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| [ANSI Launches COVID-19 Resource Webpage Highlighting Standardization Community Response Efforts](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=8b2544f9-12f1-4c24-9d2e-62e479e7805f&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20March-30-2020-whatsnew_BG)As part of its committed effort to keep the public informed about important information related to COVID-19 – and to highlight activities of the U.S. standardization community in the fight against the pandemic – ANSI has launched the ANSI COVID-19 Resource Webpage, available at [ansi.org/COVID-19](http://www.ansi.org/COVID-19).[AAMI and ASTM Open Access to Standards to Support COVID-19 Response](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=18b8d9ec-151f-462c-a2c8-d19323dcc449&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20March-30-2020-whatsnew_BG)In this issue: AAMI and ASTM international provide access to standards and documents used in health care settings and in the production and testing of personal protective equipment.[ANSI Federation Members Announce COVID-19 Websites, Resources, and Updates](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=8a6bc025-1f85-4368-88e0-afdd6da5ee88&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20March-30-2020-whatsnew_BG)In this issue, news from the Health Industry Business Communications Council, the National Association of Manufacturers, the Consumer Technology Association, IAPMO, and the National Fire Protection Association.[ANSI Announces Updated Precautionary Measures Regarding COVID-19](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=2762e0d9-d6c7-46db-aade-1128be71e3f2&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20March-30-2020-whatsnew_BG)In view of the significant health risks posed by COVID-19, ANSI, ANAB, and Workcred offices remain closed until further notice. All operations continue to fully function, with staff working remotely.[Reminder to Submit Feedback by April 7: NIST Guidance on Federal Agency Conformity Assessment Activities](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=e375af1e-f376-492a-8e74-e72fc5f7f187&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20March-30-2020-whatsnew_BG)ANSI reminds its members to submit comments on proposed revisions to regulations updating policy guidance on Federal agency use of conformity assessment. The National Institute of Standards and Technology, which published the new guidance, requests comments by **April 7, 2020**.[National Strategy to Secure 5G Promotes U.S. Leadership in International Standards Development and Adoption](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=146d74b4-701c-4157-842b-78273ed091ab&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20March-30-2020-whatsnew_BG)The Trump administration has released the **National Strategy to Secure 5G**, which sets forth how the U.S. government will lead the U.S. development, deployment, and management of secure and reliable 5G communications infrastructure worldwide.[Young and Emerging Professionals: Register for April 2020 Webinar on Introduction to the USNC and IEC](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=713fb594-797c-49c8-bc0f-8881b98af4f8&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20March-30-2020-whatsnew_BG)The U.S. National Committee (USNC) Young and Emerging Professionals committee will host a free webinar, Opportunities for *Young and Emerging Professionals in Standards: An Introduction to the USNC and IEC*, **on April 9, 2020** from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.[ANSI Welcomes New Members in March 2020](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=09f82647-372f-4609-b7e9-6a3e7ed5ef53&utm_campaign=OO_EML_%20March-30-2020-whatsnew_BG)ANSI proudly welcomes 11 new members in March 2020.[*Did You Know?*](https://www.ansi.org/news_publications/news_story?menuid=7&articleid=8a2db3ee-6840-4d41-967e-6637ae07f765)*Did You Know?* offers a quick look at the broad scope of activities underway within the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) Federation of members and partners, highlighting recent accomplishments and new resources related to standardization. In this issue:* **NIST** Engineer's Story Brings to Life the Importance of Standards Development
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