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# COVID-19



- ALERT: Everyone Should Be Wearing Face Coverings in Public.
- 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, click here.
- To view the Governor's daily press briefings, click here.

# 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 <a href="here">here</a> to read the CDC's recommendations. The ADH offers <a href="this do-it-yourself cloth mask design">this do-it-yourself cloth mask design</a>.

Arkansas Department of Health Directives & Orders
May 18: <u>Directive for Large Indoor Venues</u>
May 11: Directive on Resuming Restaurant Dine-In Operations
May 6: Directive for Barber Shops, Body Art Establishments, Cosmetology Establishments, Massage Therapy Clinics/Spas, and Medical Spas
May 4: <u>Directive for Large Outdoor Venues</u>
May 4: Directive for Gym, Fitness Center, Athletic Club and Weight Room Reopening
April 27: <u>Directive for Resuming Elective Procedures</u>
April 17: Directive for Camps, Including Day and Overnight, and Faith-based Organizations
April 17: <u>Directive for Approval of Emergency Responder Activities</u>
April 16: <u>Directive Regarding the Use of Nucleic Acid Amplification Test for the Diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 Infections in Physician Offices, Urgent Care Settings and Pharmacies</u>
April 15: <u>Directive Regarding Prohibition of the Use of Non-FDA Approved Serologic Tests for the Diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 Infections</u>
April 3: <u>Directive for Elective Procedures</u> (UPDATE—see April 27, 2020 DIRECTIVE)
March 30: Directive for Casinos Extension
March 26: <u>Directive for Limitations on Gatherings</u>
March 23: Directive to Barbers, Body Art Establishments, Body Art Schools, Cosmetology Establishments, Massage Therapy Clinics/Spas, and Medical Spas
March 23: Directive to Dentists to Suspend Non-Emergent Dental Care
March 20: Directive for Schools, Government, Hospitals, Clinics, Restaurants, Gyms, and More
March 16: <u>Directive to Limit Operations of Arkansas Casinos for Two Weeks</u> (UPDATE - see March 30, 2020 DIRECTIVE)
March 16: Directive on Extension for EMS License Renewal
March 13: Directive for Limiting the Transmission of COVID-19 for Long-Term Care Facilities
For ADH Guidances, click <u>HERE</u> .
For COVID-19 Resources, click <u>HERE</u> .
Updated as of 5/6/2020, 7:10 a.m.
*these data are updated once a day

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

3,525

**Confirmed Cases of COVID-19 in Arkansas** 

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

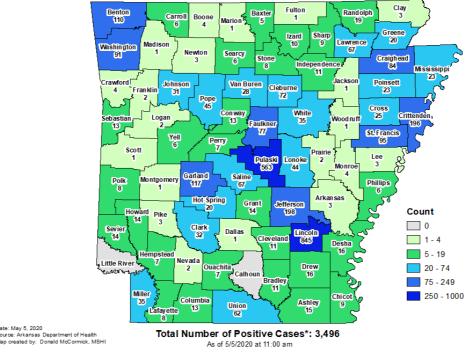
Once in the morning, once in the afternoon, and once in the evening

# **ADH COVID-19 Status Updates**

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Updated as of 5/5/2020, 3:10 p.m.		
*these data are updated once a day		
Currently Hospitalized	89	
Ever Hospitalized	453	
Currently on Ventilator	16	
Ever on Ventilator	89	
Total Nursing Home Residents	261	
Gender	Male = 60.1% Female = 39.6%	
Age	0-17: 111 18-24: 291 25-44: 1,327 45-64: 1,175 65+: 592	
Race	Black: 1,181 White: 1,804 Hispanic: 162 American Indian: 9 Asian: 43 Pacific Islander: 40 Multiracial: 16 Other: 114 Missing: 289	

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



\*At the creation of this map, 166 cases (162 - private labs, 4 - public labs) did not have a county associated with the test and requires further follow-up

- For COVID-19 hospitalizations, click here.
- For number of deaths by county, click here.
- For more demographic data, click here.
- For COVID-19 testing data, click here.

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 email us.

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.

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