#### ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH



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# COVID-19

- ALERT: For Rules Suspended Due to COVID-19 Public Health Emergency Under EO20-06
- ALERT: Advisory For Travelers from New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, New Orleans and International Locations
- ALERT: Learn More About Chloroquine Warning. Click here for more information.
- For COVID-19 information for the state of Arkansas, clickhere.
- To View the Governor's Daily Press Briefings, clickhere.



#### Please take steps to protect yourself. The ADH recommends:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Use hand sanitizer when soap and water are not available.
- Practice social distancing. Avoid close contact with others, especially those who are sick, by keeping at least 6 feet between you and
  others.
- Avoid going out except to get medical care. If you think you have been exposed to COVID-19 and develop a fever, cough, or shortness
  of breath, call your health care provider. Your physician will decide if testing is necessary based on your symptoms and known
  exposures
- Wear a cloth mask when in public and unable to maintain a 6-foot distance from others. Click <u>here</u> to read the CDC's recommendations. The ADH offers <u>this do-it-yourself cloth mask design</u>.

#### Arkansas Department of Health Directives & Orders

Regarding NAAT COVID-19 tests (4.17.20) | Emergency Responders (4.17.20) |

Business Limitations (4.5.20) | Elective Procedures (4.3.20) | Limitations on Gathering (3.26.20) |

Public Settings (3.20.20) | Casinos (3.16.20) | Casinos Extension (3.30.20) | Dentists (3.19.20) |

EMS License Extension (3.16.20) | Long-Term Care Facilities (3.13.20) |

Barbers, Body Art, Cosmetology, Massage Therapy, and Medical Spas (3.23.20)

Prohibition of the Use of Non-FDA Approved Serologic Tests (4.15.20)

Summer Camps (4.17.20)

#### **Arkansas Department of Health Guidance**

PUBLIC: About Hydroxychloroquine | For Disinfectants & Hand Hygiene | For High Risk Individuals |

For Mass Gatherings | For Mosquito & Tick Transmission | For Pregnant Women |

For Self Home Quarantine | For Travelers | For Voters | Do Homemade Masks Help Protect the Public? |

For Disposal of Gloves and Wipes for the Public | For Getting Tested | For People with Disabilities |

For How to Improve Mental Health

**COMMUNITY**: For Faith-based Organizations | For Homeless Shelters and Services

CHILD SERVICES: For Child Care | For Educators | For Emergency Food Service and Delivery

BOARDS: For Acupuncture Board | For Dietetics Board | For Hearing Instrument Dispensers Board |

For Board Counseling, Marriage, and Family Therapy | For Social Workers | For Psychology Board |

For Athletic Training Board | For Podiatric Board | For Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Board |

For Physical Therapy Board

BUSINESS: For Employers | For Cashiers | For Coroners | For Farmers' Market Guidelines |

For Funeral Homes | For Livestock Auction | For Pest Management | For Correctional Facilities |

For Business/Industry Facilities | For Employers on COVID-19 Positive Workers-Return to Work |

For Migrant Farm Workers | For Cigar, Hookah, & Vaping Lounges | For Retail Stores |

For Gyms-Outdoor Activities |

HEALTH CARE: For Healthcare Providers | For Certifying COVID-19 Deaths | For Chiropractors | For Dentists |

For EMS 1 | For EMS 2 | For Healthcare Workers Exposed-Return to Work | For Hospitals |

For Pharmacies | For Orthotists, Prosthetists, and Pedorthists | For Optometry Board | For COVID-19 Collection |

For Healthcare Workers Using Their Own PPE | Obstetrical Care and COVID-19 | Case Definition COVID-19 |

For Patients in Home Isolation | New Testing Criteria

Click here for more resources.

Updated as of 4/22/2020, 7:18 a.m.

\*these data are updated once a day

Confirmed Cases of COVID-19 in Arkansas	2,262
Arkansas Department of Health Lab positive test results	408
Commercial Lab positive test results	1161

#### Click the Status Update Button Below for More Detailed Information

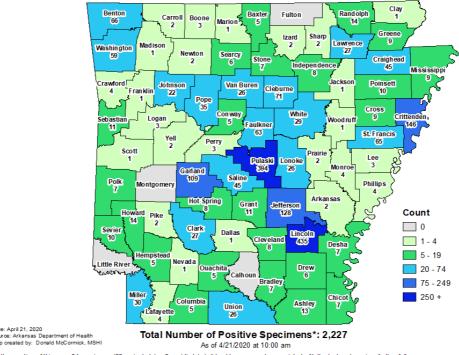
\*These data that are shown upon clicking the Status Update Button below are updated three times a day:

Once in the morning, once in the afternoon, and once in the evening

# ADH COVID-19 Status Updates

Updated as of 4/22/2020, 7:16 a.m.  *these data are updated once a day		
Currently on Ventilator	27	
Total Nursing Home Residents	128	
Gender	Male = 57.5% Female = 42.4%	
Age	0-17: 70 18-24: 162 25-44: 788 45-64: 788 65+: 412	
Race	Black: 628 White: 1,157 American Indian: 5 Asian: 25 Pacific Islander: 8 Multiracial: 9 Other: 66 Missing: 329	

### **Number of Positive COVID-19 Specimens**



\*At the creation of this map, 94 specimens (92 - private labs, 2 - public labs) did not have a county associated with the test and requires further follow-up

- For Projected vs. Actual COVID-19 Infections in Arkansas, click here.
- For COVID-19 hospitalizations, click <u>here</u>.
- For number of deaths by county, click here.
- For more demographic data, click here.
- For more COVID-19 data, click <u>here</u>.

ADH has activated a call center to answer questions from health care providers and the public about the novel coronavirus. During normal business hours (8:00am – 4:30pm), urgent and non-urgent calls, please call 1-800-803-7847 or <a href="mailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:emailto:

Click <u>here</u> for a list of Local Health Units that are partially or fully closed. All other health units not listed are fully open. The list is subject to change on a day to day basis.

#### **DISEASES & CONDITIONS**

## COVID-19 ▼

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Certificates & Records



Licensing, Permits & Plan Reviews



**Public Health Safety** 



Community, Family & Child Health



Data, Statistics & Registries



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