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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

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The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) is responding to an outbreak of respiratory disease caused by a novel (new) coronavirus that was first detected in China and which has now been detected in many locations internationally, including in the United States. The disease has been named "coronavirus disease 2019" (abbreviated "COVID-19").

In Connecticut and throughout the world, influenza (flu) activity is high. The CDC encourages all people aged 6 months and older to be vaccinated. It is not too late to get vaccinated for the flu. Check with your healthcare provider, call your local health department, or visit the HealthMap Vaccine Finder (adults) for availability of flu vaccinations.

Latest COVID-19 Testing in Connecticut	
Last Update: March 19, 2020 | 5:00 p.m.	
County	**Positive Cases**
Fairfield County	102
Hartford County	18
Litchfield County	7
Middlesex County	3
New Haven County	23
Tolland County	4
Windham County	2
Total	**159**

**Frequently Asked Questions
on the State of Connecticut's actions
related to COVID-19**

Last Update: March 18, 2020 | 10:00 p.m.

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2-1-1 Connecticut

The 2-1-1 info hotline is available 24-hours a day, 7 days a week. The hotline is for general questions about COVID-19. If you're experiencing symptoms, contact your medical provider.

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