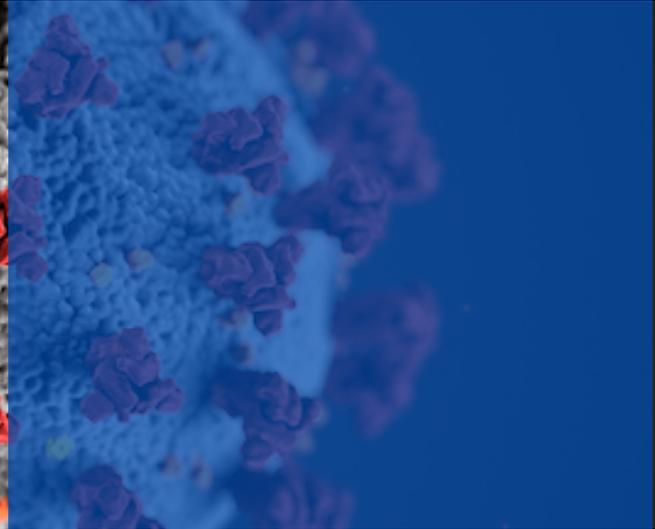
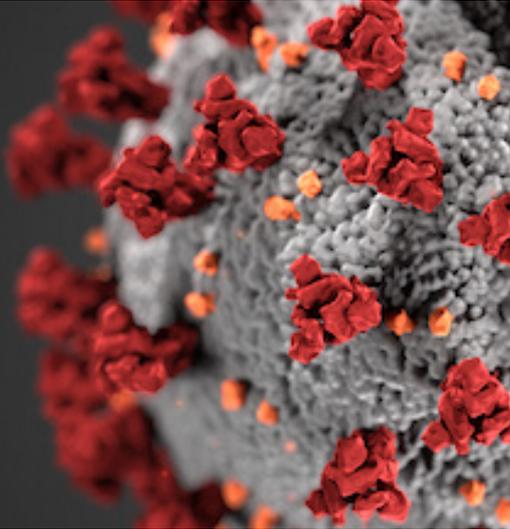


# COVID-19 WEEKLY UPDATE

MARCH 2, 2020



## COVID-19 Confirmed Cases\*

**Globally:** 89,527 cases; 3,056 deaths

**United States:** 43 cases; 2 deaths

**Ohio:** 0 cases; 0 PUI's\*; 212 persons under supervision\*\*

**Holmes County:** 0 cases; 0 PUI's\*, 0 persons under supervision\*\*

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\*PUI (person under investigation)= persons who have been tested for COVID-19 and whose lab results are pending. PUI's exhibited symptoms AND traveled to China or had close contact with a person known to have COVID-19

\*\*Persons under supervision = travelers being monitored for symptoms. These individuals do not have symptoms of COVID-19

## How we're preparing

- Activated our Department Operations Center (DOC) are in Incident Command Structure (ICS) to monitor the situation to coordinate public health response
- Ensuring that our local partners receive guidance published by federal and state partners
- Publishing health education messages to the community
- Participating in weekly calls with the CDC and ODH
- Providing weekly situation reports to local stakeholders (every Friday)

## OVERVIEW:

CDC is responding to an outbreak of respiratory illness caused by a novel (new) coronavirus. The outbreak first started in Wuhan, China, but cases have been identified in a growing number of other international locations, including the United States. The World Health Organization is reporting that there are at least 70 countries with confirmed cases

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# CDC TRAVEL HEALTH NOTICES\*

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## Warning Level 3, Avoid Nonessential Travel

China  
South Korea  
Italy  
Iran

## Alert Level 2, Practice Enhanced Precautions

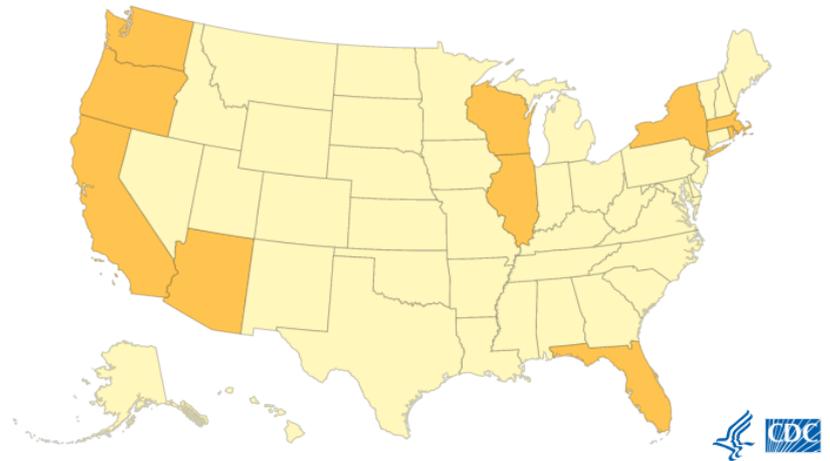
Hong Kong

## Watch Level 1, Practice Usual Precautions

Japan

## What states have been affected?

States with Confirmed and Presumptive Positive Cases of COVID-19\*



\* This map represents cases detected and tested in the United States through U.S. public health surveillance systems since January 21, 2020. It does not include people who returned to the U.S. via State Department-chartered flights.

This map is updated regularly by the CDC, to access it, visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/cases-in-us.html>



Washing your hands with soap and water is one of the most effective ways to prevent the spread of infectious diseases. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that is 60% alcohol.

## 5 STEPS to CLEAN HANDS

1. Wet your hands with clean, running water (warm or cold), turn off the tap, and apply soap.
2. Lather your hands by rubbing them together with the soap. Lather the backs of your hands, between your fingers, and under your nails.
3. Scrub your hands for at least 20 seconds.
4. Rinse your hands well under clean, running water.
5. Dry your hands using a clean towel or air dry them.

For more information, please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/handwashing>

## What can I do to prepare?

There are currently no confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Ohio. However, Dr. Amy Acton, Director of the Ohio Department of Health, advised Ohioans to prepare for a potential outbreak by ensuring you have a 14-day supply of your prescription medications on hand, as well as non-perishable food items and pet supplies should you need to self-isolate. It's important to continue practicing regular precautions to avoid the spread of infectious diseases such as washing your hands regularly, covering your cough, and staying home when you're sick.