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**Schedules: White House and Congress**

**WHITE HOUSE**

- 12:50pm: President Trump departs Nevada for Arizona after spending Sunday night in Las Vegas,
- 3pm: Trump holds rally in Prescott, Arizona
- 6pm: Trump holds rally in Tucson, Arizona
- 11:15pm: Trump arrives back at White House

**CONGRESS**

- House out until mid-November; members would be called back to vote if a stimulus deal is reached
  - Speaker Nancy Pelosi set a Tuesday deadline for more progress with the White House in efforts to reach an agreement on a fiscal stimulus before the Nov. 3 election
    - Trump over the weekend renewed an offer to go beyond the dollar amounts now on the table
- Senate meets at 4:30pm; resumes consideration of Michael Newman to be U.S. District Judge for the Southern District of Ohio

**Congressional, Health Policy, and Political News**

- **Bloomberg Government: Pelosi Shifts Deadline for Stimulus**: Speaker Nancy Pelosi (D-Calif.) set a deadline of tomorrow for more progress with the White House on a fiscal stimulus deal before the Nov. 3 election, while President Donald Trump renewed his offer to go beyond the dollar amounts now on the table. While Pelosi said a pre-election deal remains possible, her team sent conflicting signals after setting a 48-hour deadline for progress on Saturday night. Her spokesman, Drew Hammill, later said the timing of the deadline meant by the end of Tuesday, not Monday. At issue is wording “on the design on some of these things” that remain unresolved in the bill, Pelosi said on ABC’s “This Week.”

- **CIDRAP: US Emergency Sick Leave Act Tied To Reduced COVID-19 Cases**: The emergency sick leave provision of the Mar 18 bipartisan Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA) appears to have reduced the spread of the virus. A Health Affairs study yesterday found that states where workers could get up to 2 weeks of paid sick leave showed 417 fewer confirmed cases per day, or an average of 1 prevented case per day per 1,300 workers. The lack of universal access to paid sick leave in the United States makes it an outlier among nations in Europe and the Americas. Twenty-seven percent of all US workers and more than half of food and accommodation industry workers are ineligible for paid sick leave. The emergency sick leave provision of the FFCRA is
estimated to provide paid sick leave benefits to roughly half of the US workforce.

- **The New York Times: Some Signs Of Recovery From Severe Covid Lung Damage:**
  Lingering shortness of breath and diminished stamina have dogged many Covid patients whose lungs were viciously attacked by the coronavirus. Early in the pandemic, doctors worried that Covid might cause irreversible damage leading to lung fibrosis — progressive scarring in which lung tissue continues to die even after the infection is gone.
  ... While global or nationwide statistics on post-Covid lung recovery are not yet available, hospitals and clinics are assessing their cases.