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# Emerging Respiratory Infections: COVID-19

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## Novel Coronavirus Updates (COVID-19)

The Oregon Health Authority is responding to an outbreak of respiratory illness, called COVID-19, caused by a novel (new) coronavirus. Health officials urge good hand hygiene, covering coughs and staying home if you are sick.

For general information on novel coronavirus in Oregon, [call 211](#). If you are having a medical emergency, call 911.

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## Situation in Oregon

All data are provisional and subject to change as we continue our investigation.

### Test Results for Persons Under Investigation (PUI)\*

Last updated 3/6/2020, 9:30 AM

Positive	3
Negative	64
Pending	28
Total PUI since 1/24/2020	95

\*PUI are individuals with COVID-19 symptoms—but not necessarily the virus—who may have been exposed through close contact with a confirmed case, travel to an affected region (China, Iran, Italy, Japan, or South Korea), or who have severe respiratory illness requiring hospitalization with no more likely diagnosis and no source of exposure has been identified.

### Persons Under Monitoring (PUM)\*

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Current	190
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PUM who have completed monitoring without developing symptoms or were determined to have no risk	247
Total PUM since 1/24/2020	437
*PUM are individuals who do not have COVID-19 symptoms but who may have been exposed through close contact with a confirmed case or from travel to mainland China.	

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## Situation in the U.S. and Globally

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