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Bio

Heather Caliendo serves as Senior Editor for **Plastics Technology** magazine where she writes and edits feature stories for the recycling and 3D printing sectors. Heather has been covering the global plastics industry since 2012, with a specific focus on end-market trends and sustainability. She started her career writing about aerospace and technology at *The Journal Record*, a daily business newspaper. She received her bachelor of arts in journalism from the University of Oklahoma.

On Camera



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Quote

“3D printing providers are responding the COVID-19 crisis in big ways including producing face shields and prototyping COVID-19 test kits. Many 3D-printed parts have already been delivered to local hospitals. 2020 looked to be the year that plastics recycling became a priority and many states that have issued stay-at-home orders indicate that the recycling sector is considered essential and will remain operational. Whether other states will follow suit and if consumers continue to participate in curbside recycling will be something to watch.”

Topics

- The work done by 3D printing providers; how it can help eliminate supply chain disruption.
- The state of plastics recycling and the status of being considered a critical infrastructure workforce; will this impact the recycling momentum of 2019?

COVID-19 Links

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3D Printing Helps Keep Production Going During the Coronavirus Crisis

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HP is 3D Printing Parts to Help Battle the Coronavirus Pandemic

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Stratasys Producing 3D-Printed Face Shields In Response to Coronavirus Pandemic

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Ultimaker Connects 3D Printing Experts With Hospitals During