



Health professionals evaluating a patient for suspected coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), should follow guidance for [Evaluating and Testing for Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\)](#).

## Minnesota Case Information

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The number of positive tests among Minnesota residents and the approximate number of patients tested for COVID-19 in Minnesota will be updated Monday through Friday with test results from the previous day.

As of March 17, 2020

### Illness

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- Approximate number of patients tested: 2336
- Positive: 60
- Counties with cases: Anoka, Benton, Blue Earth, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Olmsted, Ramsey, Renville, Stearns, Wright, Waseca, Washington

Numbers are cumulative since Jan. 20, 2020. We will not release specific locations for any patients being tested in order to protect patient privacy.

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- [2020 News Releases](#)
  - For more information about the outbreak, potential risks, and protective

recommendations, see [CDC: Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\)](#).

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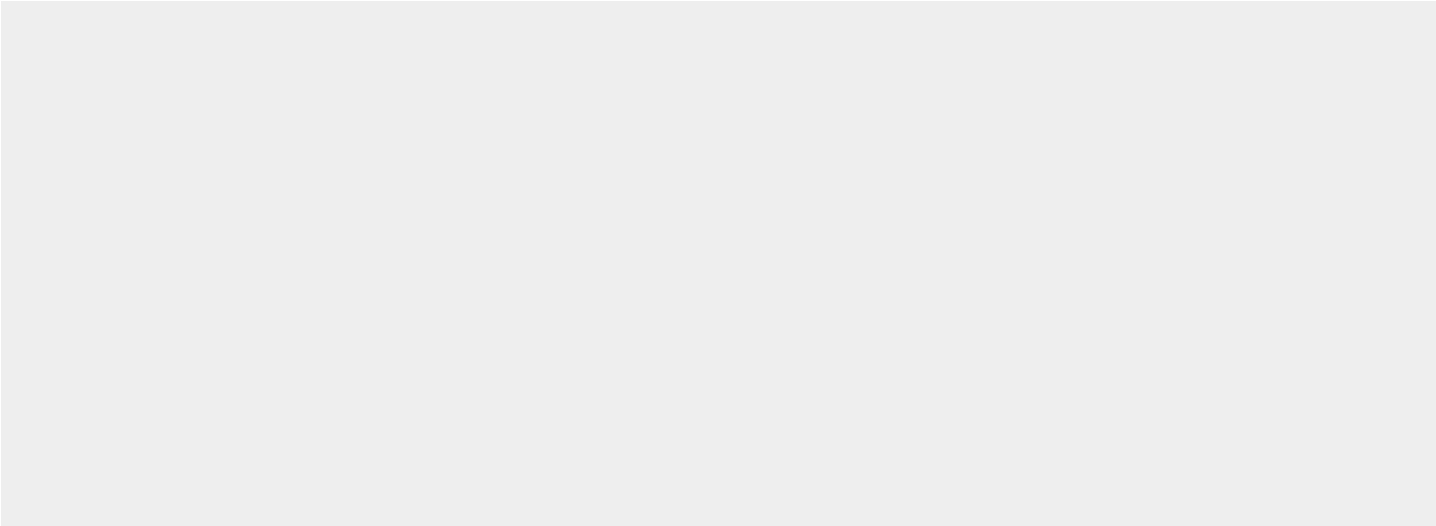
Community mitigation  
(schools, child care,  
business) questions:  
651-297-1304 or 1-800-  
657-3504  
7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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651-201-3920 or 1-800-  
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