

UPDATED Will BPHC conduct scheduled Operational Site Visits (OSVs) or other site visits as scheduled? —

Given the importance of health centers in the local, state, and national response efforts, as well as CDC guidance, BPHC will postpone most site visits planned through at least September 30, 2020. This decision is made in consideration of the potential impact to health center operations during the COVID-19 outbreak, BPHC staff and consultants, as well as the need for staff to be available for immediate mission critical assignments. OSVs and other site visits are an important part of the Health Center Program monitoring and oversight process; therefore, BPHC will reschedule the postponed OSVs and all other site visits as soon as is practical.

While the majority of BPHC's OSVs scheduled through September 30 are postponed, there are health centers with extenuating circumstances (e.g., 1-year project periods, other emergent issues) that may require an OSV or other technical assistance or assessment visit prior to September 30. In these cases, BPHC will contact the health center to schedule a visit.

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