



COVID-19 [REDACTED] - [REDACTED]

People

Type:	Course
Location:	Web-based
Duration:	2 Weeks
Programme Area:	Decentralize Cooperation Programme
Website:	https://unitar.org/sustainable-development-goals/people/our-portfolio/road-safe...
Price:	\$0.00
Event Focal Point Email:	roadsafety@unitar.org
Partnership:	Special Traffic Options Program for Driving While Impaired (STOP DWI) of the State of New York, Erie County, Intoximeters Inc., Diageo

BACKGROUND

[REDACTED] (COVID-19) [REDACTED]

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Everyone around the world is experiencing unprecedented challenges from the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic with profound health and socio-economic impacts. As of April 2020, over 2 million cases of the virus have been recorded worldwide, and the death toll so far is at least 200,000.

As countries work to contain and the spread of COVID-19, every sector is faced with the need to renew its toolbox. Every country will have to explore and expand in creative ways all possibilities to respond - with the prime objective of protecting the health and well-being of every citizen, leaving no one behind.

EVENT OBJECTIVES

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Explain the importance of proper use and maintenance of breath alcohol testing instruments.
- Describe the steps for cleaning and disinfecting breath alcohol testing instruments.

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At the end of the course, participants will be able to:

- Recognize measures to minimize the possibility that a subject can contract a disease in the process of providing a breath sample to a breath alcohol testing instrument
- Apply good practices and precautions to reduce the likelihood that the operator or other handler of the instrument is exposed to an infectious disease from the subject directly, the mouthpiece, or from the instrument

CONTENT AND STRUCTURE

The course is divided into 5 sections:

1. Steps to reduce transmission during a breath alcohol test
2. The difference between cleaning and disinfecting
3. The risk of breath alcohol instrument contamination
4. User's role
5. COVID-19: Good practices and precautions

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