

## Supporting Businesses Navigate Through the Current Challenges of Covid-19

MMA Webinar Series
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#### **MMA** Purpose



#### The People We Serve

#### **Prime Audience**

**Pioneering Chief Marketers** 





#### **Our Strategic Priorities**

#### **Measurement & Business Impact**

Drive marketing effectiveness and the future of measurement for sustainable business growth

#### **Marketer Org Development**

Redefine marketing organization dynamics and future capabilities needed in a data

#### Inspiration

Lead marketing innovation and creative effectiveness/impact for mobile and emerging technologies

#### **Advocacy**

Establish standards and self-regulatory guidelines to improve consumer trust and confidence in marketing and connected devices



#### **Our Reason for Being**

#### **Purpose**

To enable marketers to drive innovation and enduring business value in an increasingly dynamic and connected-connected world.





#### Managing Your Questions



#### Share the Insights

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#### **Presenters**



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#### Moderator/Host



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Mobile Marketing Association
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- **Agenda** How consumer behaviors change in the context of Covid-19
  - How is Facebook responding to Covid-19
  - How can businesses respond during this time
  - Curated resources & playbooks to support the MMA Community

Facebook company

#### **TODAY: WHAT WE'RE SEEING**

People are rapidly embracing new digital connections

People are turning their concerns into acts of care People are looking to companies for leadership People are adjusting to their new normal all while anticipating their next normal

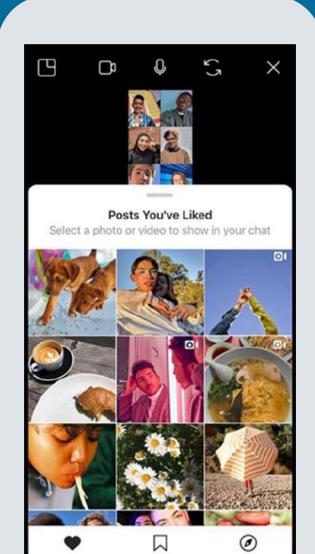
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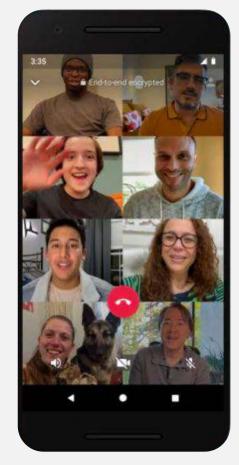
#### and they're connecting in more ways and new ways







#### We've introduced Messenger Rooms and more ways to connect



**Expanding WhatsApp Group Calls** 



**Introducing Messenger Rooms** 



**Bringing Back Live With** 



#### People are caring for themselves—and the world



On Instagram in the US
home workouts posts
on Feed and Stories
increased >5x
in just four days
(vs the four prior)



Globally, **70**% more people are participating in group video calls on Messenger<sup>2</sup>



77% of Americans would run errands for a neighbor in need<sup>3</sup>

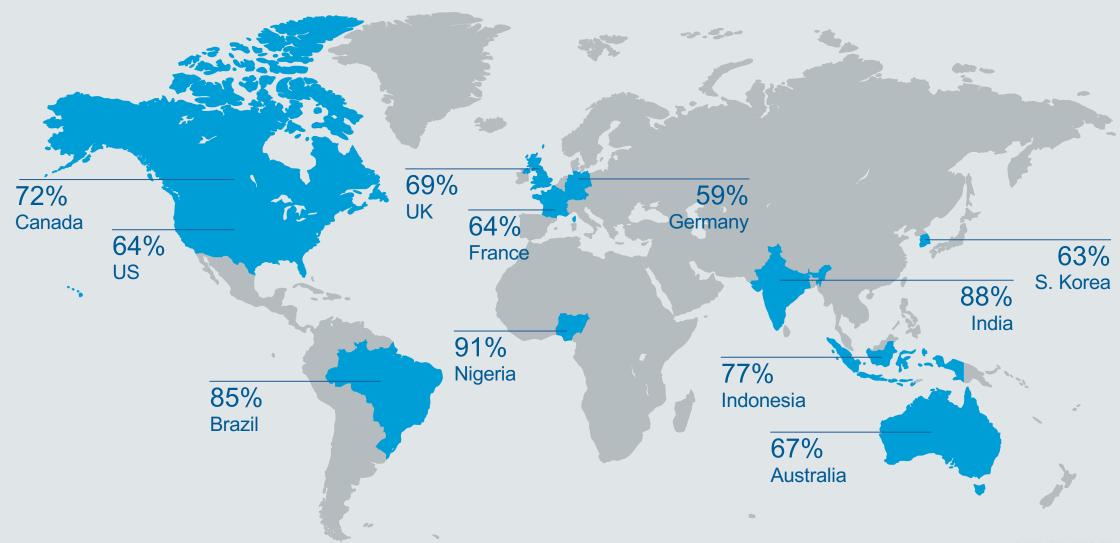
**1M** people in the UK are members of local support Facebook groups around COVID-19<sup>4</sup>



Globally, 4M people made posts and comments to support Italians during the lockdown with encouraging words like "andrà tutto bene" and "io resto a casa."<sup>5</sup>



#### People increasingly expect brands to give back

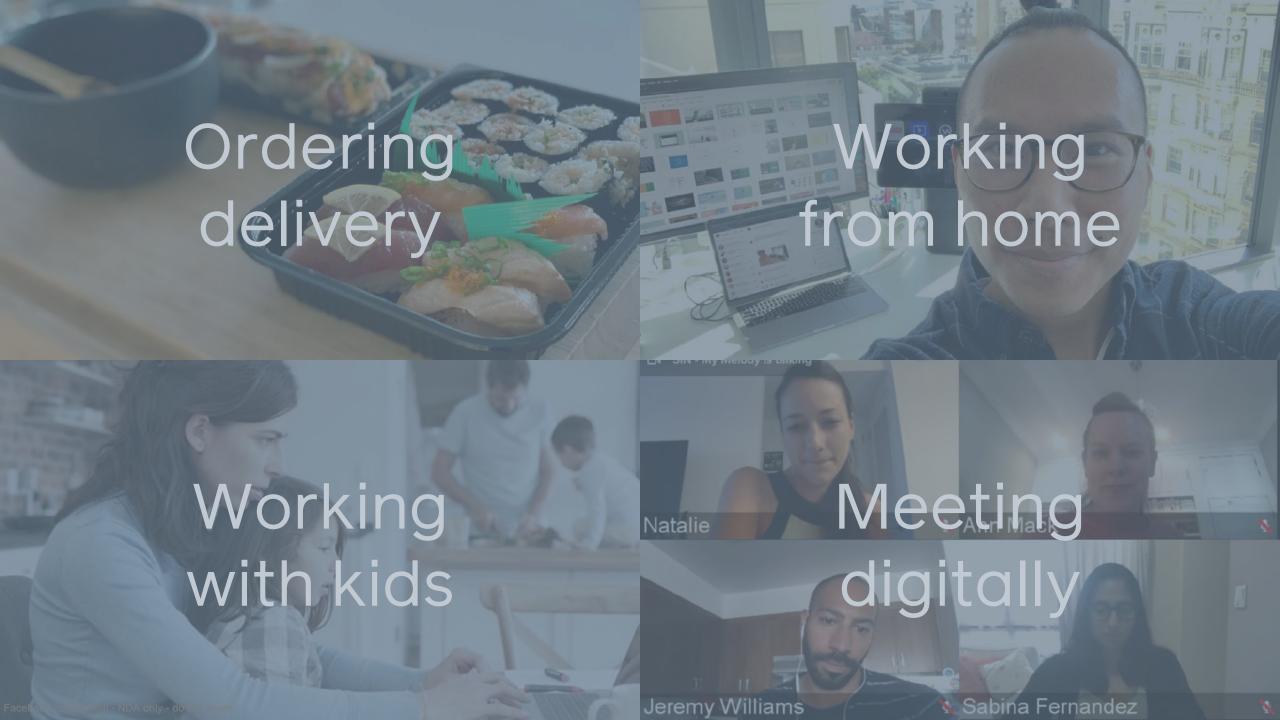


Among people surveyed globally

# People want brands to re-prioritize and adapt

Close non-essential stores	79%
Offer flexible payment terms	83%
Help produce essential supplies	67%





#### Poll

## Where are you spending more time now than before Covid-19?

- 1. More time on smartphones 61 respondents
- 2. More time messaging family and friends 39 respondents
- 3. More time on hobbies 42 respondents
- 4. More time cooking 32 respondents

## People are finding diversions both online and offline

More time on their smartphone: **70**%

More news coverage: 67%

More shows/films on streaming services: 51%

More time messaging: **45**%

More time on social media: 45%

More TV on broadcast channels: 45%

More time cooking: 41%

More time on hobbies/pastimes: 43%

More time on computer/video games: 36%



Facebook IQ source: "Coronavirus Research" (online survey of people ages 16-64 in AU, BR, CN, DE, ES, FR, GB, IT, JP, PH, SG, US, ZA) by GWI, Mar 16-20, 2020. Numbers are an average across markets.

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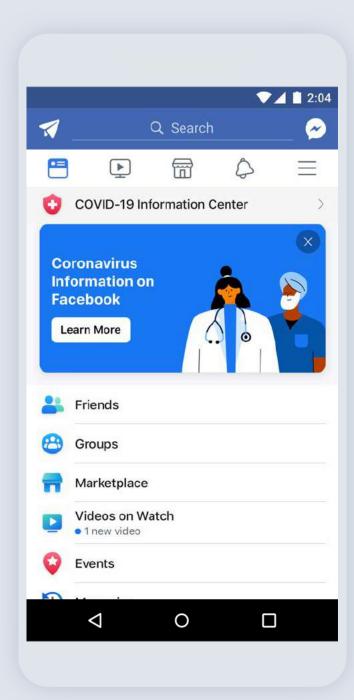
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FACEBOOK IQ



## How is Facebook responding to COVID-19?





Steps Facebook is taking to respond to the coronavirus

1 Providing people with access to accurate information

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2 Stopping misinformation and harmful content

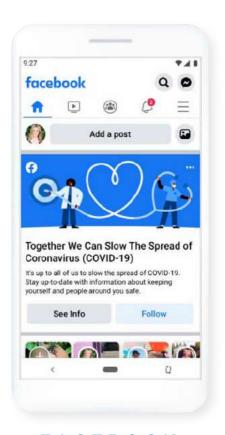
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3 Supporting global health experts and relief efforts

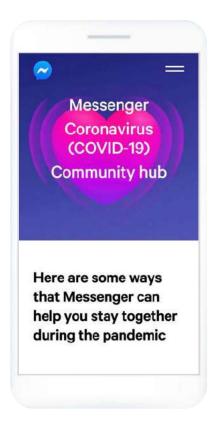
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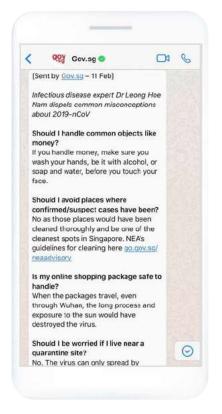
#### Providing people with access to accurate information

We've now directed over 2B people to resources from the WHO and other health authorities









FACEBOOK

INSTAGRAM

**MESSENGER** 

WHATSAPP

#### Stopping misinformation and harmful content

Keeping people safe and informed



Limiting misinformation and harmful content

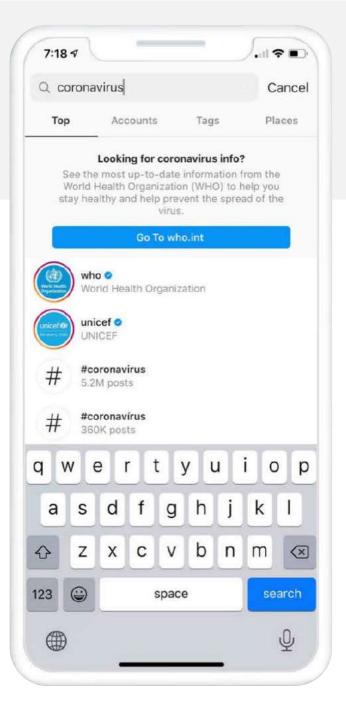


Prohibiting exploitative tactics

Banning ads for medical face masks, hand sanitizer



Supporting third-party fact checkers



#### Supporting global health experts and relief efforts

Working with national ministries of health and organizations like the WHO, CDC, UNICEF



Matching \$20M in donations to support COVID-19 relief efforts



We're giving the WHO as many free ads as they need for their coronavirus response along with other in-kind support. We'll also give support and millions more in ad credits to other organizations too and we'll be working closely with global health experts to provide additional help if needed.

Supporting global health organizations with free ads



Empowering partners with data and tools

#### Supporting local governments, communities and businesses

In line with our company mission, we are helping people stay connected

#### Small Business Grants programme

We know that your business may be experiencing disruptions resulting from the global outbreak of COVID-19. We've heard that a little financial support can go a long way, so we are offering USD 100M in cash grants and ad credits to help during this challenging time.



#### SMB Grant

Investing \$100M to help 30K small businesses in >30 countries



#### **Business Resource Hub**

Tips and trainings to help SMBs manage through the crisis



#### **Community Help**

A place for people to request or offer help to neighbors



Well-being Tips & Resources

Tips from experts and supporting mental health organizations







## Insight #1

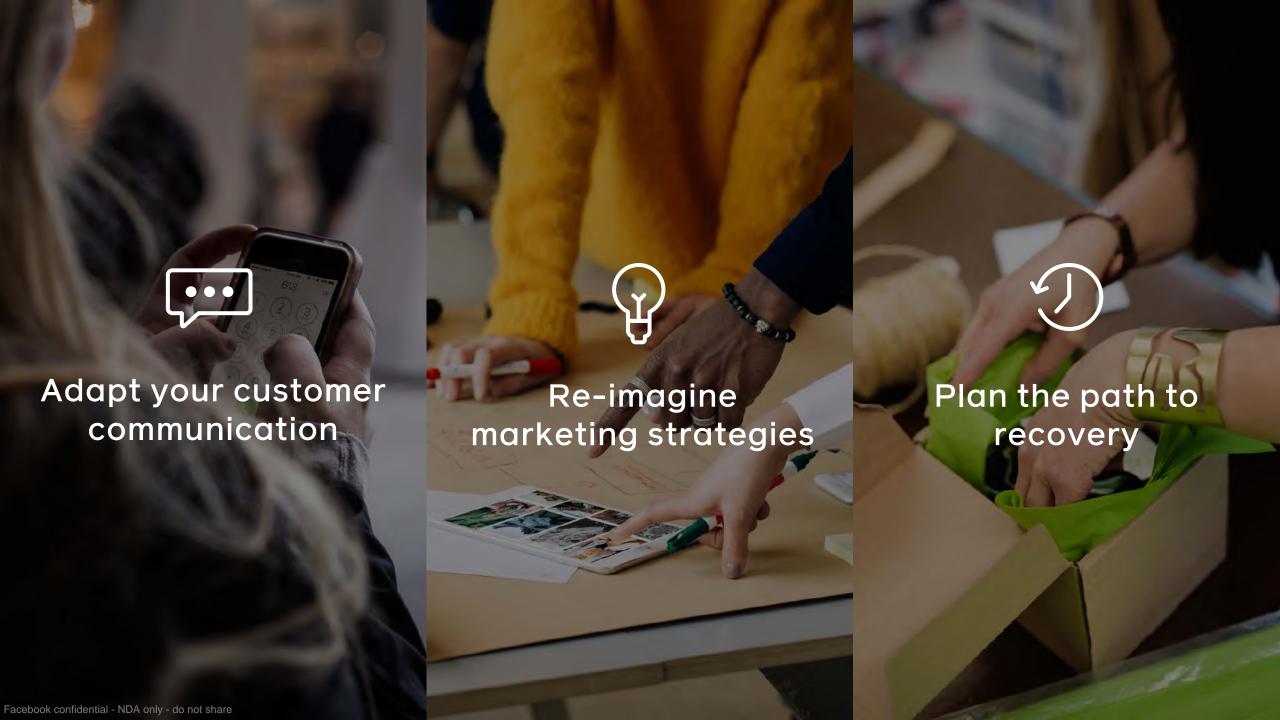
People are looking to trusted brands to provide them with safety and security in testing times. They want to be assured that the brands they choose are in control of their supply chains, transparent and trustworthy.

## Insight #2

People expect brands to:

- Deliver real value
- Act responsibly
- Do right by the community, including their employees

Brands that were able to deliver purpose in an ethical way saw their value grow twice as much as average brands.



#### Poll

## What are communications consumers do <u>not</u> expect during Covid-19?

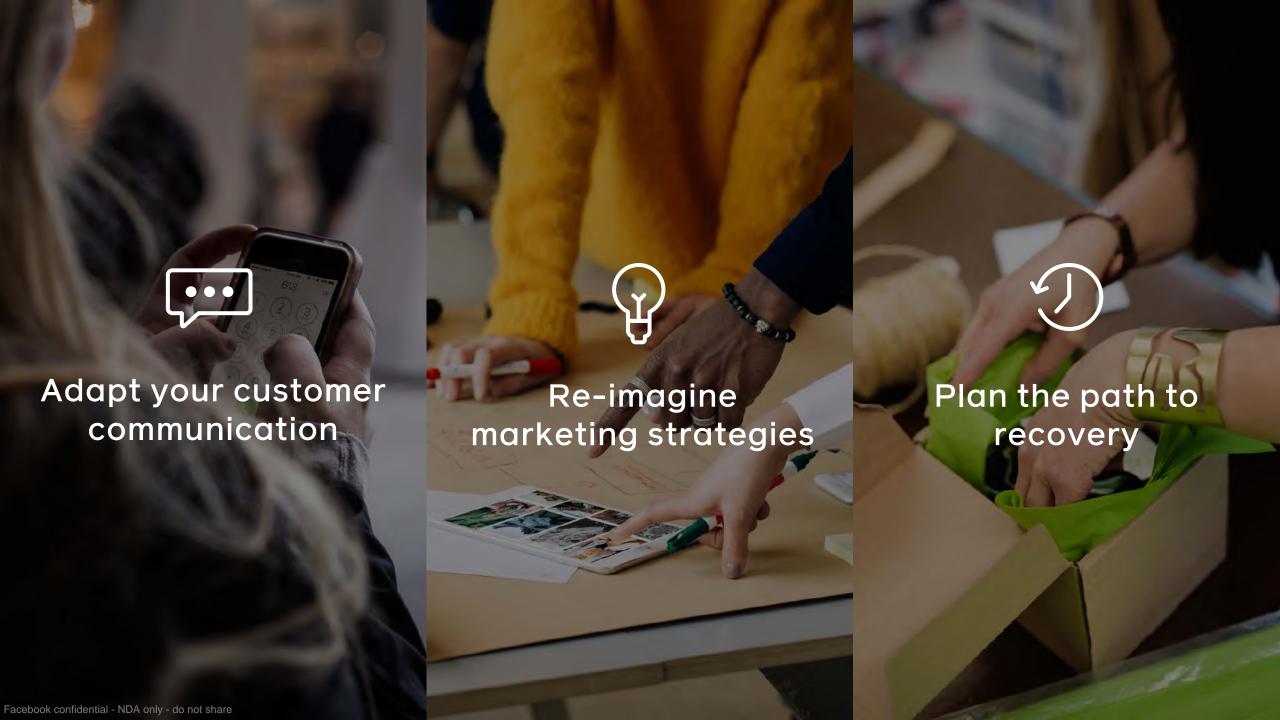
- 1. Passive communication 55 Respondents
- 2. Authentic brand communication 7 Respondents
- 3. Frequent communication 27 Respondents
- 4. Setting realistic expectations (e.g., delivery delay) communication
  - 10 Respondents



### Consumers seek proactive communication from brands

- Be authentic
- Maintain proactive and frequent contact with your customers
- Set realistic expectations for customers
- Provide training to your Customer Service team
- Constantly reflect on customers' feedback

Source: "Customer Communications Recommendations during Novel Coronavirus Outbreak", by Vela, Feb 2020



#### Food for thought

- Be there for your customers
- Re-imagine your existing marketing strategy (branding vs. performance)
- Provide an alternative customer experience (online vs. offline, home delivery vs. dine-in)
- Highlight relevant product benefits
- Leverage platform strengths





Tips and strategies to help your business have more control in mitigating disruption; and be better placed to deal with the impact of viral outbreaks today.

## Assurance

Build positive sentiment and confidence in customers.

# Assistance

Provide timely support and alternatives for consumers.

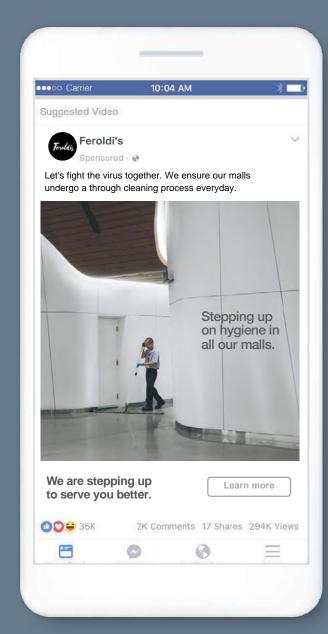
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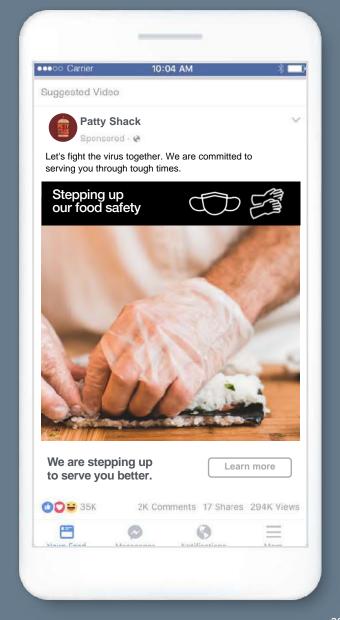
Bring an experience to customers on our platform.

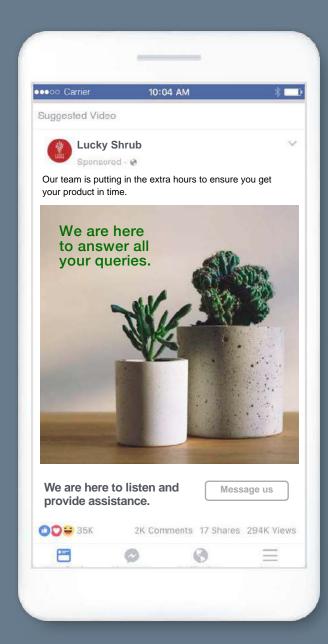
#### **ASSURANCE**—

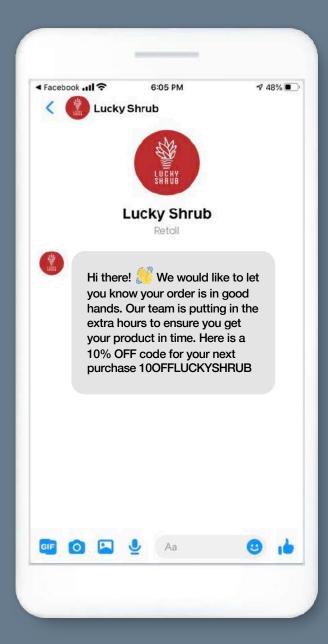
# Can you play your role?

- How is your business stepping up to take precautions?
- Share clear messaging on your risk mitigation steps









#### **ASSISTANCE**—

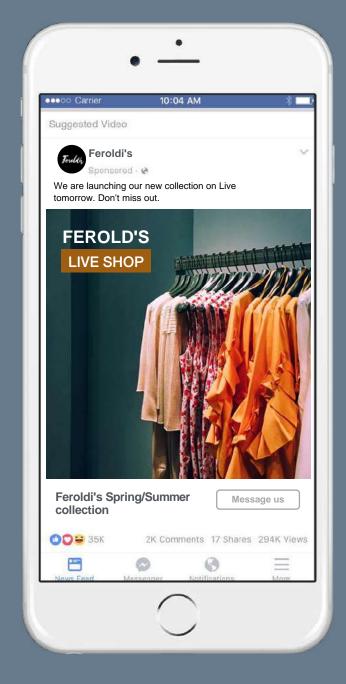
# Being there for your customers

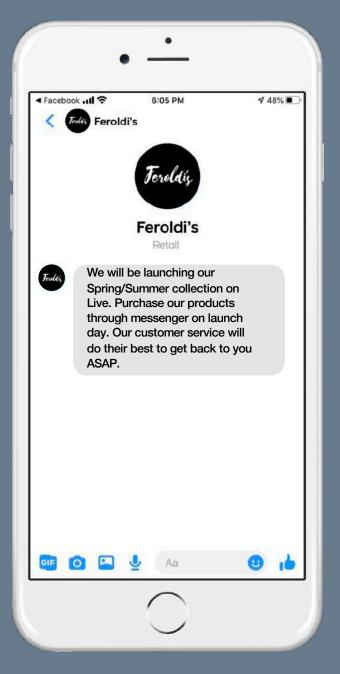
- Broken supply chain could lead to late delivery, or cancellations.
- Consider offering support and incentives through messaging services such as Messenger or WhatsApp

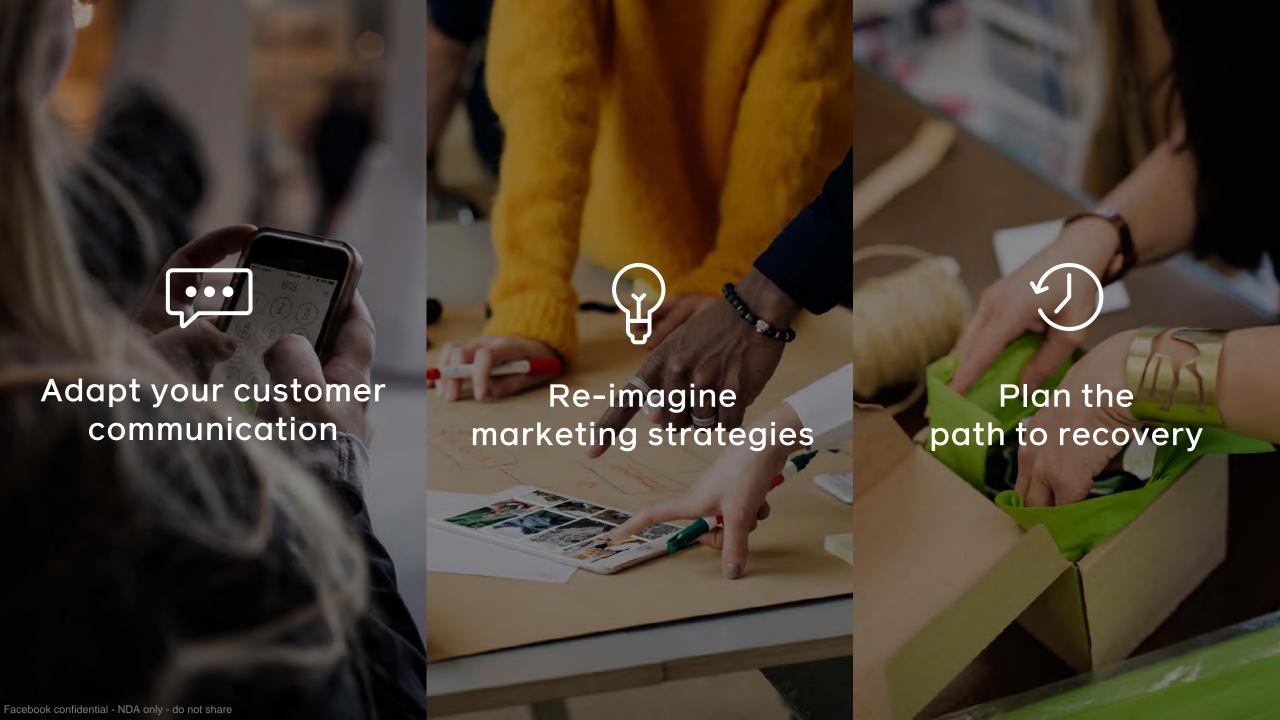
#### ACTION-

# Bring experiences to them on our platform.

- Include a pre-order strategy, or free delivery
- Consider messaging services such as Messenger or WhatsApp to connect and deliver more experiences.







## Plan the path to recovery

- Display that you care, are empathetic and there for consumers to help them with their daily lives.
- Contribute to help the society

bounce back, heal and rebuild. Prepare business operation and marketing plans for recovery path





# Cross functional efforts required for near term recovery, according to BCG



#### **MARKETING**—

Flexible, fast-response marketing investment

- Avoid removing all ads, reprioritize marketing channels during the outbreak.
- Plan "bounce-back consumer consumption" campaign in advance, quickly pick up ad spending post-outbreak



#### **BRAND**—

Adjust communication message to track consumers

- Leverage PR to demonstrate a "reliable" brand image
- Develop messaging on how brands help society heal and rebuild
- Craft product story around "home & healthy" and create new selling points
- Build on positive image and continue to win customer support



#### **VALUE CHAIN—**

Build value chain preparedness for a bounce-back

 Build-in increased demand into production planning as soon as end of outbreak is in sights

#### Poll

# What are top structural enhancement and capabilities businesses are building for Covid-19 recovery?

- 1. Digital marketing enhancement 73 respondents
- 2. Product range enhancement 26 respondents
- 3. Channel evolution 47 respondents
- 4. Value chain resilience 42 respondents

# Structural enhancements and capability building along key pillars for continuing success



# DIGITAL MARKETING ENHANCEMENT

- Enhance digital marketing capabilities for effective outreach; utilize social marketing & effective CRM to stay engaged
- Build stronger relationships with ecosystem partners for better data-sharing, joint marketing efforts, etc.



## PRODUCT & RANGE INNOVATIONS

- Closely monitor consumer trends & emergence of new demand spaces / occasions
- Roll out packaging updates catering to new needs, i.e. occasionbased stock-up bundles



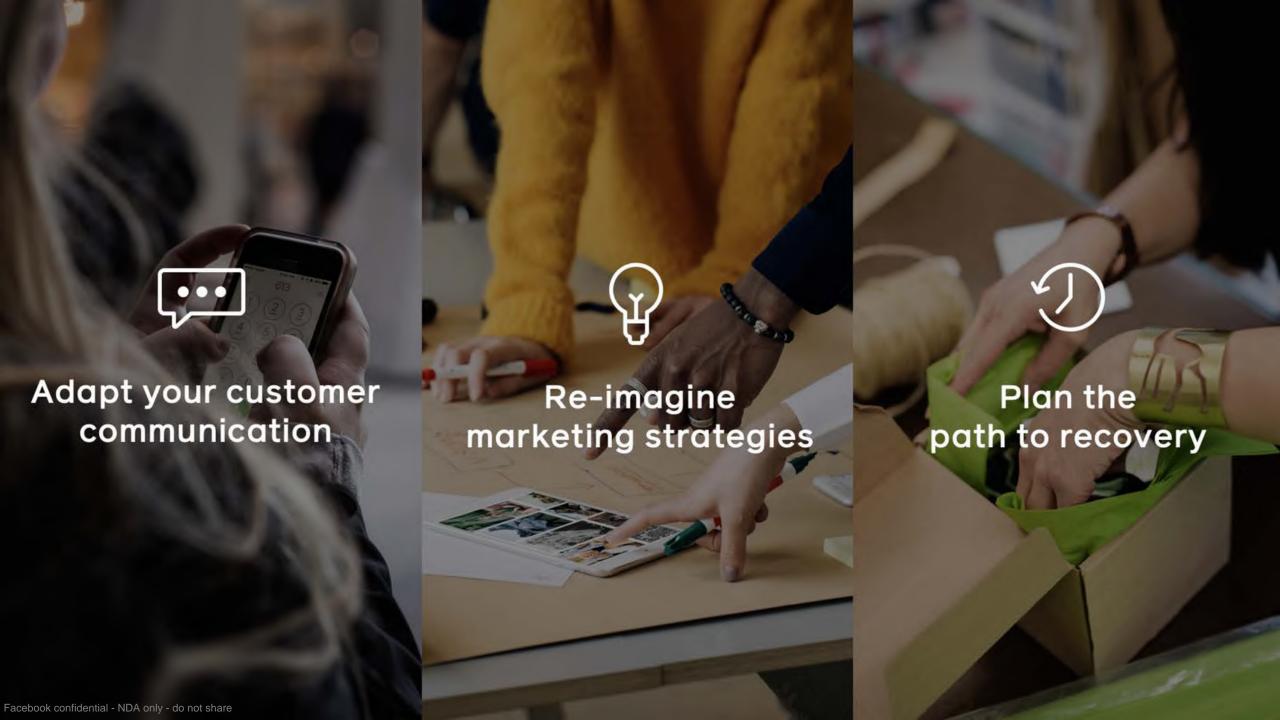
# CHANNEL EVOLUTION

- Shift resources to digital/ O2O/ eComm channel and enhance capabilities in channel operations
- Increase omni-channel touch points and improve coordination across channels; syndicate supply chain & inventory mgmt. with channel strategy



## BUILD VALUE CHAIN RESILIENCE

- Institutionalize proactive threat assessment and monitor leading indicators
- Build visibility on supply origin and diversify supply sources
- Outline contingency plans by crisis type with pre-approved response protocols



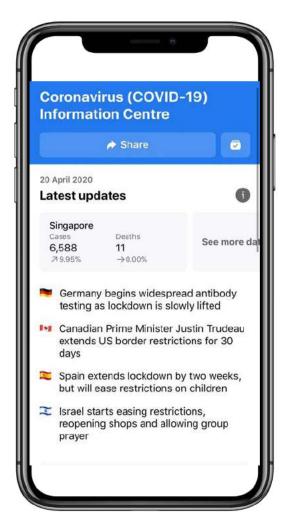
You're NOT alone in this journey!



### Resources & playbooks to support the MMA Community

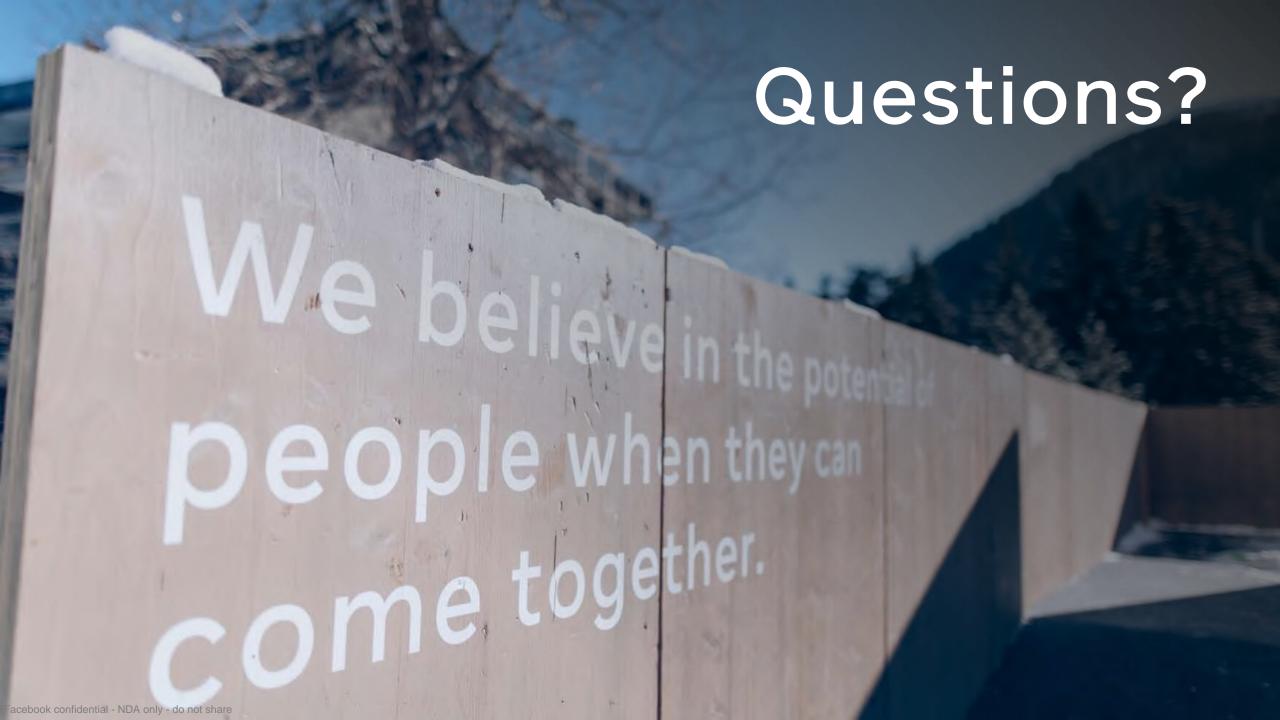








# Thank you



## Take a Seat at the Table

<u>MMA programs</u> and working groups consist of executives who discuss key issues for a specific industry segment, technology or business issue. The programs and working groups meet on an ongoing basis to develop and execute industry initiatives that reflect the needs of their initiative area and membership.

**Attribution Analysis** 

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Mobile Native Advertising



Currency Measurement



Mobile Programmatic



Internet of Things



Mobile Shopper Marketing



Location



Mobile Video



Mobile Messaging



Privacy



To join a program, contact <a href="mailto:committees@mmaglobal.com">committees@mmaglobal.com</a>.





## Participate in the Conversation

MMA Smartbrief

Mobile Smart Fundamentals

MMA LinkedIn Group

**Get Social with MMA** 



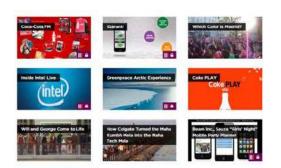






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Case Study Hub



The Mobile Marketing Playbook



**Guidance Reports and Benchmarks** 



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# Thank You!

