



SITUATION REPORT: COVID-19

All updates since last report highlighted in RED

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Executive Summary:

Hamilton County Public Health (HCPH), the Ohio Department of Health (ODH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and World Health Organization are closely monitoring an outbreak of respiratory illness caused by a novel (new) coronavirus (termed “COVID-19”) first identified in Wuhan City, Hubei Province, China in December 2019 and which continues to expand. Antibody testing has revealed cases of COVID-19 were present in Ohio as early as January. COVID-19 has become the 7th leading cause of death in the State of Ohio and 3rd leading cause of death nationally. **Worldwide, the COVID-19 death toll has exceeded 1 million.** The first confirmed case of COVID-19 in Hamilton County was announced on 03/19/2020 and the first two confirmed deaths were announced on 04/01/2020.

	Confirmed Cases	Hospitalizations	Deaths	Presumed Recovered
Hamilton County, OH	13,871 (+319)	1,173 (+22)	353 (+16)	12,126 (+279)
State of Ohio	156,809 (+3,902)	15,688 (+275)	4,905 (+122)	135,301 (+3,593)
United States	7,299,080 (+134,013)	N/A	208,191 (+2,715)	2,860,659 (+66,042)

All statistics show increase over a multi-day period (09/30/2020 – 10/01/2020)

Local Declarations of State of Emergency:

All declarations highlighted in GREEN are no longer in effect.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Addyston VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Glendale VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> North College Hill CTY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amberley VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Golf Manor VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Norwood CTY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anderson TWP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Green TWP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reading CTY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Arlington Heights VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Greenhills VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> St. Bernard VLG |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Blue Ash CTY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Harrison CTY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sharonville CTY (part) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cheviot CTY | <input type="checkbox"/> Harrison TWP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Silverton CTY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cincinnati CTY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lincoln Heights VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Springdale CTY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cleves VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lockland VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Springfield TWP |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Colerain TWP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Loveland CTY (part) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sycamore TWP |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Columbia TWP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Madeira CTY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Symmes TWP |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crosby TWP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mariemont VLG | <input type="checkbox"/> Terrace Park VLG |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deer Park CTY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Miami TWP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Village of Indian Hill CTY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Delhi TWP | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Milford CTY (part) | <input type="checkbox"/> Whitewater TWP |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elmwood Place VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Montgomery CTY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Woodlawn VLG |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Evendale VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mt. Healthy CTY | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wyoming CTY |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fairfax VLG | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Newtown VLG | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forest Park CTY | <input type="checkbox"/> North Bend VLG | |

Other Declarations:

Hamilton County: March 12, 2020 | State of Ohio: March 9, 2020 | Federal Disaster: March 13, 2020

Ohio Public Health Alert Advisory System:

On 07/02/2020, Governor DeWine unveiled the [Public Health Advisory Alert System](#) that will provide data and information to help combat flareups in the State. Four alert levels will indicate to the public and officials the current situation in each individual Ohio County across 3 weeks:

- ❖ Alert Level 1 (Yellow): County has triggered 0 or 1 of the 7 indicators and there is active exposure and spread.
- ❖ Alert Level 2 (Orange): County has triggered 2 or 3 of the indicators and there is increased exposure and spread.
- ❖ Alert Level 3 (Red): County has triggered 4 or 5 of the indicators and there is a very high exposure and spread.
- ❖ Alert Level 4 (Purple): County has triggered 6 or 7 of the indicators and there is severe exposure and spread.

Levels are determined by the following 7 indicators:

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| 1. New cases per capita | 5. Sustained increase in outpatient visits |
| 2. Sustained increase in new cases | 6. Sustained increase in new COVID-19 Hospital admissions |
| 3. Proportion of cases that are non-congregate cases | 7. Intensive Care Unit (ICU) bed occupancy |
| 4. Sustained increase in Emergency Room visits | |

Additional indicators such as local testing and known contact spread will be added in the coming weeks. Alert levels are updated every Thursday.

All Ohio Counties				
Alert Level 1	Alert Level 2	Alert Level 3	Watch List*	Alert Level 4
26 (-8)	51 (+4)	11 (+2)	1 (+1)	0 (0)

*Number of Level 3 counties that are in danger of transitioning to level 4. All watch list counties are counted in the total number of Alert Level 3 counties as well.

Hamilton County, OH				
Current Alert Level	Indicators Triggered	Two Week Number of Cases per 100k	Ohio County Case Rate Ranking	Virus Reproductive Number (R0)
Level 3 (Red*) (+1)	1, 3, 5 & 6 (+1)	90.16 (-3.04)	30 th (-8)	1.09** (+0.22)

* Hamilton County has returned to Level 3 for the first time since July 30. However, trends in Hamilton County are relatively stable and the County does not meet the CDC definition of high incidence. There are no State mandated actions tied to this increase in alert level. Some school districts in Hamilton County have tied their operations to the County alert level, consequentially some school districts may be transitioning to virtual learning.

**An R0 greater than 1 indicates community spread, with each infected person passing the virus on to at least one other person.

Hamilton County EOC Status:

Emergency Activation Level 2 – Partial EOC Activation

The Hamilton County EOC activated at 0800 hrs. on 03/13/2020 and will operate from 0800 – 1600 hrs., Monday through Friday, which includes a Joint Information Center activation. Emergency Support Functions (ESFs) Activated:

- Fire & EMS
- #5 – Emergency Management
- #7 – Resource Management
- #8 – Public Health & Healthcare Providers
- #15 – Emergency Public Information

Recurring Meetings and Press Conferences:

- [HC Commissioner Denise Driehaus Update](#) | Wednesdays at 10:00 A.M.
- HC Community Leadership Update | Tuesdays at 11:00 A.M. (closed to public)
- [HC Board of County Commissioners Meeting](#) | Thursdays at 1:00 P.M.
- [Governor Mike DeWine Press Conference](#) | Tuesday and Thursday at 2:00 P.M.
- [City of Cincinnati COVID-19 Press Conference](#) | Monday, Wednesday, Friday at 03:30 P.M.
- First Responder/Essential Personnel Peer Support | Tuesday at 07:00 P.M. and Thursdays at 10:00 A.M.

COVID-19 Testing:

[Hamilton County Testing Sites](#) | [Other Ohio Testing Sites](#) | [Northern KY Testing Sites](#) | [Test & Protect Request Testing for an Organization, Business or Community](#) | [FDA COVID-19 Testing Basics](#) | [Testing FAQ](#)

On 07/30/2020 the Board of County Commissioners approved the awarding of a \$18M COVID-19 testing and data collection contract to the Health Collaborative. This initiative, "Test and Protect" will be available to provide testing assistance to organizations, businesses and communities, with a focus on virus hotspots and congregate settings. 175,000 additional tests are projected to be provided through the end of the year.

Upcoming "Pop-Up" Testing in Hamilton County, OH			
Date	Time	Location	Link
Sundays	10AM-2PM	Hamilton County Justice Center 900 Sycamore St, Cincinnati, OH 45202	Flyer
Sundays	3PM-7PM	St. Ignatius of Loyola Church 5222 North Bend Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45247	Flyer
Tuesdays	9AM-1PM	Inspirational Bible Church 11450 Sebring Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45240	Flyer
Wednesdays	9AM-1PM	Talbert House -Western Hills 4968 Glenway Ave., Cincinnati, OH	Flyer
Thursdays	9AM-1PM	Talbert House – Walnut Hills 2621 Victory Parkway, Cincinnati, OH	Flyer
Thursdays	1PM-5PM	Inspirational Bible Church 11450 Sebring Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45240	Flyer
10/03/2020	9AM-1PM	Woodlawn Municipal Building 10120 Woodlawn Blvd, Cincinnati, OH 45215	Flyer
10/08/2020	1PM-7PM	Greater Emanuel Apostolic Temple 1150 W. Galbraith Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45231	Flyer
10/10/2020	12PM-4PM	Wavepool 2940 Colerain Ave, Cincinnati, OH 45225	Flyer
10/10/2020	12PM-4PM	Clifton United Methodist Church 3416 Clifton Ave, Cincinnati, OH 45220	Flyer
10/11/2020	1PM-4PM	Multiple Locations (additionally providing Flu Shots)	Flyer
10/13/2020	11PM-1PM	Wavepool 2940 Colerain Ave, Cincinnati, OH 45225	Flyer
10/17/2020	12PM-4PM	Clifton United Methodist Church 3416 Clifton Ave, Cincinnati, OH 45220	Flyer
10/22/2020	1PM-7PM	Greater Emanuel Apostolic Temple 1150 W. Galbraith Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45231	Flyer

On 09/23/2020 the Health Collaborative announced that the Test and Protect program will be adding more semi-permanent COVID-19 testing locations in Hamilton County through partnerships with the YMCA of Greater Cincinnati and the Public Library of Cincinnati & Hamilton County with a goal of all residents and employees in Hamilton County being within 15 minutes of a convenient testing location. Additional details will be announced next week.

Current Actions:

Both the Hamilton County and City of Cincinnati EOCs are operating concurrently at the Regional Operations Center. The State of Ohio transitioned to a partial EOC Activation on 09/28/2020.

County departments continue to develop and reevaluate budget plans to address anticipated funding shortfalls. The County budget is currently approximately \$255M, a \$21M reduction over the original budget but better than the initial projection of a \$30-40M reduction. Hamilton County Administration continues to work with Federal and State lawmakers to advocate for additional assistance for local communities and the streamlining of the assistance process.

On 09/16/2020, Hamilton County Public Health Medical Director Dr. Stephen Feagins discussed county preparations for the receipt of a COVID-19 vaccine as CDC has asked Public Health agencies to begin developing plans for vaccine distribution. Several different vaccines are currently in production that have different refrigeration/storage requirements; the County is in the process of acquiring refrigeration units to handle these requirements. The Pfizer vaccine which requires significantly lower storage temperature than other vaccines is projected to be the first vaccine available. While no date is yet confirmed for when a vaccine will be available, Hamilton County aims to complete preparations by 11/01/2020. On 09/16/2020, CDC Director Robert Redfield testified that a vaccine might not be widely available to the entire public until 2021.

On 09/30/2020, Hamilton County Board of Election Chair Gwen McFarlin and Board Member Alex Triantafilou discussed measures being taken to ensure a safe and secure election. Additional details on the upcoming election can be found at www.votehamiltoncountyohio.gov. The deadline to register to vote in Ohio is Monday, 10/05/2020.

On 05/19/2020, Governor DeWine released details of the new "Ohioans Protecting Ohioans Urgent Health Advisory" which replaces the Stay Safe Ohio order that was issued by the Ohio Department of Health on April 30, 2020. Existing public health orders were extended by Interim Director of Health Lance Himes on 07/08/2020 for the duration of the statewide state of emergency.

On 07/07/2020 Governor DeWine announced masks are required when out in public in all Public Health Alert Level 3 and 4 counties with limited exceptions. A statewide mask order went into effect on 07/23/2020 at 6PM.

On 09/24/2020, Interim ODH Director Lance Himes signed an order allowing for the resuming of indoor visitation at intermediate care facilities for Ohioans with developmental disabilities on 09/28/2020 under specific safety standards. Nursing homes and assisted living facilities can resume indoor visitation on 10/12/2020 under specific safety standards that will be outlined in a forthcoming Public Health Order. The Governor reiterated that with both indoor and outdoor visitation, while facilities are allowed to resume these visits there may be a legitimate reason for specific facilities to not allow visitors; individuals are encouraged to reach out to the facility they are interested in visiting for questions about their policies. Once visitation resumes, a dashboard will be added to coronavirus.ohio.gov where users will be able to access facility-specific visitation information.

The Ohio Development Services Agency has opened up the [Individual Microcredential Assistance Program](#) (IMAP) to low income and unemployed Ohioans to access 71 short-term industry recognized technology credentials. This training will help Ohioans enter new career fields and find new employment. On 10/01/2020 a new round of applications opened for [TechCred](#), a State program that gives employers funding to prepare employees to fill tech related jobs and upskill their workforce. Many of these training programs can be completed online.

On 10/01/2020, Lt. Governor Husted announced the results of the statewide COVID-19 antibody test conducted on July 9-28, 2020. 720 adults were sampled from randomly selected households (some in Hamilton County); 0.9% of samples had active COVID-19 and 1.5% of samples had evidence of COVID-19 antibodies indicating that the individual had COVID-19 in the past 3 months. This study indicates prevalence in Ohio is relatively low, however also indicates that many Ohioans have not yet come in contact with the virus and are still susceptible.

On 09/28/2020, President Trump announced that the Federal Government will ship 100M rapid coronavirus tests to States by the end of the year, with the first shipment of 6.5M being sent by the end of the week. These tests can produce results in 15 minutes. Governor DeWine has announced that Ohio is currently evaluating how these tests can best be deployed in the State.

The Small Business Administration (SBA) will begin reviewing the 96,000 applications for Paycheck Protection Program loan forgiveness and making decisions on these applications by next week.

On 10/02/2020, President Trump confirmed he had tested positive for COVID-19, VP Mike Pence has tested negative.



Previous Actions:





Previous actions and actions rendered redundant by more recent actions These actions can be viewed in previously released SitReps.


Potential Hazards:

- Pandemics can cause economic damage through multiple channels, including short-term fiscal shocks and longer-term negative shocks to economic growth.
- Individual behavioral changes, such as fear-induced aversion to workplaces and other public gathering places, are a primary cause of negative shocks to economic growth during pandemics.
- Some pandemic mitigation measures can cause significant social and economic disruption.
- Several instances of cyber-criminals and scammers sending fake COVID-19 themed communications offering hard to find medical supplies, stimulus relief check information or cures to the virus have been documented. Criminals will continue to attempt to exploit public anxiety and the needs of organizations for personal gain.

Community Lifelines:

Safety & Security Status:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Current Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Significant Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Disruption				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Law Enforcement: No current disruption. Law Enforcement continue to operate under COVID-19 contingency plan. This plan includes the implementation of Limited Reporting Procedures, Limited Auto Crash Response Procedure, Limited Medical Response Procedure, and Non-Emergency Crime Reporting Procedures. • Search & Rescue: No current disruption. • Fire Service: No current disruption. Fire and EMS have been instructed to ration the use of PPE and review procedures for handling patients who are symptomatic of COVID-19. • Government Services: No current disruption. Hamilton County announced budget cuts and staff furloughs on 04/13/20. Several jurisdictions have closed administrative/departmental offices to the public, offering services and payments to be conducted via phone and email. Some school districts have tied their operating status to the County alert level, with Hamilton County now at Level 3 (Red) some school districts will be transitioning to virtual learning. Cincinnati Public Schools announced on 10/01/2020 that they will be continuing virtual learning. • Responder Safety & Security: No current disruption. Battle Memorial Institute has made access to the Critical Care Decontamination System (CCDS), used to decontaminate N95 masks free for Law Enforcement and EMS agencies through the Ohio State Highway Patrol. • Imminent Hazard Mitigation: No current disruption. 							
Health & Medical Status:	<input type="checkbox"/> No Current Disruption	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Limited Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Significant Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Disruption				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical Care: Health providers can resume any procedures previously delayed. The Duke Energy Center Alternate Care Site (ACS) remains an option should hospital capacity continue to increase. Most tents erected outside of area hospitals to help with COVID-19 patients have been demobilized. <table border="1" data-bbox="381 1444 1490 1522"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="381 1444 977 1486">Adult Medical – Surgical Bed Utilization</th> <th data-bbox="977 1444 1490 1486">Adult Critical Care Bed Utilization</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="381 1486 977 1522">88% (+4%)</td> <td data-bbox="977 1486 1490 1522">83% (0)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> • Patient Movement: No current disruption. ESF #4 is engaged in discussions with local Fire Depts, hospitals and private EMS providers about the movement of COVID-19 patients to and between facilities. • Public Health: No current disruption. Effective 07/08/2020, masks are required when in public in Hamilton County. Hotspots have been identified in Corryville, Mt. Auburn and CUF, resources are being allocated to increase testing in these areas. With flu season approaching, individuals are encouraged to get their annual flu shot. HCPH reports Labor Day celebrations and the re-opening of schools have not significantly contributed to increases in COVID-19 cases • Fatality Management: No current disruption. • Health Care Supply Chain: Hospitals, care facilities and other healthcare providers continue to ration PPE due to limited regional supply and global high demand for these products. 				Adult Medical – Surgical Bed Utilization	Adult Critical Care Bed Utilization	88% (+4%)	83% (0)
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Food, Water, Sheltering Status:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Current Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Significant Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Disruption
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evacuations: No current disruption. • Food/Potable Water: No current disruption. On 09/08/2020 Governor DeWine announced there will be a second round of stipends automatically sent to families with children that qualify for free or reduced-price school lunches that are now learning from home to be used towards buying nutritious meals. Parents do not need to apply as funds will be automatically deposited or sent via email. • Shelter: No current disruption. Families and high-risk individuals experiencing homelessness continue to be supported in non-congregate shelters; additional funds to support continued and expanded operations was approved by the Board of County Commissioners. • Durable Goods: Open source media is reporting that local stores are working to keep shelves stocked with durable goods like toilet paper and other commodities that are selling at higher than normal volumes. • Water: No current disruption. MSD has partnered with the US EPA to monitor wastewater from all 7 treatment plants in Hamilton County to assist in the detection of virus hotspots. Samples are now being taken twice per week at 3 treatment plants which service 80% of the Hamilton County Population. • Agriculture: No current disruption. 			
Transportation Status:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Current Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Significant Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Disruption
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Road: No current disruption. • Public Transportation: No current disruption. • Rail: No current disruption. • Air: No current disruption. • Waterways: No current disruption. 			
Communications Status:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Current Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Significant Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Disruption
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infrastructure: No current disruption. • Alerts, Warnings, and Messaging: No current disruption. The County is disseminating information and alerts regularly using the Joint Information Center. Methods of distribution include social media, press releases, and Alert HC. • 911 and Dispatch: No current disruption. Hamilton County Communications Center has opened a second location using newly acquired technology to allow for the social distancing of personnel. • Responder Communications: No current disruption. • Financial Services: No current disruption. 			
Hazardous Material Status:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Current Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Significant Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Disruption
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilities: No current disruption. • Hazardous Debris, Pollutants, Contaminants: No current disruption. • Pipeline: No current disruption. 			

Energy Status:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Current Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Significant Disruption	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Disruption
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Power (Grid): No current disruption. Duke Energy resumed residential disconnections due to non-payment on 09/16/2020. Duke has a variety of payment and financial assistance options; individuals are encouraged to take action now as these opportunities may not be available in the future. Individuals can contact 844-330-2929 or seek utility payment assistance from the Hamilton County Rent and Utility Assistance program by contacting 513-569-1840. • Temporary Power: No current disruption. • Fuel: No current disruption. 			

Resource Support:

- All healthcare providers have been reminded to follow CDC guidelines for proper use of PPE as supplies may become limited.
- Hamilton County has received several shipments from the State of Ohio including three shipments from the Strategic National Stockpile (SNS) and has been distributing these supplies to local first responder agencies and hospitals.
- Hamilton County Purchasing continues to seek and vet vendors for needed supplies.
- Hamilton County is currently developing a long-term PPE distribution and stockpiling strategy. EMHSA is now operating logistics functions out of a new warehouse facility.
- The Ohio Hospital Association has worked in partnership with state agencies and local hospitals to establish the Hospital PPE Readiness Stockpile which can distribute PPE to residents and staff at long term care facilities in the event of case spikes.
- EMHSA has partnered with the Hamilton County Educational Services Center to address some specific PPE needs in local schools.

Information Resources for Residents:

- Hamilton County Addition Response Coalition – [Resources](#) | P: 513-281-7880 (24 hour hotline)
- Hamilton County Administration – [Hamilton County CARES Rent and Utility Relief Program](#)
- Hamilton County Government – [Hamilton County Reopens](#)
- Hamilton County Public Health – [COVID-19 Resources](#) | P: 513-946-7800
- Hamilton County Emergency Management & Homeland Security Agency – [COVID-19 Information Portal](#)
- Hamilton County Job & Family Services – [Coronavirus Updates and JFS Services](#)
- Duke Energy – [Utility Payment Assistance](#)
- Ohio Bureau of Workers Compensation – [Coronavirus Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- Ohio Development Services Agency – [Individual Microcredential Assistance Program \(IMAP\)](#)
- Ohio Department of Aging – [Staying Connected Check in Service](#) | P: 1-833-ODA-CHAT (1-833-632-2428)
- Ohio Department of Education – [Summer Food Service Program](#) | P: 1-866-3-HUNGRY (1-866-348-6479)
- Ohio Department of Health – [Coronavirus Information](#) | P: 1-833-4-ASK-ODH (1-888-427-5634)
- Ohio Department of Job and Family Services – [Office of Unemployment Insurance Operations](#) | P: 877-644-6562
- Ohio Department of Job and Family Services – [Ohio Means Jobs Career Counseling Center](#)
- Ohio Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services – COVID Careline | P: 1-800-720-9616 (available 24/7)
- Ohio Secretary of State’s Office – [2020 Election Information](#)
- Ohio Governor’s Office of Workforce Transformation – [COVID-19 Job Search](#)
- Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) – [Similarities and Differences between Flu and COVID-19](#)
- **Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)** – [Holiday Celebration Guidance](#)
- Vaccine Finder – [Search Flu Vaccine Locations](#)

Information Resources for Businesses:

- Cincinnati | Northern Kentucky African American Chamber of Commerce – [COVID-19 Member Resources](#)
- Cincinnati USA Regional Chamber – [COVID-19 Business Center](#)
- Cleveland Clinic – [COVID-19: Creating a Safe Workplace Guides and Resource Center](#)
- Hamilton County - [COVID-19 Relief Program for Small Businesses](#)
- Hamilton County Development Corporation (HCDC) – [COVID-19 Resource Guide](#) | P: 513- 631-8292
- Hamilton County Test and Protect – [Request COVID-19 Testing](#) | P: 513-618-3656
- Ohio Development Services Agency – [Office of Small Business Relief](#)
- State of Ohio – [Ohio Manufacturing Alliance to Fight COVID-19](#)
- State of Ohio – [Responsible RestartOhio](#)
- US EPA – [Frequent Questions About Indoor Air and COVID-19](#)
- US Small Business Administration – [Disaster Assistance in Response to COVID-19](#)

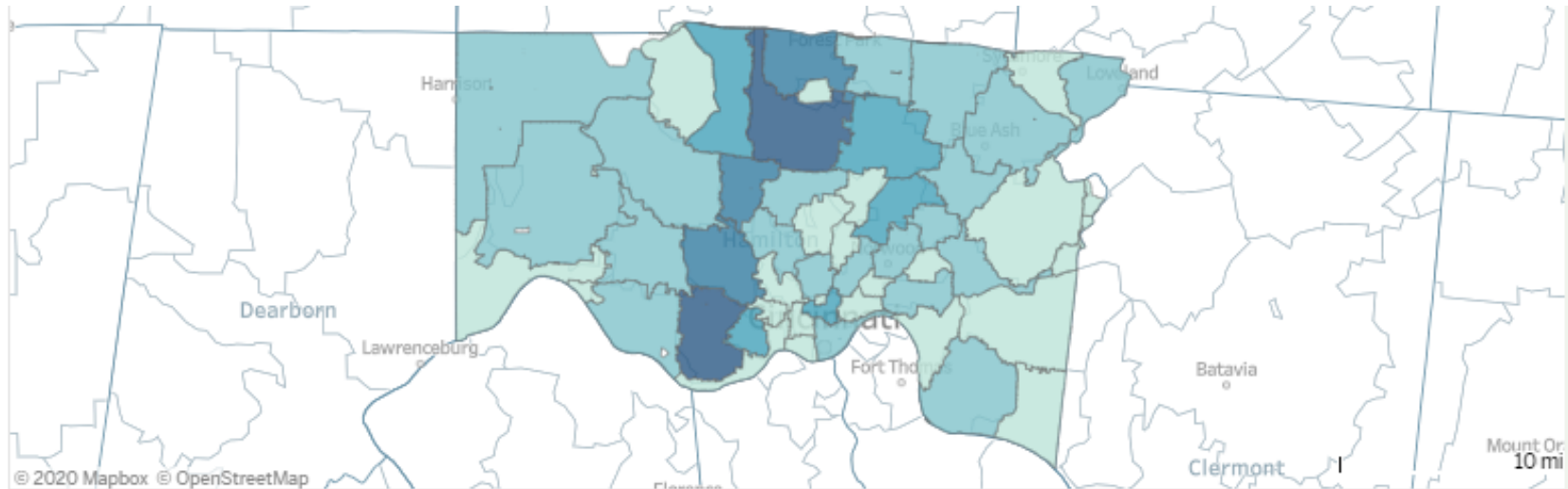
Attachments:

- Johns Hopkins – [Interactive COVID-19 Map](#)
- Harvard Global Health Institute – [COVID-19 Risk Levels by County](#)
- Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME) – [COVID-19 Projections](#)
- COVID-19 Ohio Minority Health Strike Force – [Final Report](#)
- Ohio Department of Health – [Interactive COVID-19 Dashboard](#) (Updated at 2PM daily)
- Ohio Department of Health – [Urgent Health Advisory: Ohioans Protecting Ohioans](#)
- Ohio Department of Health – [COVID-19: Myths Versus Facts](#)
- Ohio Department of Health – [Director’s Order for Facial Coverings Throughout the State of Ohio](#)
- Ohio Department of Education – [Reset and Restart Education Resource Page](#)
- Hamilton County Public Health – [COVID-19 Updates Page](#) (Updated at 2PM daily)
- Hamilton County Government – [COVID-19 CARES Act Funding Dashboard](#)
- Hamilton County Government – [Archive of Community Updates and Commissioner Meetings](#)
- City of Cincinnati - [Emergency Ordinance Requiring Face Coverings](#) (Effective 07/09/2020)
- The Health Collaborative – [Test and Protect](#)

Hamilton County COVID-19 Cases by ZIP Code

Includes all Public Health Districts in Hamilton County. Updated daily. Last updated 09/29/2020.

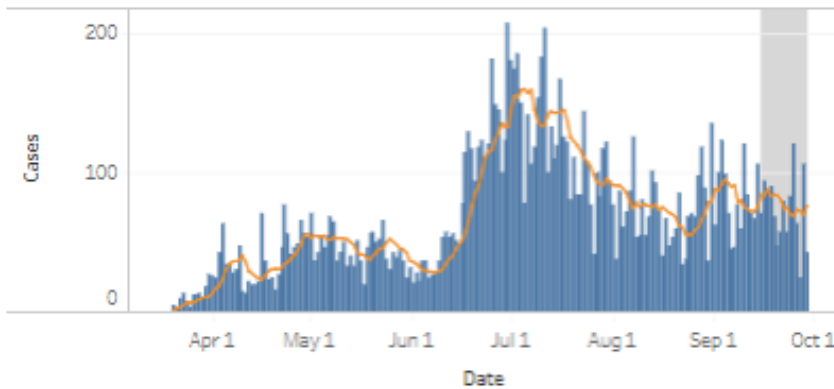
[Interactive County Map – Cases by Zip Code](#) | [City of Cincinnati- Cases by Neighborhood](#)



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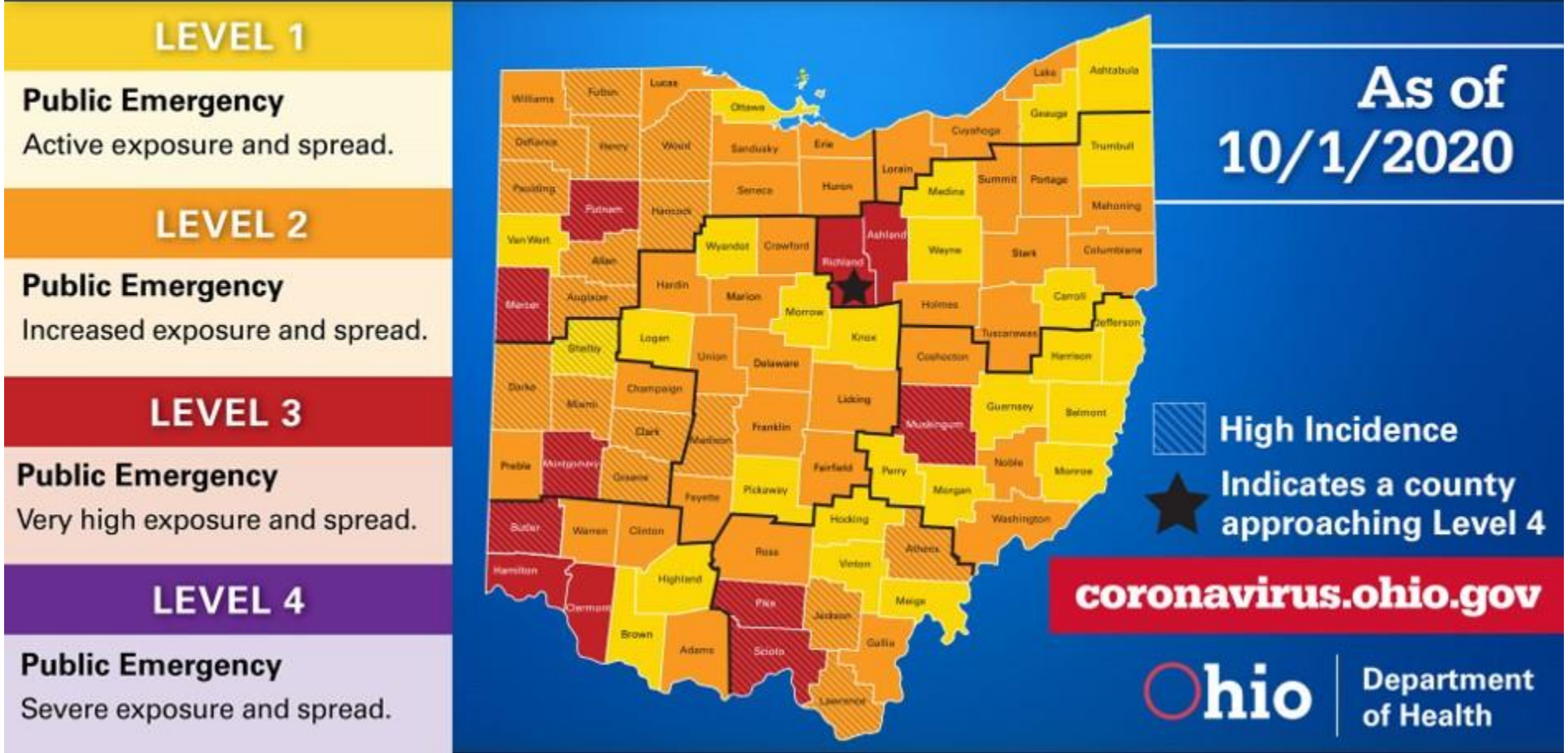


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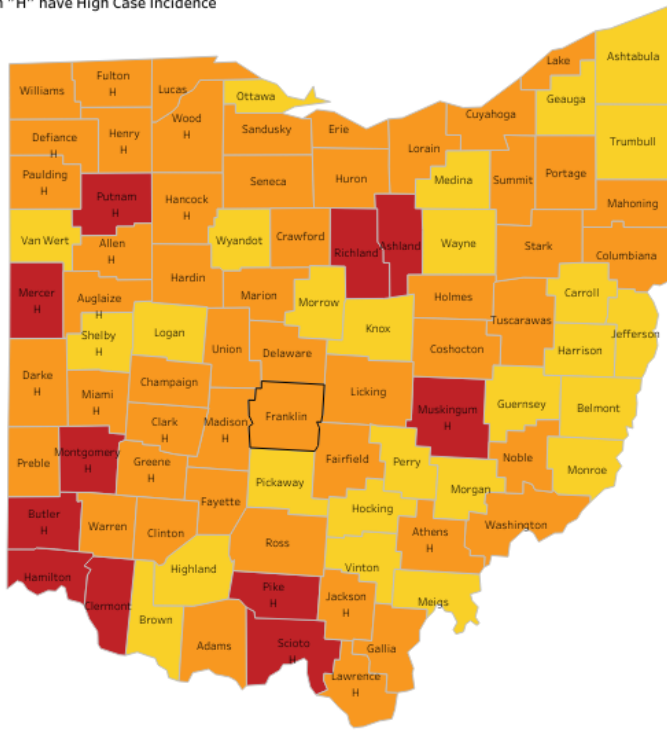


of Events 7 Day Average

Ohio Public Health Advisory System



Counties with an "H" have High Case Incidence



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Level 1 Public Emergency: active exposure and spread.

Yellow

Level 2 Public Emergency: increased exposure and spread. Exercise high degree of caution.

Orange

Level 3 Public Emergency: very high exposure and spread. Limit activities as much as possible.

Red

Level 4 Public Emergency: severe exposure and spread. Only leave home for supplies and services.

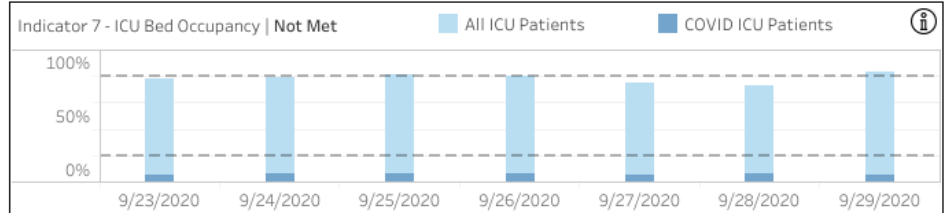
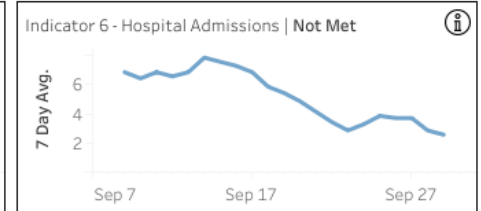
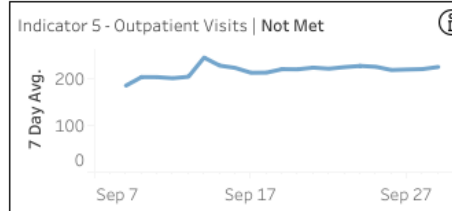
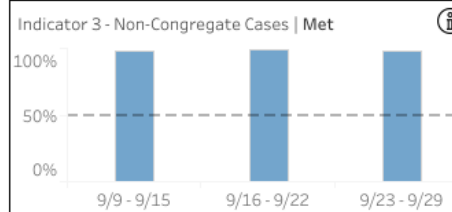
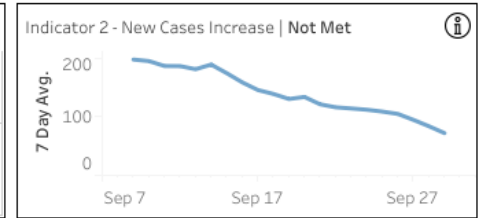
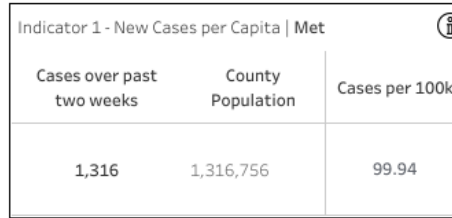
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For All Public Emergency Levels, Follow All Current Health Orders

Franklin County | Orange

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Data within the final 14 days of indicators 1, 2, 3 and 6 is preliminary and subject to change as more information is reported to ODH



Ohio COVID-19 Travel Advisory

Updated Wednesdays. Last updated 09/30/2020.

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Those entering Ohio after travel to states reporting positive testing rates of 15% or higher for COVID-19 are advised to self-quarantine for 14 days. Currently, 7 (+2*) states meet this 15% testing threshold.

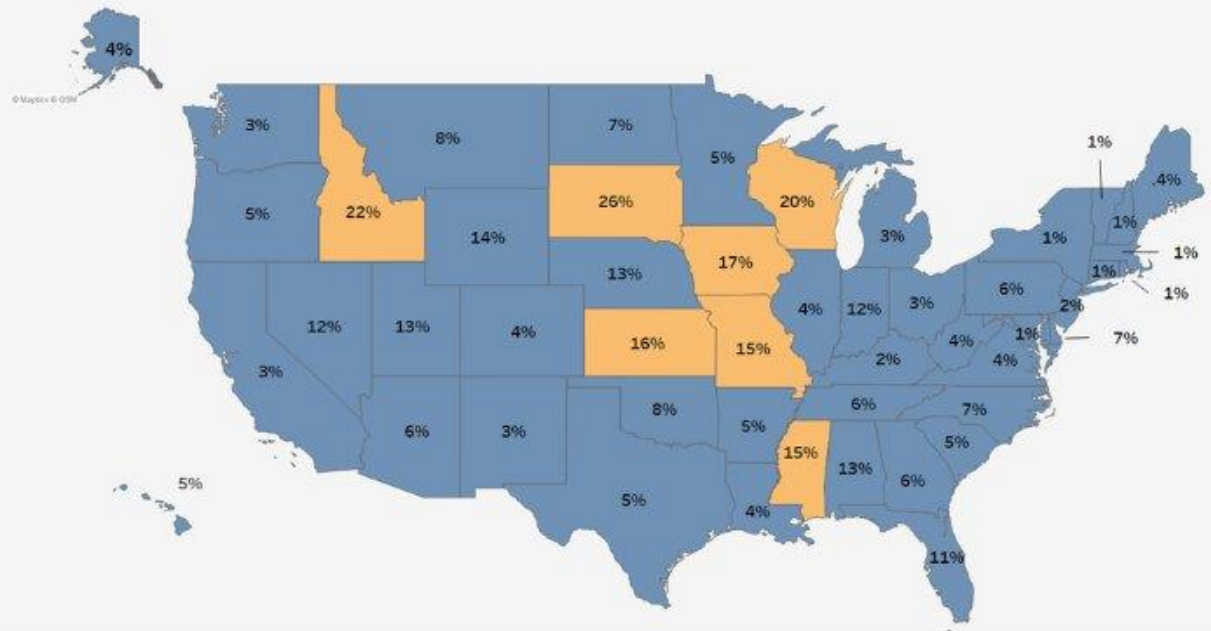
* Missouri and Mississippi added

Travel Advisory

The Ohio Department of Health recommends against travel to states with high positivity rates. If you must travel, ODH recommends 14 days of self-quarantine after leaving these locations. This advisory is intended for both leisure and business travel and should be heeded by both Ohioans and out-of-state travelers.



Positivity Rates



High positivity rate of 15% or more

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