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# COVID-19



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## To protect yourself and others, 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 physical distancing. Avoid close contact with others, especially those who are sick, by keeping at least 6 feet between you and others.
- If you think you have been exposed to COVID-19 or develop a fever, cough, or shortness of breath, seek testing. <u>Testing is available in many locations</u>, including ADH Local Health Units.
- Wear a face covering when you are exposed to non-household members and physical distancing cannot be assured. Click <a href="here">here</a> to read the requirements.

## Alerts/Updates

Related: Click here for previous briefings.

- NEW: Antigen Total Cases
- NEW: 14-day Moving Average of Percent Positivity by County
- NEW: Report on Educational Institutions with 5 or More Active Cases
- **NEW**: For a full list of COVID-19 reports, click <a href="here">here</a>.
- NEW: Masks are Required Signage | Spanish
- UPDATE: Directive on Resuming Restaurant Dine-in Operations Phase II
- ALERT: COVID-19 Guidance for Schools | Resource Call Center 1-833-353-6050
- ALERT: Quarantine required after exposure to COVID-19 even with negative test
- ALERT: Rules Suspended Due to COVID-19 Public Health Emergency Under EO20-06

# **Arkansas Department of Health Directives & Orders**

September 9: Directive on Resuming Restaurant Dine-in Operations Phase II (Modified)

August 26: Directive on Face Coverings

August 21: Directive for Community and School-Sponsored Team Sports

August 14: Directive for Large Outdoor Venue and Large Indoor Venue Plans for School-Sponsored Team Sports

August 5: Directive for Community-School Sponsored Music and Theater Return to Play (amended August 14, 2020)

August 1: Directive on Resuming Elective Procedures, Phase IV

June 15: Directive for Reopening of Casinos Phase II

June 15: Directive for Gym, Fitness Center, Athletic Club and Weight Room Reopening Phase II (amended June 22, 2020)

June 15: Directive on Business Limitations Phase II

June 15: Directive on Resuming Bar or Club Operations Phase II

June 15: <u>Directive for Barber Shops, Body Art Establishments, Cosmetology Establishments, Massage Therapy Clinics/Spas, and Medical Spas Phase II</u>

June 15: <u>Directive Regarding Large Indoor Venues Phase II</u> | To submit an increased capacity proposal for agriculture related events (rodeos, fairs, livestock shows, etc.), please click <u>HERE</u>, all other proposals click <u>HERE</u>.

June 15: <u>Directive Regarding Large Outdoor Venues Phase II</u> | To submit an increased capacity proposal for agriculture related events (rodeos, fairs, livestock shows, etc.), please click <u>HERE</u>, all other proposals click <u>HERE</u>.

June 15: Directive on Resuming Elective Dental Services (revised June 22, 2020)

# **Arkansas Department of Health Directives & Orders**

May 21: Directive Regarding Overnight Camps

May 18: Directive Regarding Summer Day Camps

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>

March 26: Directive for Limitations on Gatherings

March 20: Directive for Schools, Government, Hospitals, Clinics, Restaurants, Gyms, and More

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 a complete list of Directives, click here.

#### **ADH Guidances**

**Public** 

Community

**Child Services** 

**Boards** 

**Business** 

**Health Care** 

#### Resources



- COVID-19 Fabric Mask Pattern
- COVID-19 Positive Test Support Groups
- COVID-19 information for the state of Arkansas
- For immediate quarantine and isolation sheltering needs for homeless or displaced individuals, please call 501-661-2136.
- ADH COVID-19 Call Center: 1-800-803-7847
- Email the ADH COVID-19 Team
- ADH news releases
- Click here for more resources

#### **COVID-19 Numbers**

Updated as of 9/10/2020, 1:40 p.m.

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Confirmed Cases of COVID-19 in Arkansas

66,804

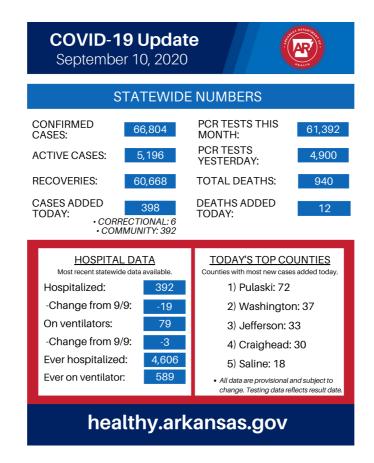
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\*Antigen Total Cases



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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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