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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 here to read the CDC's recommendations. The ADH offers this do-it-yourself cloth mask design.

Alerts/Updates

Related: Click here for previous briefings.

- May 11: Directive on Resuming Elective Dental Services
- May 5: <u>Cut and Cousel Webinar Information</u>
- May 4: Faith-based Organizations and Guidance for Places of Worship
- 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.
- For News Releases, click here.

Arkansas Department of Health Directives & Orders

May 18: Directive for Large Indoor Venues

May 11: Directive on Resuming Restaurant Dine-In Operations

May 11: <u>Directive on Resuming Elective Dental Services</u>

May 6: <u>Directive for Barber Shops, Body Art Establishments, Cosmetology Establishments, Massage Therapy Clinics/Spas, and Medical Spas</u>

May 4: Directive for Large Outdoor Venues

May 4: Directive for Gym, Fitness Center, Athletic Club and Weight Room Reopening

April 27: Directive for Resuming Elective Procedures

April 17: Directive for Camps, Including Day and Overnight, and Faith-based Organizations

April 17: Directive for Approval of Emergency Responder Activities

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: Directive Regarding Prohibition of the Use of Non-FDA Approved Serologic Tests for the Diagnosis of SARS-CoV-2 Infections

April 3: <u>Directive for Elective Procedures</u> (UPDATE—see April 27, 2020 DIRECTIVE)

March 30: Directive for Casinos Extension

March 26: Directive for Limitations on Gatherings

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

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March 13: Directive for Limiting the Transmission of COVID-19 for Long-Term Care Facilities

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- COVID-19 Fabric Mask Pattern
- When Can I Stop Isolation or Quarantine?
- COVID-19 Positive Test Support Groups
- ADH COVID-19 Call Center: 1-800-803-7847
- Click here for more resources

COVID-19 Numbers

Updated as of 5/7/2020, 5:15 p.m.

*these data are updated once a day

Confirmed Cases of COVID-19 in Arkansas

3,665

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

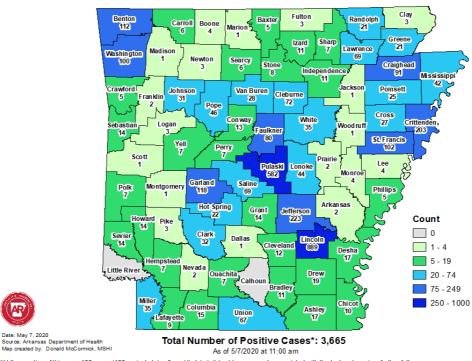
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Updated as of 5/7/2020, 6:03 p.m.

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Updated as of 5/7/2020, 6:03 p.m.	
Currently Hospitalized	70
Ever Hospitalized	466
Currently on Ventilator	14
Ever on Ventilator	93
Total Nursing Home Residents	266
Gender	Male = 60.1% Female = 39.6%
Age	0-17: 120 18-24: 308 25-44: 1,388 45-64: 1,229 65+: 620
Race	Black: 1,285 White: 1,889 Hispanic: 181 American Indian: 9 Asian: 44 Pacific Islander: 46 Multiracial: 19 Other: 140 Missing: 233

Number of Positive COVID-19 Cases



*At the creation of this map, 159 cases (153 - private labs, 6 - public labs) did not have a county associated with the test and requires further follow-up

- COVID-19 hospitalizations as of May 6, 2020
- Deaths by County as of May 7, 2020
- Demographic data as of May 2, 2020
- COVID-19 Testing data as of May 7, 2020

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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