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As the patterns of transmission and infection for the COVID-19 virus emerge with more clarity worldwide, AAG council has decided unanimously to cancel the 2020 Annual Meeting in Denver. The recent member survey also showed that more than 60% were unable, unwilling or discouraged from attending.

We realize that this is unwelcome news as the Annual Meeting is a major highlight of the year for geographers. So many members and other organizations plan their events around our annual meeting. We waited for as much information as possible before making our decision, but ultimately we realized that holding the meeting would constitute a threat to participants' health and to public health in general.

AAG would like to make the most of all of the work that has already been put into sessions and posters. Therefore, we will offer virtual options for those who would still like to hold their sessions. Some sessions, themes, and plenaries will be postponed until next year.

As we plan for this transition, we appreciate your patience. More details will follow in the next few days on how to proceed with virtual options.

We continue our full refund policy for cancellations and additional options. Please visit our [cancellations page](#) for more information.

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