

General questions

- 1. What problems can you identify in this story? Are solutions presented?
- 2. In what way might this story be relevant in your community?

Further exploration

- 1. Since this story aired, the COVID-19 pandemic has swept the globe. Should more resources be devoted to pandemic detection, tracking and prevention in the future?
- 2. The application of smartphone technology made PODD's task much easier. Can you think of any similar uses for similar technology in rural areas?
- 3. The developer of the reporting app said he hopes it will help democratize "the power of response and disease management back to the community." How could it do that and why is that important?