



Notice Governor Lamont is telling Connecticut residents to "Stay Safe, Stay at Home." All non-essential workers statewide are being directed to work from home, effective Monday, March 23 at 8:00 p.m. For the latest information, resources, executive orders, and guidance related to coronavirus (COVID-19), visit ct.gov/coronavirus



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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)



NOTICE: Executive order from Governor Lamont: All non-essential functions in Connecticut should suspend in-person operations beginning Monday, March 23 at 8:00 p.m. This excludes any entity providing essential services or functions, such as healthcare, food service, law enforcement, and similar services. Businesses are strongly encouraged to employ work-from-home procedures. Additional guidance for businesses regarding this order will be released over the weekend. >> [Read the Governor's announcement](#)

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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

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 20, 2020 | 3:30 p.m.

| County | Positive Cases |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Fairfield County | 122 |
| Hartford County | 29 |
| Litchfield County | 8 |
| Middlesex County | 5 |
| New Haven County | 23 |
| New London County | 1 |
| Tolland County | 4 |
| Windham County | 2 |
| Total | 194 |

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

Last Update: March 20, 2020 | 10:00 p.m.



Donations of Personal Protective Equipment: The State of Connecticut has activated a framework for donations of PPEs. Members of the public, businesses, and philanthropic organizations that wish to donate these vital materials are asked to fill out the online form at 211ct.org/DonationsCOVID19.

United Way 2-1-1 of Connecticut will be working with the state to collect the input of donation requests and will ensure that donated items are appropriate for the needs of hospitals and long-term care facilities. The specific items being requested by the state at this time include:

- N95 Respirators
- Face Masks/Surgical Masks
- Face Shields
- Surgical Gowns
- Gloves (nitrile, or non-latex)
- Thermometers
- Thermometer Covers (if applicable to type of thermometer)
- Hand Sanitizer
- Other Medical Items

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[Access Health CT Announces A New Special Enrollment Period For Uninsured Connecticut Residents](#)

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[Department of Public Health order implementing 30-day visitor restrictions at nursing homes and similar facilities](#) 

Contact

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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