Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Federal Resources

For important updates and statistics on what is happening nationally, you may visit the following:

- CDC: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/
- USA.GOV: https://www.usa.gov/coronavirus
- White House: www.whitehouse.gov
- Food and Drug Administration: https://www.fda.gov/emergency-preparedness-and-response/mcm-issues/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19

State Resources

For updates on what is happening in New York, you may visit the following:

- State Department of Health: https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/home
- State Department of Education: http://www.p12.nysed.gov/sss/schoolhealth/schoolhealthservices/coronavirus.html
- Governor: https://www.governor.ny.gov/

Overview

According to the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), a new Coronavirus (2019 Novel Coronavirus or COVID-19) was first detected in China and is now spreading across the world, including New York State. This document is intended to provide the latest information that is available from _**government sources only**_ in order to allow you to answer questions related to the latest developments regarding COVID-19.

For more information call the New York State Coronavirus Hotline at 1-888-364-3065.

Local Impact

Everyone is encouraged to stay in regular contact with State and local officials for the most up-to-date protocols and announcements on Coronavirus.

Telehealth Services

Telehealth services may be beneficial to individuals experiencing Coronavirus symptoms and are unsure what to do. Individuals are advised to check with their health insurance providers to see if telehealth services are available. Utilizing telehealth services can reduce ER visits and allow individuals to access the advice of health care professionals from the safety of their own home.

CDC Important Information (Click on Title)

How it Spreads

Symptoms

Steps to Prevent Illness

What to Do if You are Sick

Frequently Asked Questions

Number of Nationwide Cases

LATEST POSITIVE CASES IN NEW YORK STATE
(DATA AS OF JUNE 17, 2020)

Locality	Positive Cases	Locality	Positive Cases
Albany County	2,034	Niagara County	1,183
Allegany County	57	Oneida County	1,332
Bronx County	46,830	Onondaga County	2,615
Broome County	657	Ontario County	235
Cattaraugus County	109	Orange County	10,604
Cayuga County	106	Orleans County	271
Chautauqua County	110	Oswego County	144
Chemung County	138	Otsego County	82
Chenango County	139	Putnam County	1,295
Clinton County	99	Queens County	64,268
Columbia County	443	Rensselaer County	515
Cortland County	44	Richmond County	13,900
Delaware County	89	Rockland County	13,474
Dutchess County	4,088	Saratoga County	526
Erie County	6,920	Schenectady County	738
Essex County	40	Schoharie County	55
Franklin County	26	Schuyler County	12
Fulton County	236	Seneca County	64
Genesee County	217	St. Lawrence County	215
Greene County	252	Steuben County	257
Hamilton County	6	Suffolk County	40,810
Herkimer County	128	Sullivan County	1,434
Jefferson County	82	Tioga County	140
Kings County	58,502	Tompkins County	173
Lewis County	21	Ulster County	1,746
Livingston County	123	Warren County	258
Madison County	341	Washington County	243
Manhattan	27,760	Wayne County	139
Monroe County	3,439	Westchester County	34,409
Montgomery County	105	Wyoming County	93
Nassau County	41,349	Yates County	40

TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES STATEWIDE: 385,760

SOURCE: NYS DOH

State News Updates

June 18, 2020

- **Governor Cuomo held a press conference at 11:30 AM and announced the following:**
  - Total hospitalizations at 1.358 on June 17.
  - Total deaths increased by 29 on June 17.
  - Total percent of tests with positive results on Tuesday was 0.90%, (618 positive tests out of 68,541 total tests).
  - Reopening:
    - Central New York saw an increase in positive percentage of tests, and it was traced to a cluster of cases at an Apple manufacturing plant in Oswego.
    - New York City is ready to move to Phase Two on Monday.
      - Final decision will be made tomorrow, but Phase Two businesses should plan on reopening.
    - Compliance and enforcement demands increase with phases.
      - Today, the Governor will strengthen the State enforcement to allow violations of reopening rules and guidelines to result in immediate loss of liquor license and a shut-down order for businesses.
      - Also, will give bars the responsibility immediately outside of their locations to expand the enforcement areas of the State Liquor Authority (SLA).
      - Local governments must do their part to enforce the guidelines as well.
    - New York State is issuing guidance to colleges and universities to allow some residential and face-to-face programming for the Fall Semester.
      - Campuses must develop a plan, which attests to meeting the guidance, and file plans with the State.

College Guidance: Examples of Key Considerations			
Reopening Plans	**Monitoring Plans**	**Containment Plans**	**Shutdown Plans**
Capacity to maintain social distancing	Determine testing frequency	Identify how to isolate positive cases and quarantine contacts	Identify operations that will be reduced or shutdown in case of significant outbreak
PPE supply	Define early warning metrics	Determine plan to disinfect exposed areas	Determine plan for students to safely depart campus
Screening of arriving students & staff	Work with State and local health departments on contact tracing	Develop plan to communicate protocols	Develop plan to communicate shutdown process
Protecting vulnerable populations			
Hygiene, cleaning, disinfecting			

State News Updates

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- **Percentage Positive Test Results by Region**

Test Results on June 17	# of Tests	Positive	% Positive
Capital Region	2,912	11	0.4%
Central New York	2,248	67	3.0%
Finger Lakes	2,718	26	1.0%
Long Island	10,530	69	0.7%
Mid-Hudson	7,881	51	0.6%
Mohawk Valley	1,954	26	1.3%
New York City	32,584	319	1.0%
North Country	1,227	1	0.1%
Southern Tier	1,942	0	0.0%
Western New York	4,545	48	1.1%