How are we coping with life in America today?

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API staff and connections to a cohort of newsrooms, will be available at no cost for up to 2020 elections coverage based on audience needs and engagement. The analytics tool, along with coaching to an analytics program that will help publishers track and improve their elections content, will be available to newsrooms.

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KPCF’s Parenting, Unfiltered project

Last fall, KPCC/LAist gave point-and-shoot film cameras to 12 Southern California parents of young children. They were asked to film their families and share experiences; and elevate diverse community perspectives.

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