

Helpful Resources – tech & hybrid programming

Digital divide and tech-literacy (tech-related):

- Virtual Senior Center - <https://seniorplanet.org/coronavirus-2/>
- Virtual Programming - <https://covia.org/services/well-connected/>
- Older Adults Technology Services - <https://oats.org/>
- Premier Wireless - <https://www.pwbts.net/samsung/tablets/>
- American Society on Aging – Digital Equity: <https://generations.asaging.org/digital-equity-human-right-whose-time-has-come>
- National Digital Inclusion Alliance – Digital Inclusion, Digital equity, and Digital Literacy: <https://www.digitalinclusion.org/definitions/>
- Aging Connected Report – Exposing the Hidden Connectivity Crisis for Older Adults: <https://agingconnected.org/report/>
- <https://longevity.stanford.edu/digital-literacy-in-older-adults/>
- <https://www.aarp.org/research/topics/technology/info-2021/2021-technology-trends-older-americans.html>
- Teaching Technology to Older Adults (with FREE curriculum for iPads): <https://www.keiro.org/features/teaching-technology-older-adults>
- The Effects of COVID-19 Among the Elderly Population: A Case for Closing the Digital Divide: <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC7693633/>

Hybrid (in-person and online) programs/events research:

- Hybrid programming – what you need to know: <https://www.cvent.com/en/blog/events/hybrid-events-what-you-need-know#:~:text=When%20you%20host%20a%20hybrid,them%20out%20after%20the%20event.>
- Meeting Best Practices for Hybrid Teams: <https://www.rhythmsystems.com/blog/meeting-best-practices-for-hybrid-teams>
- Hybrid Meetings, "How To" - https://www.mpi.org/docs/default-source/covid-19/hybridmeeting_howto.pdf?sfvrsn=e903c050_2
- How to Master Hybrid Programming – 22 Best Practices: <https://blog.sli.do/hybrid-meetings-tips/>
- Example – from Rotary District – Hybrid suggestions on equipment and set-up: <https://rotary6440.org/documents/en-ca/dd0252e9-60aa-4888-a03b-cf86242d8daa/1>
- Choosing the right platform for your virtual event: <https://cic.com/blogpost/2020/8/27/livestreams-video-conferencing-and-webinars-choosing-the-right-platform-for-your-virtual-event>
- Example of possible package/equipment needed to create a hybrid friendly conference room: <https://www.cdwg.com/product/Logitech-Tap-for-Zoom-Large-Rooms-video-conferencing-kit-with-Lenovo-Th/6080299>

Are there trainings available to learn more about hosting hybrid programming (in-person and virtual events simultaneously)?

- Event Leadership Institute – Hybrid and Virtual Events (CMP credit): <https://eventleadershipinstitute.com/course/hybrid-and-virtual-events/>
- Virtual Events Institute – An Introduction to Hybrid Events training module: <https://www.virtualeventsinstitute.com/training>
- Everything you need to know about hybrid events <https://www.cvent.com/en/virtual-hybrid-events-training> (More of a formal event, CMP credit)
- Virtual, in-person, and hybrid training for Employees, Staff and Customers: <https://www.circa.co/solutions/training>