



Dear KIF1A Community,

We know that it is a challenging time in the world, and as the COVID-19 pandemic evolves, we hope that you and your families are safe. We understand that the situation probably also raises questions on our programs and the future of our research.

Ionis is part of the critical infrastructure sectors under the stay at home order that was issued by the Governor of California on March 19, 2020 and we are maintaining mission-critical activities.

What this means is that our work continues. We are focused on advancing our programs, and that includes our KIF1A research program. We have a task force in place that is meeting frequently to assess each program individually and we are establishing mitigation plans to minimize any impact to our programs.

Ionis is carefully monitoring the situation and focused on the issues that are critical to patients and incorporate them into our internal decision making process. Our priority is to keep the program on track and maintain our open and transparent relationship with you. Our plan is to keep you informed of our progress through community statements, such as this.

At Ionis, we know that the patient community depends on us and we are committed to continue our work on behalf of the patients we serve in the face of this global pandemic. We thank you for your patience and understanding.

We are in this together and we will get through this together.

With

hope

The Ionis Team