# COVID-19 Email Strategies For MFH





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## State of the MFH Market

# Email Trends During COVID-19

## **Creating Effective Emails**





# Part 1 State of the MFH Market

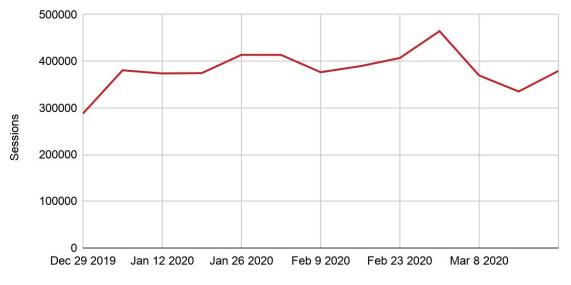






## **MFH Sessions Over Time**

Website Sessions vs. Date (Dec 29 - Mar 29)



Date



## 3-Week Over 3-Week Change



# Organic Traffic **23.8%**

Paid Traffic **2.1%** 

Average Change: March 9-29 vs. February 17 - March 8

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## Week Over Week Change



# Organic Traffic 9.7%

Paid Traffic **12.9%** 

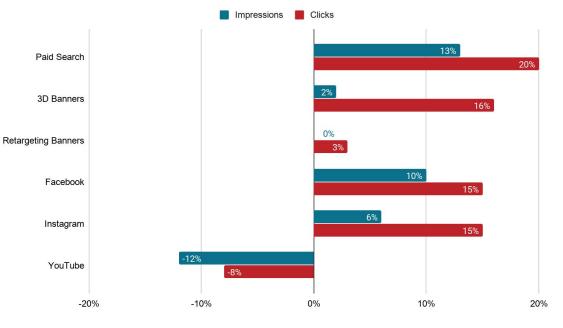
Average Change: March 23-29 vs. March 16-22

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# **Marketing Performance**

Impression and Click Changes (March 23-29 vs. March 16-22)



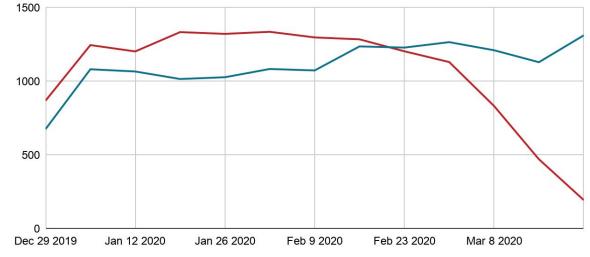
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## **TCC Leads vs Store Visits**

Store Visits and TCC Leads

Store Visits
TCC Leads



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## **TCC & Live Chat Lead Increase**



# Total TCC Leads

Live Chat Leads 34%

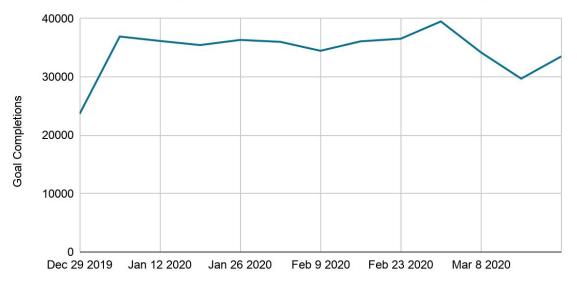
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# **Goal Completions Over Time**





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# Part 2 Email Trends During COVID-19







# **Importance of Email**



### **Capture Their Attention**

Email allows you to capture a lead's full attention and and provides you with complete control over the message you deliver.

#### **Direct Link to Hot Leads**

Email prospects are the hottest leads you have. Craft the imagery, messaging, and conversion tools in your email to generate leases!

Follow up with prospects who engage with your email!





# **Email Performance**

#### **Open Rate**

Apartment seekers opened **31.3%** of all emails that Conversion Logix sent

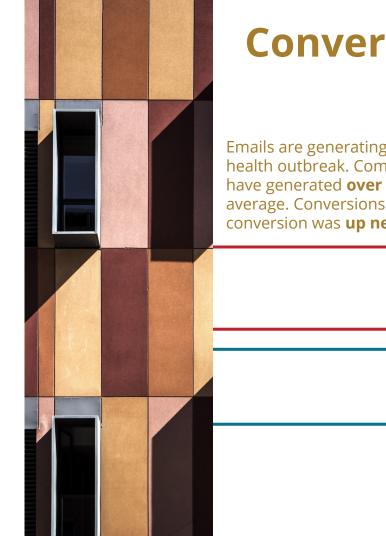
#### **Click Rate**

**15.5%** of prospects who opened an email went on to visit the community website

#### **Industry Benchmarks**

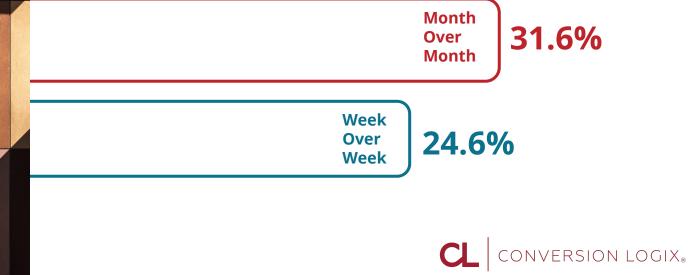
The Real Estate industry has an average open rate of **19.2%** and click rate of **9.2%** 





# **Conversion Rate Increase**

Emails are generating more and more leads during the health outbreak. Compared to the previous month, emails have generated **over 30% more goal completions** on average. Conversions are still climbing. Last weeks email conversion was **up nearly 25% over the previous week**.

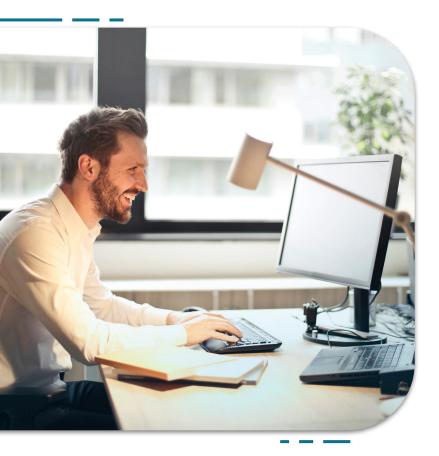


# Part 3 COVID-19 Email Success Stories!





## **3 Success Stories. Infinite Insights!**



## 1. 1,500 Opens

**Subject Line:** [First Name], the next five to lease virtually will receive our special offer! **Send Time:** 3:30 PM

## 2. Flexible Move-Ins

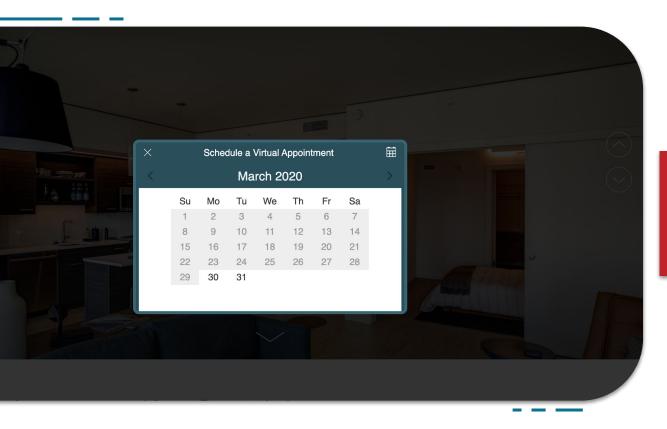
Subject Line: [First Name], Spring has sprung, live 6 weeks free at [community name]! Send Time: 12:00 PM

## 3. Built for Virtual Tours

Subject Line: [First Name], Schedule a Virtual Tour Today! Send Time: 10:00 AM



## **Linking to Conversion Tools**



## Deep Link for Easy Conversions





## **Performance Recap**



#### **Client Email #1**

**Open Rate:** 44.2% **Click Rate:** 7.2%

#### Client Email #2

**Open Rate:** 32.6% **Click Rate:** 8.8%



#### **Client Email #3**

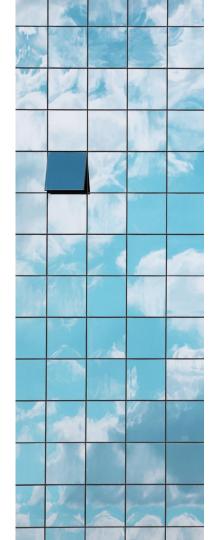
**Open Rate:** 30.5% **Click Rate:** 19.9%



# Part 4 Email Best Practices







# Who to Send To



### **Prospects from the Past 3 to 12 Months**

Why so long? The apartment search process takes months to complete which means a months-old prospect can still be a hot lead.

#### Dormant Leads. Leads Looking to Renew.

Extending your list back to 12 months can re-engage dormant leads and recapture last year's prospects who are now looking to renew!



## When to Send



## **Every Two Weeks**

Consistently remind prospects to take next steps at your community

## Late Morning to Early Evening

Best send times: 9 am, 11 am, 3 pm

## **Our Open-Rate Performance**

**Our Avg:** 33.96%

Real Estate Average: 19.2%





# How to Send: Subject Lines



#### **First Name Customization**

Personally addressing leads who have already engaged increases email open rates.

### Concessions

Intrigue leads from the very beginning.

#### Schedule a Virtual Tour

Ensure prospects know they can still take next steps.

### **Limited Availability**

Spur apartments seekers to action before it is too late.





# How to Send: Create and Track



#### **Tell Your Story**

Use high quality images, videos, and graphics to show off your community's unique lifestyle.

Make the most out of the header design.

Communities that tell a story with email design can drive higher engagement.

#### Link to Tools on Your Website

Drive conversions by providing prospects with useful tools and information when they click through to your website.

#### **Track Your Email Results**

Uncover how many leads and leases your emails generate.

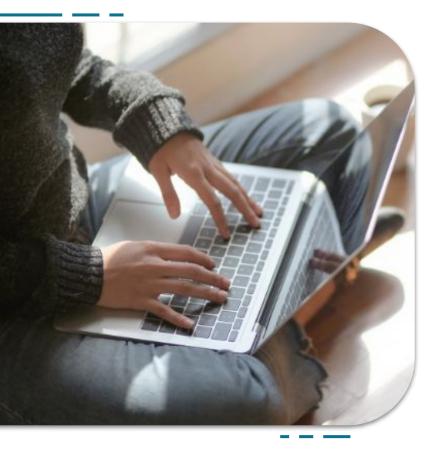








## **Next Week: COVID-19 Conversion & Attribution**



## **MFH Marketing Update**

The latest trends in MFH marketing and how your community is affected.

Using Data Attribution To Deliver True ROI: Bringing Clarity to your Digital Strategies



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