

### PPP Risk Assessment

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# COVID-19, Is It Over Yet?



Have you heard the people talking about COVID-19 like it's over?

Is it possible that COVID-19 is not over, and this may be just the first of several waves of infection?

Medical experts from around the world agree. The Center for Infectious Disease Research and Policy (CIDRAP) recently published a report on the future of this pandemic. It calls COVID-19 the worst global health crisis in more than 100 years. It also states there is "no crystal ball to tell us what the future holds." The report says we should be looking to other recent flu outbreaks for answers to our current situation. And CIDRAP says we should be paying special attention to what sets COVID-19 apart.

## What Does the Future Hold?



So what does the future look like for COVID-19?

CIDRAP says there are three possible scenarios.

**Scenario One** — Begins with an initial wave in Spring 2020 followed by a series of smaller waves of infection that last up to two years

**Scenario Two** — Begins in spring 2020 and is followed by a second, larger wave this fall or winter and a smaller one in 2021. If this happens, communities will likely return to quarantines

**Scenario Three** — Begins in spring 2020 and is followed by what CIDRAP describes as a "slow burn." That means there's no clear pattern. This scenario would likely not cause communities to return to quarantines, but infections and deaths would continue

No matter the scenario, CIDRAP says we should prepare for another 18 to 24 months with COVID-19

### Covid-19 Paradigm Shift



Our modus operandi of the Covid-19 pandemic era has been one of a kind. There must have been certain business strategies and organized business and project setups in motion to keep the momentum of essential businesses from slowing down.

We opted to keep distance from everyone, yet maintain our essential infrastructure of banking, IT, healthcare, manufacturing, logistics, stock markets, farming, education, auto industry, oil and gas, petrochemical, and governments.

We at APS recognized that PPP (Public Private Project) procurement has proven to be a robust strategy that afforded governments the leverage it needed to maintain the principals of a viable and responsive economy.

### PPP, A Strategy



According to McKinsey, a country's PPP readiness is based on three major factors:

- The extent the government is committed to PPPs, through clarity of vision and transparency
- Instituting governance with legal and institutional frameworks
- Strong tendering processes that put into motion emergency business plans for risks

#### APS on PPP



APS has conducted in-house market research on the PPP as a procurement strategy that helps economies weather grand risks and world market shifts. APS has concluded PPP project organizations are 35% more successful than traditional project organizations. We found that the success of PPP is dependent on:

- Bridging gaps between private and public sector expectations;
- Clearly spelling out government objectives and levels of commitment;
- Simplifying the decision-making process;
- Defining sector policies well for investors;
- Stamping out Inadequate legal/regulatory frameworks;
- Excelling in simulating risks and improving risk management;
- Improving the stoutness of domestic capital markets self control; and
- Improving decision making transparency and sanctioning fair competition

### APS Can Help



We are glad to provide our clients with our best expertise and consulting insight. Our Contact coordinates are here below. We look forward to helping you make a successful strategy.

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