Allegheny County
Department of Emergency Services

DAILY COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT
17 MAY 2020

CLEARED FOR PUBLIC DISSEMINATION

INFORMATION DASHBOARD

REGION COUNTS

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Region</th>
<th>Confirmed</th>
<th>Deaths</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>US</td>
<td>1,467,820</td>
<td>88,754</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pennsylvania</td>
<td>65,185</td>
<td>4,480</td>
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<tr>
<td>Allegheny County</td>
<td>1,595</td>
<td>143</td>
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*Source: John Hopkins Univ.*

Allegheny County Age Breakdown of Cases

![Age Breakdown Chart]

AC First Responder COVID-19 Status

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>CUMULATIVE</th>
<th>9-1-1 TCO’s</th>
<th>EMA County: 0</th>
<th>Municipal: 0</th>
<th>Police</th>
<th>Fire</th>
<th>EMS BLS: 4</th>
<th>ALS: 4</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Total Positive</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Recovered</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Remain Positive</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>0</td>
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Municipal Declarations | 61 of 130 Municipalities
Municipal EOC’s Open | 5

Allegheny County Long-Term Care Centers

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>Facilities with Cases</th>
<th>Positive Residents</th>
<th>Positive Employees</th>
<th>Deaths</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Allegheny County</td>
<td>36</td>
<td>402</td>
<td>111</td>
<td>112</td>
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Allegheny County EOC Status

Level 2 (Partial Activation)
Virtual (Monday – Friday / 0800-1600)
ESFs: 1, 6, 8, 13, 14, 15

Information accurate as of 1200 hours today
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HOSPITAL STATUS:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>State</th>
<th>COVID-19 Inpatients</th>
<th>COVID-19 Hospital Deaths (last 24 hr)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Pennsylvania</td>
<td>1810  -90</td>
<td>18 -6</td>
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<tr>
<td>Allegheny County</td>
<td>72     +6</td>
<td>3 +3</td>
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Source: PA Department of Health (as of 0900)

KANE COMMUNITY LIVING CENTERS:

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<tr>
<th>Facility</th>
<th>RESIDENTS</th>
<th>STAFF</th>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>COVID-19 +</td>
<td>Recovered</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Glen Hazel</td>
<td>78</td>
<td>50</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Scott</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>McKeesport</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>0</td>
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<tr>
<td>Ross</td>
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Source: Allegheny County / As of: 5/17/2020

Information accurate as of 1200 hours today

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ALLEGHENY COUNTY DETAILED EOC STATUS:

- Level II (Partial Activation) – Virtual using Microsoft Teams
- Current Participants:
  - ACES Command and ACES-EMA Staff
  - ESF 1: Airport Authority and Port Authority
  - ESF 6: AC Department of Human Services, VOAD via 2-1-1, & AIU
  - ESF 8: ACHD
- Alt. Care Site (ACS) set up as an Area Command

EOC ORGANIZATIONAL CHART:
CURRENT SITUATION

ACHD case update status: Todays total is 1,603 (+8), which includes 1,517 confirmed and 86 probable cases today, 292 (0) of which involved hospitalization (past or present). There have been 143 (0) deaths, 132 are confirmed (had positive test) and 11 are probable. All deaths are of individuals ranging in age from 42-103, with 84 being the median age of those who have died.

As of March 11, 2020, WHO has declared the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) a pandemic.

The Allegheny County Health Department (ACHD) continues efforts with ACES and other County departments through their Department Operations Center (DOC) to mitigate the impacts of COVID-19.

Allegheny County Health Department:
- Website updates continue daily: http://alleghenycounty.us/coronavirus
- Working on engaging the health care plans to conduct follow-up contact on diagnosed cases through their member outreach function.
- ACHD Public Health Laboratory COVID testing capability is online on a small scale, 15 per day. Eventual plan is to build capacity to perform many more tests per day.
- Surveying our MRC members to assess availability and clinical skills.
- Continue participating in Alternate Care Site staffing planning.

Allegheny County Emergency Services:
- Continue to distribute information and supplies as available to public safety and county department partners.

Allegheny County Department of Human Services:
- Continue to update providers and put resource materials and meeting notes/recordings on web.
- Ongoing need for supplies, particularly cleaning supplies and masks/gloves for home visits.
- Developed new website to help emergency recruitment of health and human service workers.
- Expanded health network in shelters through use of telemedicine.
- Translated many of our child-safety/COVID videos into Spanish.
- Watching effects on human services in PA counties that are opening back up. Starting to anticipate needs for Allegheny’s re-opening

CRITICAL INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS:

Vulnerable Care Facility Issues:
- The Long-Term Care Facility at St. Barnabas (Richland Twp.) is experiencing multiple residents that are COVID-19 positive. Unknown status of their other facilities on campus.

Critical Infrastructure Issues:
- As of May 11, 2020, there are 219 COVID-19 cases are in healthcare workers. This reflects 14% of the COVID-19 cases in Allegheny County.
- The Port Authority reports that a total of 14 personnel have tested positive for COVID-19, 8 are from the same work area. 1 has recovered and returned to work.

Food/Feeding Program Issues:
- The PA National Guard and PennDOT assignment to the Greater Pittsburgh Food Bank ended on Friday, May 15, 2020.
ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS OF INFORMATION:

Anticipated Unmet Needs:
- All sectors anticipate PPE and potential staffing shortfalls. PPE supply chain is improving, currently an average 4-week backlog.
- ACHD: availability of sample collection supplies is a concern.

Known COVID-19 Testing Sites:
- Map with locations is available at:
  http://alcogis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=41cf5adf5d4c4ace97b8f0e233a3c143
  - If you know of a testing site that is not on the map, please contact the DHS EOC liaison or Amy McCarty: Amy.McCarty@Alleghenycounty.us

Reported Absenteeism Causing Disruption:
- None noted

RUMOR CONTROL:
- FEMA COVID-19 Rumor Control webpage: https://www.fema.gov/coronavirus-rumor-control
- Allegheny County COVID-19 Rumor Control webpage: https://www.alleghenycounty.us/Health-Department/Resources/COVID-19/Rumor-Control.aspx
- The FBI warns of fraudulent sales solicitation of 3M PPE, or indicators of counterfeit 2M PPE, including N95 respirators.

Municipal EOC’s Activated:
- Aleppo - v
- Mt. Lebanon - v
- Penn Hills - s
- Pittsburgh – v
- White Oak - v

Allegheny County Municipal Declarations of Disaster:
- Avalon
- Aspinwall
- Baldwin Boro
- Bethel Park
- Blawnox
- Brackenridge
- Brentwood
- Bridgeville
- Carnegie
- Castle Shannon
- Cheswick
- Churchill
- Clairton
- Crafton
- Dravosburg
- Duquesne
- East Pittsburgh
- Edgewood
- Elizabeth Boro
- Etna
- Forest Hills
- Fox Chapel
- Franklin Park
- Hampton
- Harmar
- Homestead
- Ingram
- Jefferson Hills
- Lincoln
- McCandless
- Millvale
- Mt. Lebanon
- North Fayette
- Oakdale
- Ohio
- Penn Hills
- Pennsburry Village
- Pine
- Pitcairn
- Pittsburgh
- Pleasant Hills
- Port Vue
- Rankin
- Reserve
- Robinson
- Ross
- Sewickley Boro
- Sewickley Heights
- Shaler
- Sharpsburg
- South Fayette
- Springdale Boro
- Swissvale
- Turtle Creek
- Verona
- West Deer
- West Mifflin
- Whitaker
- White Oak
- Wilkins
- Wilmerding

◆ Initial Declaration received and is set to expire 7 days after receipt unless ratified
◆ Declaration is set to expire within 24 hours if not extended
ACCOMPLISHMENTS (past 24 hours):

Allegheny County Health Department:

Allegheny County Emergency Services:
- Disinfected the interiors of the vehicles in all ACES divisions.
- ACES-EMA (Asst. Chief Imbarlina and Training & Exercise Coordinator Gerlach), with assistance from PEMA HQ conducted a pilot “virtual” delivery of a G-Series course using Microsoft Teams on May 12, 2020.
- On 5/13/2020, the LEPC held a “virtual” meeting via Microsoft Teams and will plan another update in July.
- On May 15, 2020, ACES and ACHD held two virtual “Town Hall Meetings” for the VOAD and Municipal EMA. Video links:
  - VOAD Meeting: [https://youtu.be/1JZ_vengDIa](https://youtu.be/1JZ_vengDIa)
  - EMA Meeting: [https://youtu.be/5KTIZH0RL0k](https://youtu.be/5KTIZH0RL0k)

Allegheny County Human Services:

CHALLENGES:

Allegheny County Health Department:
- Continuing to evaluate available data for use in future messaging; obtaining complete demographic information remains challenging.
- Surveying MRC volunteers, at the request of PA DOH, to assist the PA National Guard and HAP at a Beaver County nursing home, Brighton Rehab and Wellness. Very few volunteers have expressed interest.

Allegheny County Emergency Services:
- 9-1-1 call volume has returned to normal as of Friday, May 15, 2020. This increase was foreseen, and 9-1-1 staffing was returned to pre-COVID-19 levels on Friday as well.

Allegheny County Human Services:
- There is a big need in the homeless and housing system for volunteers/temporary help.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES (next 24 to 72 hours):

Allegheny County Health Department:
- Establishing a standard training curriculum for incoming case investigations and contact tracing staff.

Allegheny County Emergency Services:
- Continue working with all parties on securing an alternate care facility in anticipation of a future medical surge.

Allegheny County Human Services:
- Daily provider calls are now Mondays and Thursdays

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- [Allegheny County First Responder COVID-19 Screening Help Line: 412-681-6669, Option 3](tel:412-681-6669)


- [ACES COVID-19 Ambulance Decontamination Procedure video:](https://youtu.be/Bor0OdZhZEM)

- PA DCED created the Business-to-Business Interchange Directory to connect organizations and businesses directly to manufacturers producing COVID-19-related products and supplies.

• FDA Pulls Approval for Dozens of Mask Makers in China – Tests have shown many imported masks perform far short of N95 filtration standards.
  o Link for new Letter: https://www.fda.gov/media/136664/download
  o Link for new Appendix A which is the most current list of authorized imported, non-NIOSH Approved respirators manufactured in China are: https://www.fda.gov/media/136663/download
  o These authorized respirators should be used in accordance with CDC’s recommendations (https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/hcp/respirators-strategy/index.html).

SIGNIFICANT WEATHER: