on vetting hundreds of resources and I created a one-pager, bilingual resource guide for families in our surrounding areas. I wanted to make it simple, clean and easily accessible to anyone. These resources are open to the general public so anyone can hopefully find them helpful.

My goal in the next few days is to make one for the San Jose Area and then build a comprehensive website with a lot more resources.

At the moment I created this first webpage draft under the Stanford School of Medicine Pediatric Advocacy Department. This is the department that I am doing my community health scholarly concentration under.

Link to webpage *Work in process* -----> <https://med.stanford.edu/pedsadvocacy/news/covid-19-response-pag.html>

I'm very limited to the interface of the webpage because the site builder is not very user friendly and it has many restrictions for creativity. I'm hoping to pair up with a medical student with a CS background to create something fancier.

Here is also a list of places in the Bay Area that are offering coronavirus test --> <https://www.sfchronicle.com/health/article/Where-can-I-get-a-coronavirus-test-in-the-Bay-15136054.php>

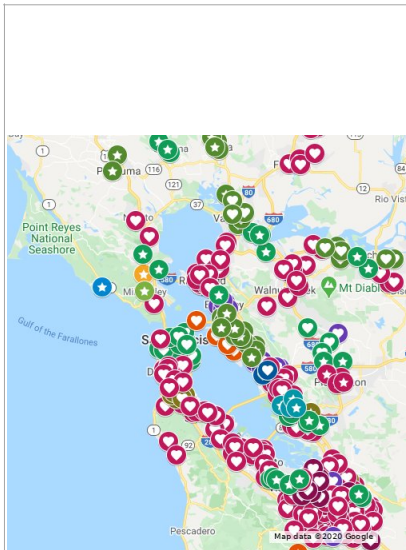
I highly recommend you try Verily. They are conducting free testing for those that don't need immediate medical attention.

----> https://www.projectbaseline.com/study/covid-19/?utm_source=googleinternal&utm_medium=covid-19&utm_campaign=mv_email

Lastly, as COVID-19 has made its way across the Bay Area, many local schools have shut down to help prevent further spread of the virus. But these closures have created an accessibility challenge for many families that rely on the free meals that these schools continue to provide. The closures have left many of them wondering where, when and what meals are being served.

Now, a group of Stanford students who enrolled in the spring course Data Challenge Lab are using their data-science training to help. In partnership with local school districts, nonprofit organizations and newsrooms, the students have created and are distributing a digital map with detailed information about the many sites around the region where local schoolchildren can access free meals during the closures. ----

> <https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/viewer?mid=1xfWfgbjULao-rIKJFfWT07hR-StV4Zx9&ll=37.76476066961936%2C-122.32460748709411&z=10>



[Bay Area School Meal Pick ups - Google My Maps](#)

Compilation of Bay Area school meal pick-ups during the COVID-19 shelter-in-place period. Disclaimer: We do not provide meals for students, nor are we affiliated with any of the meal providers in this document. Due to the rapid spread of COVID-19, school districts are frequently changing the meal pickup/delivery information. Please make sure to contact the pickup site or the school district directly for the latest update. Source document here: <https://tinyurl.com/bayarea-school-meals>
www.google.com

I hope you find these useful 😊

Take care,
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