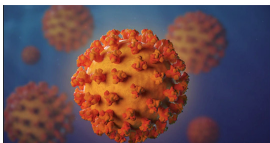


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Have you visited the Stand-Alone Solar Knowledge Hub?

ACE TAF strives to provide the stand-alone solar sector with relevant knowledge resources to inform key decision making and advancement of policy decisions within the sector. In the last quarter we have developed several key resources. Click the link below to visit the Stand-Alone Solar Knowledge hub and get access to all our existing knowledge resources.

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The third instalment of the ACE TAF Gender and Social Inclusion webinar is set for 25th June 2020 at 14:00 hrs EAT. Click the link below to register and attend the webinar.

[Register here](#)