Weekly Digest of COVID-19 Guidelines

WHO

- (4/26) WHO Assistant Director General Mariângela Simão <u>announced</u> during a press conference that the expert committee providing vaccine recommendations to WHO will assess vaccines from Sinopharm and Sinovac. Specifically, they will have a decision in the next two weeks whether these vaccines should be listed for emergency use.
- (4/26) While immunization services start recovering from disruptions caused by the
 pandemic, Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance <u>highlighted</u> the need to bolster lifesaving routine
 childhood vaccinations, especially for measles, yellow fever, and polio. Measles
 programs account for 23 of the postponed campaigns, which affect an estimated
 140 million people.

CDC

- (4/270 Guidance for Fully Vaccinated People
 - Fully vaccinated people can go without masks outdoors, except in crowded settings
- (4/28) Pregnancy or Breastfeeding COVID-19 and vaccination
- (4/28) How CDC is Making Vaccine Recommendations
- (4/27) <u>SARS-CoV-2 Variant Classifications and Definitions</u>
- (4/27) <u>Talking about Vaccines</u> with friends and family

IDSA

 (4/14) <u>Version 4.2.0</u> has been released and contains updated recommendations on the use of COVID-19 convalescent plasma, neutralizing antibodies and remarks on remdesivir.