

# Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Latest Updates  
June 8, 2020

## 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](http://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 7, 2020)

<b>Locality</b>	<b>Positive Cases</b>	<b>Locality</b>	<b>Positive Cases</b>
Albany County	1,978	Niagara County	1,226
Allegany County	51	Oneida County	1,170
Bronx County	46,052	Onondaga County	2,408
Broome County	624	Ontario County	221
Cattaraugus County	95	Orange County	10,523
Cayuga County	101	Orleans County	256
Chautauqua County	101	Oswego County	115
Chemung County	137	Otsego County	75
Chenango County	135	Putnam County	1,279
Clinton County	97	Queens County	63,097
Columbia County	414	Rensselaer County	503
Cortland County	42	Richmond County	13,727
Delaware County	85	Rockland County	13,340
Dutchess County	4,006	Saratoga County	504
Erie County	6,531	Schenectady County	712
Essex County	39	Schoharie County	54
Franklin County	23	Schuyler County	12
Fulton County	227	Seneca County	61
Genesee County	208	St. Lawrence County	209
Greene County	247	Steuben County	251
Hamilton County	5	Suffolk County	40,377
Herkimer County	124	Sullivan County	1,417
Jefferson County	78	Tioga County	134
Kings County	57,260	Tompkins County	171
Lewis County	20	Ulster County	1,721
Livingston County	121	Warren County	257
Madison County	327	Washington County	240
Manhattan	27,217	Wayne County	125
Monroe County	3,203	Westchester County	34,000
Montgomery County	100	Wyoming County	90
Nassau County	40,947	Yates County	39

**TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES STATEWIDE: 378,799**

SOURCE: [NYS DOH](#)

## State News Updates

June 8, 2020

- **Governor Cuomo held a press conference at 11:30 AM and announced the following:**
  - [Total hospitalizations at 2,371 on June 7.](#)
  - Total deaths increased by 40 on June 7.
  - New York City begins Phase One today.
    - Will perform 35,000 tests per day in New York City to closely monitor the reopening.
    - There are 15 testing sites available for protestors.
    - New York City is now eligible for elective surgery and ambulatory care.
    - MTA is launching the “It’s Up to Us, New York” campaign to remind New Yorkers to do their part to stop the spread.
    - [Reduced MTA ridership provides an opportunity to accelerate \\$2 billion in construction.](#)
      - Launching the rehabilitation of the F Train’s Rutgers Tube in July.
      - Also accelerating 11 ADA stations, including adding 24 new elevators.
      - Rehabilitation of the 138<sup>th</sup> Street Grand Concourse Station will be completed one month early (October 2020).
      - Accelerating repairs of steel and concrete defects and leaks within the 2/3, 4/5 Trains Eastern Parkway Line in Brooklyn.
        - Work will increase up to 25 percent during the overnight closure, shaving 10 months off the project.
  - Mid-Hudson is on track to enter Phase Two tomorrow, Long Island on Wednesday.
  - [The Governor signed legislating authorizing local governments to extend the deadline for filing property tax abatements to July 15.](#)
- **Governor Cuomo issued Executive Order 202.39. Highlights include:**
  - Extending the deadline for absentee ballots to be canvassed for elections held on June 9 until June 16.
  - Waiving the requirement for school districts to perform Annual Professional Performance Reviews (APPR) for teachers and principals for the 2019-20 School Year.
  - Allowing school boards or trustees to appoint on tenure (or extend the determination for one year) teachers and principals if recommended by the superintendent and in the final year of the probationary period although not receiving the necessary effectiveness rating under the 2019-20 APPR review.
  - Applying local government non-essential workforce restrictions only to local governments that have not met the metrics to be eligible for Phase Two reopening, provided such local governments in Phase Two regions may bring back non-essential employees beginning two weeks after such region meets the metrics to reopen Phase Two.
- **Governor Cuomo issued Executive Order 202.38. Highlights include:**
  - Allowing commercial building owners, retail store owners, and those authorized on their behalf to manage public places within their buildings and businesses to require individuals to undergo temperature checks prior to entering.
  - Allowing restaurants or bars to serve patrons food or beverages on-premises in outdoor space.
    - Allowing such restaurants or bars to expand the premises using contiguous public space (subject to reasonable approval of the local municipality) or contiguous private space under the control of the restaurant or bar in order to facilitate compliance with social distancing requirements.
  - Permitting gatherings at houses of worship at no greater than 25% of the indoor capacity in Phase 2 regions.

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- [Governor Cuomo issued Executive Order 202.37 to allow special education services and instruction to be provided in person for the summer term in school districts](#)
- [Regional Status as of June 7](#)

	14-Day decline in hospitalizations OR under 15 new hospitalizations	14-Day decline in hospital deaths OR fewer than 5 deaths	New hospitalizations under 2 per 100,000	Share of total beds available	Share of ICU beds available	30 per 1,000 residents tested monthly	At least 30 contact tracers per 100,000 residents	Metrics Met
Capital Region	Y	Y	0.15	37%	41%	Y	Y	7/7
Central NY	Y	Y	0.64	43%	50%	Y	Y	7/7
Finger Lakes	Y	Y	0.75	38%	51%	Y	Y	7/7
Long Island	Y	Y	0.70	33%	43%	Y	Y	7/7
Mid-Hudson	Y	Y	0.82	37%	62%	Y	Y	7/7
Mohawk Valley	Y	Y	0.48	49%	55%	Y	Y	7/7
NYC	Y	Y	1.03	31%	34%	Y	Y	7/7
North Country	Y	Y	0.16	52%	71%	Y	Y	7/7
Southern Tier	Y	Y	0.32	51%	54%	Y	Y	7/7
Western NY	Y	Y	0.41	42%	57%	Y	Y	7/7