



## ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES



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##### Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

- [ADHS BEMSTS Interim Guidance on COVID-19 for EMS March 20, 2020 bulletin](#)
- [COVID-19 En Español](#)
- The Arizona Poison Control System is available to answer questions about COVID-19 from Arizona providers (for testing and patient guidance) and the general public (for testing, isolation, and quarantine guidance) at 1-844-542-8201
- The President's Coronavirus Guidelines for America -- 15 Days to Slow the Spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19) is available at [Whitehouse.gov](#)
- Governor Ducey's [Executive Order](#) released March 19, 2020.

##### Updated Recommendations - 3/20/2020

- Effective close of business Friday, March 20, all restaurants in Arizona counties with confirmed COVID-19 cases are required to provide dine-out options only.
- Effective close of business Friday, March 20, all bars, movie theaters, and gyms in counties with confirmed COVID-19 cases are required to close.
- Halt all elective surgeries in the state of Arizona.
- If someone in your family has tested positive for COVID-19, keep the entire household at home and contact your medical provider.
- Expiration dates on Arizona driver licenses are delayed.
- State-wide closures of Arizona schools through Friday, April 10, 2020.
  - When school resumes, school administrators should develop and implement precautions to ensure schools are a safe learning environment, including social distancing measures, regular intervals for administrators to wash and sanitize their hands, and guidance on how to properly and frequently sanitize equipment and common surfaces.
- Recommendations to cancel or postpone mass gatherings of 10 or more people.
- Recommend telework and other alternatives when available.

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## Coronavirus Disease 2019

There is an ongoing outbreak of respiratory illness that originated in Wuhan, China caused by a new type of coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2). There are a number of cases globally including the United States. On February 26th, the CDC confirmed a possible instance of community spread in the [United States](#).

Coronaviruses are a large family of viruses, some causing respiratory illness in people. Signs and symptoms, similar to the common cold or the flu, include a runny nose, cough, sore throat, fever, and general feeling of being unwell.

For the most up-to-date information on the outbreak, please visit the CDC's [COVID-19 website](#).

**If you traveled to China or other areas currently affected by COVID-19 and feel sick with fever, cough, or difficulty breathing, you should:**

- Avoid contact with others.
- Do not travel while sick.
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when coughing or sneezing.
- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or using an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol immediately after coughing, sneezing or blowing your nose.
- If you need to seek medical care, before going to your doctor's office, call ahead and tell them about your recent travel and your symptoms.
- Discuss travel to China with your healthcare provider. Older adults and travelers with chronic medical conditions may be at risk for more severe disease.



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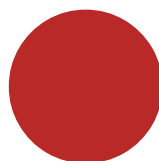
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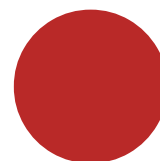
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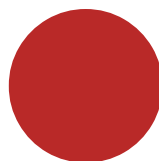
Local Health Resources



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Workplace & Community Locations



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**AZ Governor and ADHS News Conference - March 11, 2020**

**AZ Governor and ADHS News Conference - March 9, 2020**

**AZ Governor and ADHS News Conference - March 2, 2020**

## News Releases

- [Arizona Public Health Officials Confirm Second Death Due to COVID-19, March 22, 2020](#)
- [Arizona Public Health Officials Confirm First Death Due to COVID-19, March 20, 2020](#)
- [Arizona to Receive More than \\$12 Million in Federal Funding to Support COVID-19 Response, March 12, 2020](#)
- [Public Health Confirms Previously Identified Case of COVID-19 is Member of Arizona School Community, March 8, 2020](#)
- [Public Health Confirms Two Additional Presumptive Positive Cases of COVID-19 in Pinal County, March 7, 2020](#)
- [Public Health Confirms an Additional Presumptive Positive Case of COVID-19 in Arizona, March 6, 2020](#)
- [Arizona to Receive \\$500,000 in Federal Funding to Support COVID-19 Response, March 4, 2020](#)
- [Arizona State Public Health Laboratory Confirms One Presumptive Positive Case of COVID-19 in Maricopa County, March 3, 2020](#)
- [Public Health Agencies Confirm 2019 Novel Coronavirus Case in Arizona, January 26, 2020](#)

## Partner News Releases

- [First Positive Presumptive Case in Yavapai County, March 20, 2020](#)
- [Navajo County: Governor Ducey issues executive order with updated requirements for restaurants, bars, and other businesses, March 20, 2020](#)
- [Graham County PSA regarding Governor Ducey's Executive Order March 20, 2020](#)
- [Cochise County Board of Supervisors prioritizes public health and safety in response to COVID-19 emergency](#)
- [Public Health Confirms Two Further Positive Cases of COVID-19 in Pinal County Arizona Telemedicine Program Rapidly Responds to Coronavirus Pandemic, March 18, 2020](#)
- [Presumptive positive case of COVID-19 reported in Coconino County, March 18, 2020](#)
- [Public Health Confirms Three New Positive Cases of COVID-19 in Pinal County, March 18, 2020](#)
- [Maricopa County Chairman Signs Emergency Declaration, March 18, 2020](#)

## Select News Coverage

- [KTAR.com: Ducey says Arizona taking coronavirus scare 'very seriously'](#)

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