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## Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)

Governor Carney declared a State of Emergency starting on March 13, 2020 and updated it on March 16, 18, 20, and 22. On March 22, the Governor ordered non-essential businesses to close at 8:00a.m. on Tuesday, March 24.

Contact your primary health care provider if you have concerns about symptoms, particularly those with fever and coughing or shortness of breath.

Individuals with general questions about coronavirus can call DPH at [1-866-408-1899](tel:1-866-408-1899) or email us at [DPHCall@delaware.gov](mailto:DPHCall@delaware.gov). Individuals with hearing impairment can call [7-1-1](tel:7-1-1).

# CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)



DELAWARE HEALTH  
AND SOCIAL SERVICES  
Division of Public Health

## Questions about coronavirus in DE?

**DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
CALL CENTER**

 **1-866-408-1899**

 **DPHcall@delaware.gov**

### Hours of Operation

**M-F 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.**

**Sat.-Sun 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

The call center is open to take questions from the public, schools, medical providers, and community organizations.

People with hearing impairments can dial 7-1-1

For the latest Delaware updates:  
**[de.gov/coronavirus](https://de.gov/coronavirus)**

Updated 3/13/20



## WHAT YOU CAN DO

Take steps to avoid spreading germs from any respiratory diseases by:

Wash your hands and use hand sanitizer.

Don't touch your face.

Cover your cough with a tissue or your elbow.

Stay home if you are sick.

Get your flu shot.

[FAQ's.](#)

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## TESTING

To be tested, a referral from your provider is required.

Symptoms include: fever AND cough OR difficulty breathing.

Contact your primary care provider if you have one. Those without a health care provider should call the DPH Call Center at [1-866-408-1899](tel:1-866-408-1899).

[Learn more](#)



## COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Whether you're looking for help or to help, find more information about grocery stores, crisis services, food assistance, volunteering, student meal programs, donating, unemployment benefits, and more.

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Businesses

Schools

Health Care

Child Care

## Vulnerable Populations

### OTHER INFORMATION

#### Health Alert Notifications (HAN)

- [View Delaware Health Alert Notifications for 2020.](#)

#### Downloadable/Printable Materials

Find information in multiple languages, including English, Spanish, Haitian Creole, and Mandarin.

- Coronavirus Returning Traveler Guidance  
Download: [English](#) [Spanish](#) [Haitian Creole](#) [Mandarin](#)
- [Simplified Chinese Translation \(Preventing the Spread to Homes and Communities\)](#)
- Information About Coronavirus Disease 2019 (Risk, Prevention, etc.)  
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- [Information About Self- Monitoring](#)

### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

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What is DPH doing?

How does it spread?

Who is at risk?

What are the symptoms?

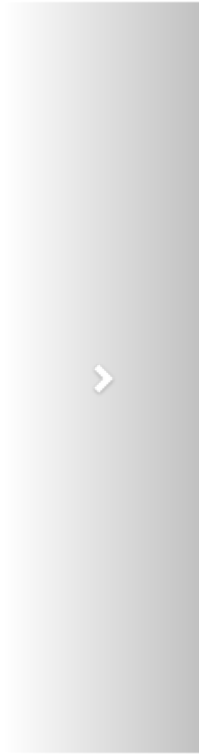
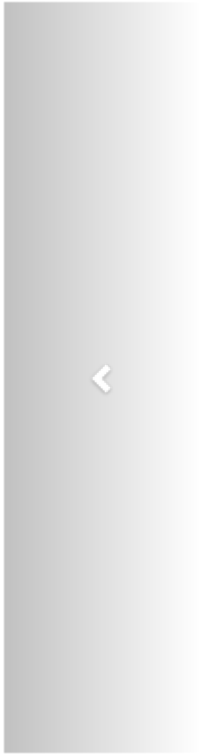
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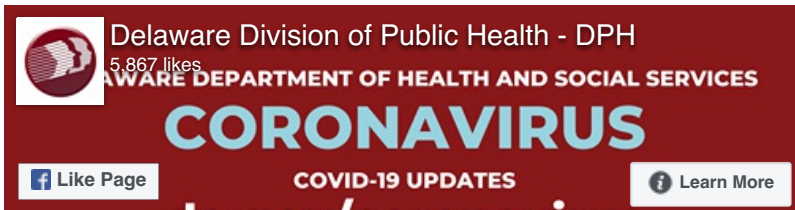
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**Live Discussion from Delaware's State Health Operations Center**

with  
**Dr. Karyl Rattay**  
*Director of the Delaware Division of Public Health*  
**Dr. Lynn Morrison**  
*President and CEO, Brandywine Counseling and Community Services*

**Update on COVID-19 & Mental Health: Dealing with the stress on individuals, families and relationships**

**Post your questions**

## Press Releases

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March 24, 2020 [Governor Carney Shares Frequently Asked Questions on Essential Businesses](#) All Non-essential businesses ordered closed at 8 a.m. Tuesday WILMINGTON, Del. - Governor John Carney on Tuesday provided additional guidance from the State to help employers better understand the fourth and fifth modifications to his State of Emergency declaration, which ordered Delawareans to stay at home whenever possible and closed all non-essential businesses in Delaware to help [...]

March 24, 2020 [COVID-19 Update for March 24, 2020: DPH Announces 17 Additional Positive Cases](#) The Delaware Division of Public Health (DPH) is providing an update on the number of positive cases of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) reported in the state. There have been 104 total laboratory-confirmed cases in the state since March 11, 2020.

March 24, 2020 [DNREC Updates: Ommelanden shooting range by appointment only; Brandywine Zoo, Go Ape course to remain closed](#) DNREC announced the following changes to Ommelanden shooting range, the Brandywine Zoo, and Go Ape course as a result of COVID-19 issues.

March 24, 2020 [Get Outside, But Protect Yourself](#) With entrance fees to Delaware State Parks and state wildlife areas currently waived, Delawareans are getting outside to stay active and healthy.

## Read more

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## Resources for Coronavirus COVID-19

Printable materials, graphics for social media, and mp4 files for sharing



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## DO NOT TOUCH YOUR FACE

Do not touch your face,  
eyes, nose, or mouth with  
unwashed hands.



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## STAY HOME WHEN YOU ARE SICK

Be safe. If you feel sick, stay home.



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## PREVENT THE FLU, GET VACCINATED

Be sure to receive your flu vaccine as soon as possible.



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## WASH YOUR HANDS FREQUENTLY

Be sure to wash your hands, including the backs and under your nails, for 20 seconds. Or use alcohol-based hand sanitizer.



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