# Infectious Disease Epidemiology Unit

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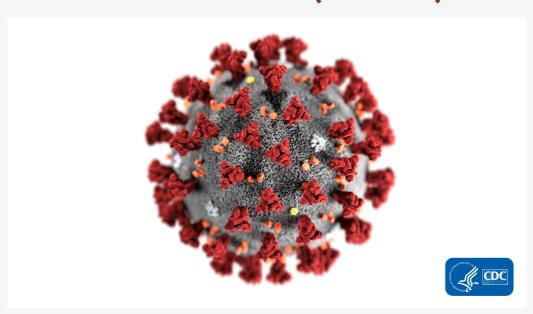
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## Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)



At this time there are 221 reported cases in Wyoming.

The Wyoming Department of Health is actively responding to the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic.

The symptoms of this disease are familiar: fever, cough and shortness of breath.

While most people will likely not experience serious illness related to COVID-19, our top concerns involve older residents and people with certain health conditions that put them at

higher risk of developing a serious or life-threatening illness.

Wyoming residents should follow our recommendations to help avoid becoming ill and to help avoid spreading COVID-19 to those who are most vulnerable.

We should all work together to help keep our friends and neighbors safe!

#### Recommendations

- Stay home when sick and avoid contact with other people unless you need medical attention.
- Follow advice from CDC on what to do if you think you may be sick.
- Follow current public health orders.
- Follow common-sense steps such as washing your hands often and well; covering your coughs and sneezes; and cleaning and disinfecting.
- Nursing homes, assisted living facilities and other healthcare facilities should closely follow guidelines for infection control and prevention.
- Older people and those with health conditions that mean they have a higher chance of getting seriously ill should avoid close-contact situations.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE SICK

PEOPLE WITH HIGHEST RISK

**HOW COVID-19 SPREADS** 

WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE EXPOSED TO COVID-19

WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE EXPOSED TO COVID-19 (SPANISH)

## **Testing Numbers**

4/7/20 (5 p.m.)

*IMPORTANT NOTICE:* Beginning April 8, regular updates to case information will be made once a day at approximately 3 p.m.

Tests completed at Wyoming Public Health Laboratory: 2,481

Tests completed at CDC lab: 1

Tests reported by commercial labs: 1,582

(Commercial labs are required to report positive test results to WDH; negative results are not reported consistently.)

Total reported positive cases: 221

**COVID-19 MAP AND STATISTICS** 

#### PROVIDER INFORMATION

#### ORDERS AND GUIDANCE

**Cases by County** 

Albany: 4
Big Horn
Campbell: 9
Carbon: 4
Converse: 4
Crook: 1
Fremont: 38
Goshen: 3
Hot Springs:
Johnson: 8
Laramie: 48
Lincoln: 4
Natrona: 26
Niobrara
Park: 1

Sheridan: 12 Sublette: 1 Sweetwater: 6 Teton: 44 Uinta: 3 Washakie: 5 Weston

Platte

## **Helpful Links**

#### **General Information**

Learn more about coronavirus disease 2019 from the Centers from Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) (CDC information includes prevention strategies, case counts, frequently asked questions and answers, travel guidance.)

Learn more about State of Wyoming COVID-19 resources and response efforts

### Questions?

If you are sick, please contact your healthcare provider. Wyoming residents with general questions about COVID-19 may send an email to wdh.covid19@wyo.gov.

Non-medical information about COVID-19 is available by calling 2-1-1 or 888-425-7138.

Public health nurses can be a helpful source of information. Learn how to contactWyoming's public health nursing county offices.

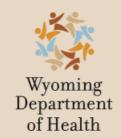
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