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<p>Thursday, March 12, 2020</p>	<p>Against my parent's wishes and my better judgment, I left San Jose to fly to Garden Grove for the weekend. I planned this trip eight months in advance and had been looking forward to it. My plan was to spend the weekend with my cousins, some of which lived there and some that I flew down with and attend a concert. During this time, the Bay Area, specifically Santa Clara County, reported the number of cases of COVID-19 to be rapidly increasing. The news and media outlets began to shift from reporting the virus was just the mild flu to something much more serious. With so many conflicting statements reported, I did not know what to believe.</p> <p>Today, Governor Gavin Newsom put out a new policy ending mass gatherings of 250+ people to slow the spread of the virus, and Disneyland closed its doors for the first time in decades. We checked Ticketmaster to see if our concert had been affected, but we did not see that they had made any changes, so we proceeded with our top as planned.</p> <p>The San Jose Mercury News also wrote an article stating a number of TSA workers at the San Jose Mineta Airport had contracted the virus and followed up with an article discussing the sudden drop in air travel that was accompanied by a picture of the now empty airport.</p> <p>When my cousin, Lynn, and I arrived at the terminal, it was indeed empty. I had never seen it so quiet before, especially during traffic hours. Lynn wore a mask, but I did not. The CDC previously mentioned that only people who are sick should wear masks, but Lynn was skeptical. She came equipped with Lysol wipes and made a point to avoid eating finger snacks. I, on the other hand, had a bagel that I ate with my hands.</p> <p>We boarded the plane and were shocked by how many seats were still available. Lynn had her row completely to herself. Once we landed in Long Beach, the eerie atmosphere changed. Southern California was as busy as ever, with no sign that it was impacted by the virus.</p>	 <p><b>Coronavirus: Infected TSA employees at Mineta San Jose Airport patted down passengers, put hands on travel documents</b></p> <p>Rick Hurd PUBLISHED: March 12, 2020 at 2:55 p.m.   UPDATED: March 13, 2020 at 8:01 a.m. California News, Health, Latest Headlines, Lifestyle, News, Transportation, Travel &amp; Play</p> 

Friday,  
March 13,  
2020

Today, my cousins and I adventured around Garden Grove and Fountain Valley to try new food. We made sure to wash our hands more regularly but noticed some people left the restrooms without washing their hands at all at.

We checked our phones and saw that the artist we planned to see posted on his social media page that the show was going to continue as planned, even with the policy the Governor issued.



Saturday,  
March 14,  
2020

Today was the day of the concert. We had breakfast and spent time at Huntington Beach. After lunch, we checked social media again to see that the show had been postponed to a future date. We had a feeling that this was going to happen but was surprised that we did not receive so much as an email from the ticket company and had to find out on our own.

Although our plans changed, we did not let this stop us from making the most of our trip. We decided to go to a Korean Pub together to share drinks and food. The pub was full of people enjoying the company of their friends and nothing seemed out of the ordinary.

Sunday,  
March 15,  
2020

After returning home last night, Govern Newsom ordered the closure of all bars and cut restaurant capacities. I was shocked at the update as I had spent the past weekend in numerous restaurants and a bar.

There were rumors surfacing from people on social media claiming that the United States was going to be placed on lockdown. The community was afraid and buying groceries, sanitation products, and other household items became difficult.

I decided to stop by a grocery store nearby to pick up nonperishable food items in case the rumors were true. A trip like this would usually take me 20 minutes, but today the line to get in was out the door. I decided to leave to save my time and prioritize my safety since the majority of people in line were not wearing masks or keeping six feet apart.

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HEALTH AND SCIENCE

### California governor calls for closure of all bars and wineries, home isolation of seniors

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**KEY POINTS**

- California Governor Gavin Newsom on Sunday directed all "non-essential" businesses to be closed in the state.
- Newsom stopped short of asking all restaurants in the state to close down as Ohio and Illinois have done.
- Newsom also called for the home isolation of all seniors in California as well as those with chronic conditions.

My coworker sent meee this "Not trying to cause a panic but someone I know has a friend in the fbi who says there may be a national quarantine next week so stock up on food and essentials"

But i can also see why it may be true. Some ppl who came in contact with Trump was posted positiveee

Yeah I heard that too. Someone that works with CDC said possible national lockdown

With opportunities to leave the house to pick up necessities. Pharmacy and groceries will stay open.

Monday,  
March 16,  
2020

Today was the day that the madness began. I woke up and went to work at an outpatient physical therapy clinic as I would usually do. During lunch, we left the TV on in the clinic to hear updates regarding the Coronavirus.

California was put under a shelter in place. Non-essential businesses were required to close. Everyone in the clinic was very confused. Did physical therapy count as an essential service? The guidelines were not clear. Medical facilities were allowed and encouraged to remain open, but the public was told to cancel any "routine-type" visits. The clinic was left in a gray area.

Prior to the pandemic, I was interning at an IPA with a job offer waiting for me once I completed the required hours. This afternoon I received an email from my internship preceptor stating that the intern program will be put on pause until the shelter in place is lifted on April 7th.

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### Bay Area orders 'shelter in place,' only essential businesses open in 6 counties

Erin Allday  
March 16, 2020 | Updated: March 19, 2020 3:33 p.m.

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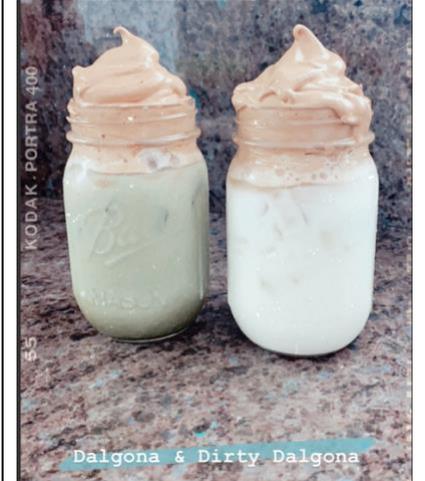
<p>Tuesday, March 17, 2020</p>	<p>On the first day of the shelter in place, I decided to clean my room. If I was going to be spending all my time at home for the next month, I wanted to make it as comfortable as possible. I had been neglecting chores and cleaning due to my busy schedule and this SIP was a good chance to catch up on things I had put off.</p> <p>My mother asked her job if she could stop coming in, as she often drops off food for my grandmother. I was very worried about my grandma. She is over 70 years old with stage 4 non-small cell lung cancer. Thinking of her, I felt guilty for going on my trip. I want to be able to see her again before she passes away, so I decided to adhere strictly to the social-isolation guidelines.</p>	
<p>Wednesday, March 18, 2020</p>	<p>My supervisor at work contacted me today expressing that there were going to be staffing changes. The patient volume at the clinic was rapidly decreasing and because of that, we needed to reduce staffing hours. I was asked to only work one day per week moving forward to allow those who have a need for work to get more hours. The staff structure was bare bones. Usually there are at least two front office coordinators at once, but we cut down to just one. At one time, we can have six PT Aides, now operating with just two. We went from seven physical therapists a day to only two.</p> <p>I am fortunate enough to live with my parents who do not make me pay rent. My parents asked me if it was possible for me to stay home during this time completely because they were afraid that I would be at risk for exposure, but my job position required me to come in at least once a week to handle my tasks.</p>	

Thursday,  
March 19,  
2020

Although it is a difficult time for many, I found the shelter in place to be a blessing in disguise. It was the first time since elementary school where I felt that I had a moment to breathe. I was able to make time to do things I would not normally do, like read books, play games, and spend quality time with my siblings.

Normally, I am preoccupied with full-time school, homework, a part-time job, and an internship, leaving very little time to spend with my family. I am appreciating the quality time.

Today my siblings and I made the whipped coffee that originated from Korea and went viral online. Dalgona coffee is made from whipping together instant coffee, sugar, and hot water. We made many different variations.

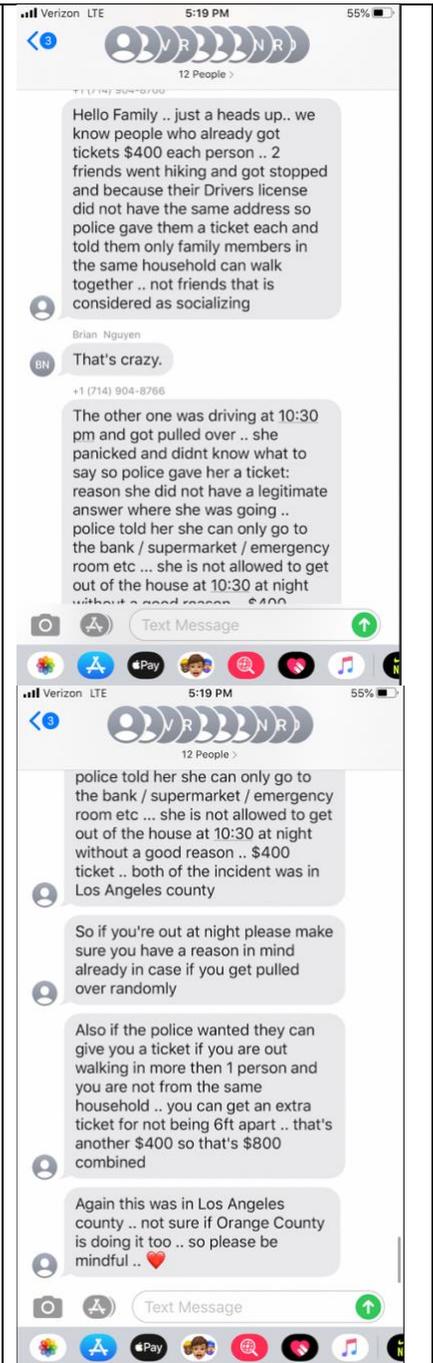


Sunday,  
March 22,  
2020

Many of my friends and family members texted me that the police were strictly enforcing the shelter in place by handing out fines to those participating in non-essential tasks, such as hanging out in a park or going to a non-essential job that was deemed essential by the employer. This was confusing because outdoor activities like walking your dog were encouraged.

My aunt was pulled over as she was driving to the community center to volunteer to pass out food for those in need. She did not have documentation for volunteering, so she was escorted there by the police and given a warning. I personally, did not have any encounters while out on the road for work.

However, while these occurrences took place, the San Jose Police Department released their own statement stating that these claims were untrue and that police were not detaining people for breaking the order. I am not sure what to believe.



March 23 and 24, 2020

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San Jose Police Department  
March 20

Starting to hear rumors of police conducting pedestrian and car stops based on the shelter-in-place order. We wanted to clear up that SJPD is expressly prohibited from detaining individuals based solely on the shelter-in-place order. This policy was enacted the day our County shelter-in-place order became effective. See attached policy from Chief Garcia.

**Memorandum**

**TO:** ALL DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL **FROM:** Eduardo Garcia  
Chief of Police

**SUBJECT:** REASONABLE SUSPICION TO DETAIN **DATE:** March 17, 2020

Memorandum 2020-010

**BACKGROUND**

On 3/16/20, the Public Health Officer of Santa Clara County issued a shelter in place order pursuant to her authority under the California Health & Safety Code. The order directs persons in the County to "self-isolate in their places of residence to the maximum extent feasible, while enabling essential services to continue". The order defines what kinds of business are considered essential and also lists a number of authorized purposes and activities for which persons may leave their homes. Violation of the order is a misdemeanor under H&S § 120295.

**ANALYSIS**

Section 100 of the order defines 21 types of Essential Businesses. Section 10(a) describes five justifications for people to leave their homes. In summary, these include: to engage in health & safety tasks, to obtain or deliver necessary services or supplies, to engage in outdoor activities, to perform work at an Essential Business, or to care for a family member or pet in another household. Officers should not take enforcement action without fully understanding the content of the shelter in place order which is attached to this memorandum.

**NOTE:** Considering the broad spectrum of legitimate reasons for which a person may leave residential isolation, it is NOT reasonable to suspect that persons are violating the order merely because they are outside of residential isolation.

**ORDER**

Effective immediately, sworn personnel will not consider the fact that a person is outside of residential isolation as a sole factor in support of reasonable suspicion to detain.

**Eduardo Garcia**  
Chief of Police

EG:PC  
Attachment: Santa Clara County Shelter-in-Place Order, dated 3/16/20

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**CORONAVIRUS, FLU, COLD OR ALLERGIES?**

All four illnesses can share similar symptoms, but there are signs that can tell you which one you may actually have. For example, the common cold rarely produces a fever, unlike the flu and the coronavirus. Conversely, sneezing is not a symptom of the flu and coronavirus like it is for the cold and allergies.

Symptoms	Coronavirus (symptoms range from mild to severe)	Flu (abrupt onset of symptoms)	Cold (gradual onset of symptoms)	Airborne Allergies
Fever	Common	Common	Rare	No
Fatigue	Sometimes	Common	Sometimes	Sometimes
Cough	Common (usually dry)	Common (usually dry)	Mild	Sometimes
Sneezing	No	No	Common	Common
Aches and Pains	Sometimes	Common	Common	No
Runny or Stuffy Nose	Rare	Sometimes	Common	Sometimes
Sore throat	Sometimes	Sometimes	Common	Sometimes
Diarrhea	Rare	Sometimes for children	No	No
Headaches	Sometimes	Common	Rare	No
Shortness of Breath	Sometimes	No	No	No

Wednesday,  
March 25,  
2020

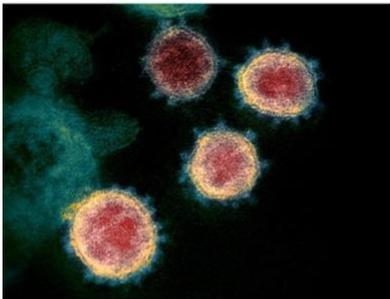
Today was my closest friend's birthday. She was turning 25 on the 25th, making it her golden year. We obviously were not able to see each other in person so her boyfriend shared a Zoom link for us to have a virtual celebration. We sent out a flyer with the zoom link for her Golden Quarantine Quarter Century Celebration.

I had a powerful persistent dry cough by this time and tried my best not to leave my room for fear of passing what I had to my family members. I contemplated getting tested and researched testing centers. At this time, it was extremely difficult to access one. There was a testing center in Hayward, but when I called to see if I was able to get tested, I was told the symptoms needed to last for more than seven days and needed to be severe. Even if I was able to get tested, I would've been advised to go home and isolate, which is what I was already doing; therefore, I gave up on the idea.

To add to my worry, I saw that Kaiser San Jose had a high number of cases. My dad works right across the street from that hospital. I just can't believe that it is so close to my home.

CALIFORNIA

### Nearly half of all patients at one Kaiser hospital believed to have coronavirus



The coronavirus known as SARS-CoV-2, which causes the disease COVID-19. (National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases / Rocky Mountain Laboratories)

By RONG-GONG LIN II  
STAFF WRITER

Sunday,  
March 28,  
2020

Today my cough was not as strong and not as persistent. This past week I tried taking Nyquil, Theraflu, Mucinex, and Tylenol, all of which provided little to no relief. Over the last week, I spent most of my time sleeping. I'm glad I feel better and thankful that it was not something more serious. I also checked in with my cousin and she reported feeling better as well.

Thursday,  
April 3,  
2020

I tried to order groceries online and have them delivered home to avoid going out, but Safeway, Costco, Target, and Walmart are so busy that there are no more scheduled deliveries. I learned that many InstaCart workers are going on strike as well as sanitation workers because they want hazard pay.

Many people are fortunate enough to have the option to work from home, but essential workers such as grocery store suppliers and clerks, healthcare workers, restaurant workers, and sanitation workers do not have that luxury. They are holding the community together.

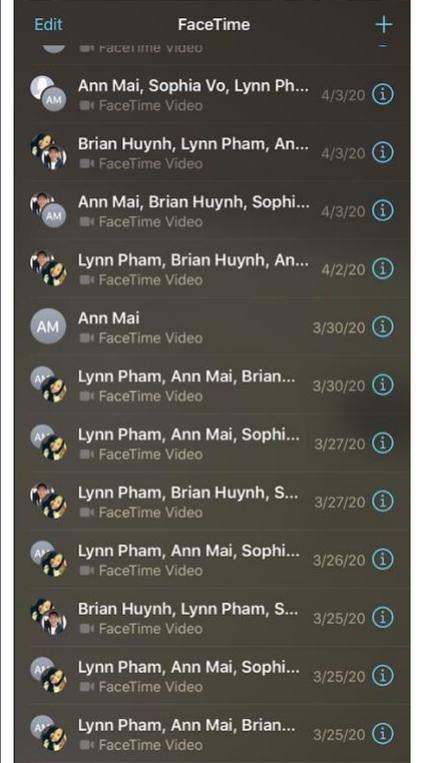
Because I was unsuccessful, my mother made a run to Costco, where she was met by a long line wrapping around the parking lot. She forgot many items as she did not want to spend an extended period of time around others.

I've been facetimeing my aunts and cousins every other day to check-in on them. I miss seeing them in person. Today I learned that two of my cousins were laid off due to the virus and just like that I remembered that this is not a vacation.

My uncle is a respiratory therapist at Kaiser Permanente Roseville and risks exposure every day. When he comes home, he removes his scrubs in his garage and heads straight to the shower. My cousin, Lynn, is an HSA that often does COVID-19 testing for her patients. When she gets home, she locks herself in her room to protect my aunt who has pneumonia. My aunt leaves her food outside of her door on the floor.

Every morning I wake up and read Kaiser Health News to find almost every article is about the virus. The news is overwhelming.

I continue to read leisure books, practice using makeup, coloring, baking, and cooking. I have been eating more home-cooked meals than I ever have while being in college.



Tuesday,  
April 7,  
2020

The shelter in place was extended until the end of April with clear guidelines on which businesses were considered essential. Every morning I wake up to both of my parents listening to the news, my dad on TV, and my mom on the Vietnamese radio. We discuss the death toll and updates every morning during breakfast. Today, I made pancakes and waffles with fruit and sliced almonds.

I continue to attend online classes, but I am finding it increasingly difficult to focus on the overwhelming news I'm learning every day. My mom is taking the shelter in place very seriously while my dad is more skeptical of the news and does not believe the any information from the media. We get into arguments over the seriousness of issues every day. There is more and more tension in the house.

I also ordered DoorDash today. I like the convenience and also want to support small businesses whenever I can. Many businesses have released statements that they will not be able to reopen after this is all over. I am sad to see so many people lose their jobs and that so many businesses won't be able to recover from this.

Marielle  
@mariaellena\_

P S A Banana Crepe has announced they are going out of business 😞 PLEASE go show them some love before their final day on 5/2 ❤️ SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL BUSINESSES PLEASE!!!!!!

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Monday,  
April 13,  
2020

At work, with the low patient volume, it has been difficult to keep the doors open, but it was clarified that we are indeed an essential service. We shortened our operational hours and most patients rescheduled their visits to May or June. We posted signs all around the clinic asking patients to wash their hands and scheduled the cleaning services to come more frequently.

Every person that comes through the door has their temperature taken to make sure they are not running a fever and we ask them to wash their hands with soap and warm water for 30 seconds. All staff is required to wear masks and there are hand sanitizing stations located throughout the clinic. We put markings on the floor to enforce social distancing and space chairs at least six feet apart from one another. One of my jobs is to sign in for patients to minimize the touching shared surfaces and I am also required to ask screening questions prior to booking patient appointments.

We also began utilizing telehealth at our clinic. Because we are a physical therapy clinic, patients benefit from manual manipulation which requires physical touch. This makes telehealth not very popular, especially among the diverse demographic

**CORONAVIRUS and Our Commitment to Patient Safety**

While there have been no cases of Coronavirus (COVID-19) at our clinic, our primary concern is always the health and safety of our patients.

Golden Hills PT has been adhering to the guidelines of the medical community, including the World Health Organization (WHO), Center for Disease Control (CDC), the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) and local public health authorities, to ensure we put in place the right safeguards and procedures related to the Coronavirus outbreak.

**Important Information for Patients**

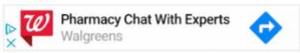
- The single biggest factor in successful physical therapy is completing your treatment. We are open and will continue to serve you.
- We are committed to ensure our clinics are following proper protocol for sanitizing and disinfecting treatment tables, exercise equipment, doors, and general areas.
- We encourage all to practice preventative measures, such as washing hands, covering coughs and sneezes, to reduce the spread of all seasonal viruses.
- We ask our patients to wash their hands upon entry to Golden Hills PT.
- We may screen patients on:
  - How they're feeling, including any flu-like or upper respiratory symptoms.
  - If they or anyone in their household has traveled to a Level 2 or Level 3 destination, and
  - If they have been in close contact with anyone diagnosed with Coronavirus.

It's important to process the information we're receiving in a balanced and thoughtful way. Worrying or panicking in response to overwhelming amounts of information can create stress, which can compromise immunity. Research shows healthy habits supports immunity and can help prepare our bodies to better fight and recover from illnesses, including coronavirus. To help ensure you have the latest and most up-to-date information, please review the links below from CDC and WHO:

**Coronavirus and CDC's Response:**  
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

**Coronavirus and Advice for Public:**  
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/advice-for-public/myth-busters>

For more information on what protocols we have in place, call us at 408-274-0888 or email us at [therapy@goldenhillspt.com](mailto:therapy@goldenhillspt.com).

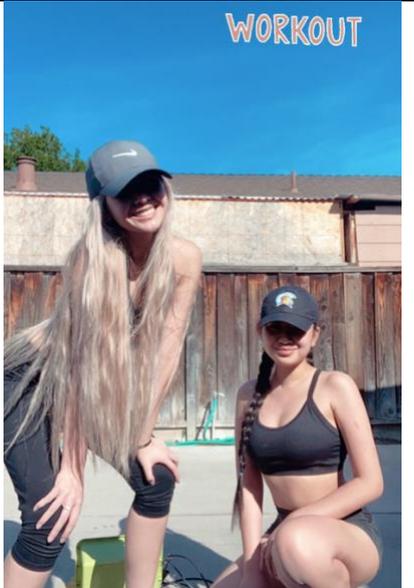
	<p>we serve. Elderly patients especially have a difficult time navigating technology, and this is even more true when there is a language barrier.</p>	
<p>April 15 and 16, 2020</p>	<p>Today I received an upsetting email from Southwest. I had an upcoming trip planned in May and the airline said I would not be able to get a refund for the flight and that flight credit would have to be used to book a flight within 60 days of the original flight date. This was never a rule before. Typically, Southwest would issue you credit if you needed to cancel and the credit would be good for up to one year. I am upset that they are changing their rules during this time, knowing many people will be cancelling their trips for safety reasons.</p> <p>Southwest is not the only company that appears to be doing this. Ticketmaster also changed their policy stating tickets were only to be refunded if the event was cancelled, not if they were postponed. This upset many people, which led Ticketmaster to change their policy once again.</p> <p>One day later, Southwest sent out a follow-up email issuing a travel fund extension valid until 2022. I am glad that they granted an extension but am disappointed that they did not consider this from the beginning.</p>	<div data-bbox="1112 205 1502 394"> <p>Hiho Dorthy,</p> <p>We want to make you aware of a change we've made to your upcoming trip. This was done proactively due to a Southwest flight schedule change on your day of travel.</p> <p>Please review your new itinerary below. <b>Your reservation is confirmed and no further action is required.</b></p> <p>In the event this new itinerary does not work for you, we are offering the opportunity to change your flight (subject to certain restrictions) by up to 60 days from original travel date at no additional cost in accordance with our established reaccommodation practices.</p> <p>For expedited service, you can change your flight at <a href="https://www.southwest.com/feedback">www.southwest.com/feedback</a> within three days of the delivery of this email. Flights with no additional cost will display as "Available". Should you need further assistance, you can reach a Southwest Representative at 1.800.421.9999 (1.800.435.9792). Please keep in mind that wait times may be very high at this time.</p> <p>We look forward to seeing you onboard soon.</p> <p>-Your friends at Southwest</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1112 399 1502 567"> <p> The Mercury News <span style="float: right;">Menu</span></p> <p>Search</p> <p></p> </div> <div data-bbox="1112 609 1502 955"> <h3>Coronavirus: Fans outraged over Ticketmaster changing refund policy</h3> <p>Jim Harrington      PUBLISHED: April 15, 2020 at 6:35 p.m.   UPDATED: April 16, 2020 at 12:48 p.m.      Business, Entertainment, Features, Latest Headlines, Music, Nation &amp; World, News</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1112 976 1502 1648"> <p>SA Southwest Airlines 4/16/20      To: dorthyhdnguyen@yahoo.com &gt;</p> <p><b>Rapid Rewards tier status and travel fund extension.</b>      Found in Yahoo! Inbox</p> <p>Southwest® Heart Strong: Your update from Gary Kelly.      View in web browser   View our mobile site</p> <p><b>Southwest</b>      AIR   HOTEL   CAR   VACATIONS   RAPID REWARDS®</p> <p>To our valued Customers,</p> <p>As we continue to navigate our way through this unprecedented time and deal with extraordinary challenges, we are committed to keeping you informed and updated on the steps we are taking to manage through the COVID-19 pandemic. The health, safety, and well-being of our Customers and our Employees remain my highest priorities at all times and a responsibility the entire Southwest® Family holds sacred. In this midst of the heartbreak and hardships this crisis has imposed on our neighbors, our families, and our friends, I am also inspired and deeply moved by the compassion, resiliency, and the human spirit that has surfaced all around us. Thank you for being there with us. We are here for you.</p> </div>

Wednesday,  
April 22,  
2020

By now, I have gotten into a good routine for myself. I wake up, have coffee, do yoga or stretching, do schoolwork or internship work, have lunch, and then more work.

Today is Earth Day so I decided to spend some time outside with my sister. We exercised and spent time soaking in the sun. I'm usually always in a classroom or medical office building with little to no windows so I do not get to see the sun very often, but I am grateful that I have the chance to bask in it now.

I saw on social media that the economic slowdown and shelter in place has led to improved air quality and animal repopulation in certain areas. When I go refill gas or go to work, the freeways are noticeably emptier. I am glad that the earth has a chance to heal.



Thursday,  
April 23,  
2020

Today is my grandma's birthday and unfortunately, I was unable to celebrate with her in person. Instead, my family hosted a Zoom birthday celebration. I am happy she is doing well and hope that this is all over soon so I can see her again.

I've been seeing conflicting stories in the news, with some experts saying it won't be safe until next year, and others expecting it to clear up after summer. I think after summer is unrealistic. I do not want to put my grandma at risk at all and would stay away well after we are given the okay to visit elders.



Friday, April 24, 2020

My aunt owns a small business, a dry cleaning/ alterations shop. She is considered an essential business by the city because some companies may need cleaning for their clothes which counts as sanitation. She expressed to me that she has not been receiving many clients at all and that she is struggling to keep the doors open.

Due to the lack of customers, she has much more extra time. During this time, she uses extra material/ recycled fabric to sew face masks. She made some for my family and me and began to sell them at her shop. She asked me for help to share her business with others, so I shared her information with my friends.

She owns a small business that's been slow recently due to the pandemic, but she's really great and can fix just about anything



Sunday, April 26, 2020

To get out of the house, my father, sister, and I decided to take a trip together to Stanford's Blood Center to donate blood. I received an email a few weeks prior stating that even during these times, there is a need for blood. They required us to wear masks for the duration of the time we spent there.

Afterward, we went to In N Out for lunch, where the line for drive-thru was snaking around the parking lot. After waiting for about 40 minutes, we finally got our food and headed home.



Monday,  
April 27,  
2020

The shelter in place has now been extended until the end of May. I was supposed to be graduating next month, but in-person graduations will not be possible this year. I was looking forward to walking the stage in front of my family and am disappointed that it is no longer an option.

San Jose State will be recognizing students with a virtual slide and President Mary gave us the option to walk at a future ceremony, but it is just not the same. From this pandemic, I have lost a full-time job offer and the chance to walk the stage with my classmates.

My cousin's graduation at Arizona State has now also been canceled. I had originally planned a trip to Arizona for her ceremony and to see the Grand Canyon but had to call the Southwest to get a refund for my plane tickets. I spoke to a representative that clarified that I would have until 2022 to use my flight credit.

All my plans for the year have changed, but I am grateful to still be happy and healthy and cannot thank the frontline workers enough for everything they do.



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BREAKING NEWS: Shelter-in-place orders extended until May 31 in six Bay Area counties:



Coronavirus: 6 Bay Area counties extend shelter-in-place orders through end of May  
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