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If you have questions about COVID-19, call the Washington State Department of Health hotline at 1-800-525-0127 and press #.

2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) in Whatcom County

As of Monday, March 16, we will be updating this page by 12:00 pm each day with new cases received through 11:59 pm the previous day. We will update this information sooner if significant developments occur.

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Confirmed Cases**
7
Negative Results*
209
Deaths
0

^{**} **Confirmed Cases:** Positive test results for Whatcom County residents reported in the Washington Disease Reporting System as of 11:59 pm.

*Negative Results: Negative test results available for individuals that are that are known to the Whatcom County Health Department in the Washington Disease Reporting System as of 11:59 pm.

Subscribe and receive an email or text message notification when we update COVID-19 case results, along with other news items from WCHD. To sign up, use this link to accessthe subscription sign up webpage, and select Health – Public Health News under the News Flash section.

We simplified the way we report COVID-19 test results on March 13, 2020. Read more about why we made that change.





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How Can I Be Prepared for a COVID-19 Outbreak?

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- How coal prevent the spread of COVID-19?

 Limiting COVID-19 primarily include fever, coupt, and shortness of breath. These responses to 14 days after exposure.

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Compassion keeps our community



- Have compassion for others.

 Viruses don't discriminate based on race, ethnicity, or cultural background. This kind of stigma makes any situation worse, not better!

 Everyone reacts differently to stressful situations.

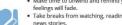
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Have compassion for people who are sick or

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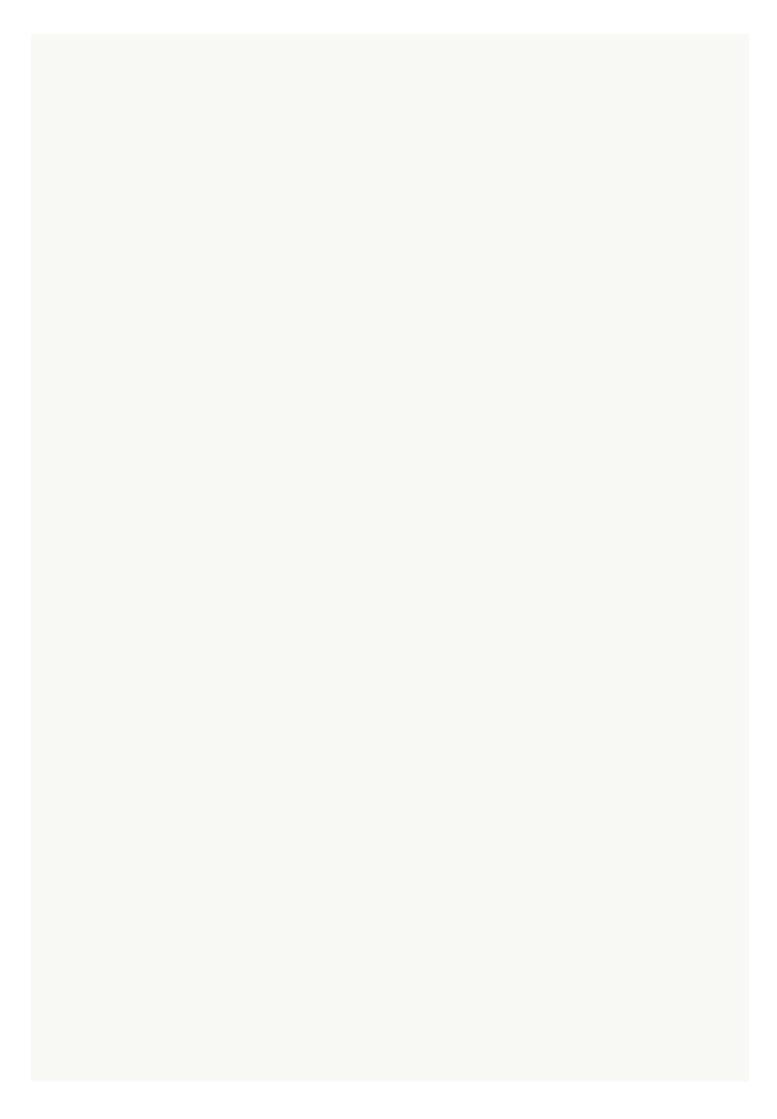
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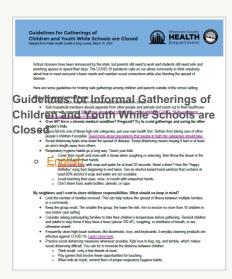


Have compassion for yourself.

Make time to unwind and remind yourself that strong feelings will fade.
Take breaks from watching, reading, or listening to news stories.
Ask for help if you feel overwhelmed or concerned that COVID-19 is affecting your ability to function. It's ok to reach out to your primary care provider, a counselor, or faith leader for support.







Additional Resources

- Washington State Novel Coronavirus Outbreak 2020 (Washington State Department of Health)
- 2019 Novel Coronavirus (Centers for Disease Control & Prevention)
 - What You Need to Know (PDF) English | Chinese | Spanish
- COVID-19 Outbreak (World Health Organization)
- COVID-19 Glossary (PDF)

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