



LOS ANGELES COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER COVID-19 UPDATE

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FACTS

Incident Type: Public Health Emergency			
First US Case: January 21, 2020		First LA County Case: January 26, 2020	
Total Cases: 34,428	Cases Today: 1,264	Total Deaths: 1,659	Hospitalized(current): 1,763

SITUATION AS OF May 13, 2020

SITUATION SUMMARY:	The following public information is a high-level summary of events being managed by the Los Angeles County Emergency Operations Center tasked with the emergency response and coordination of Countywide resources to address the COVID-19 disaster. Please share this information with your family, fellow residents, municipal, state & community partners. <ul style="list-style-type: none">To receive regular updates, sign up for our GovDelivery distribution list here: https://bit.ly/2QE6khO		
PUBLIC HEALTH COVID-19 CASE COUNTS	The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health is actively monitoring the number of COVID-19 cases reported throughout the County.		
	Source	Number of Cases	Deaths
	Los Angeles County (excl. LB & Pas)	32,851	1,545
	City of Long Beach	984	48
	City of Pasadena	593	66
	LA Co. Public Health (Total)	34,428	1,659
	Confirmed Cases by Age Group		
	Los Angeles County (excl. LB & Pas)	Total Cases	
	0 – 17	1,099	
	18 – 40	11,236	
	41 – 65	13,466	
	Over 65	6,937	
	Under Investigation	113	
	Confirmed Cases - Public Safety		
	Los Angeles County Fire Dept.	19	
	Los Angeles County Sheriff	120	
To view Public Health's COVID-19 Surveillance Dashboard Click Here			

REOPENING ANNOUNCEMENTS	<p>Los Angeles County Beaches - May 13th: Beaches are open for active recreational activities only. Beaches & Harbors has set up physical distancing markers at all beach restrooms and planning distribution of new signage to all beach locations. Physical Distancing (6'+) required. Face Coverings are required out of the water and around others. This includes activities like surfing, swimming, running and walking. Prohibited activities and items include gathering, sitting or sunbathing, picnicking, canopies or coolers, biking, or volleyball. Beach Parking Lots, Piers, Concessions, Bike Paths, Volleyball courts, boardwalks will all remain closed.</p>
ROADMAP TO RECOVERY	<div data-bbox="380 478 1539 531">Recovery News</div> <ul data-bbox="444 531 1539 810" style="list-style-type: none"> • Retail Establishments Protocols (05.08.20) • Golf Course Protocols (05.08.20) • Trail Protocols (05.08.20) • Car Dealership Protocols (05.08.20) • Television and Film Entertainment Production (5.03.20) • Conditional Reopening of Certain Lower-Risk Retail Businesses, Golf Courses, and Public Spaces (5.08.20) <div data-bbox="380 810 1539 863">Recovery Resources</div> <p data-bbox="396 863 1539 978">Roadmap to Recovery (Infographic) English Spanish Traditional Chinese Simplified Chinese Korean Tagalog Arabic Farsi Cambodian Russian Japanese Vietnamese</p> <p data-bbox="396 1010 1539 1125">Roadmap to Recovery (Powerpoint) English Spanish Traditional Chinese Simplified Chinese Korean Tagalog Arabic Farsi Cambodian Russian Japanese Vietnamese</p> <p data-bbox="396 1157 1539 1230">For more information on the Department of Public Health Recovery Click Here. For more information on Los Angeles County Recovery Click Here.</p>
PUBLIC HEALTH RESOURCES:	<div data-bbox="380 1241 1539 1293">Health Officer Orders</div> <ul data-bbox="444 1293 1539 1461" style="list-style-type: none"> • Safer at Home Officer Order (04.10.20) • Home Isolation Health Officer Order (Revised 04.01.20) • Home Quarantine Health Officer Order (Revised 04.01.20) • Licensed Congregate Health Care Facilities (4.24.20) <div data-bbox="380 1461 1539 1514">Safer at Home</div> <p data-bbox="396 1514 1539 1608">Overview: (Updated 5/8) English (translations pending)</p> <p data-bbox="396 1608 1539 1682">What it Means for Me: (Updated 5/8) English (translations pending)</p> <div data-bbox="380 1682 1539 1734">Additional Resources & Information</div> <p data-bbox="396 1734 1539 1818">For additional things you can do to protect yourself, your family, and your community visit the Department of Public Health Website.</p> <ul data-bbox="444 1818 1539 1860" style="list-style-type: none"> • http://www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/

LOS ANGELES COUNTY HEALTH SERVICES & HEALTHCARE SYSTEM	For an update on the County healthcare system including data on available Hospital Beds, Ventilators, and Personal Protective Equipment visit the Department of Health Services COVID-19 Dashboard .		
	Los Angeles County Health Services has taken over the administration of the County wide COVID-19 testing program. 8 new testing sites are scheduled to be brought online this week. For more information Click Here .		
COVID-19 TESTING	Testing is Prioritized for:		
	Symptomatic persons with: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Fever, Cough, Chills, Repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell.		
	Asymptomatic persons: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Persons over age 65Those with a chronic medical conditionEssential workers, which includes: Social service employees; Critical government personnel; Health care professionals; Grocery and food service workers; Utility and other public employees		
	This is in addition to testing of symptomatic and asymptomatic individuals in congregate institutional settings.		
	Testing is Available by Appointment only		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Testing InformationSchedule a Free COVID-19 TestFrequently Asked Questions		
	As of today, approximately 263,000+ people in Los Angeles County have been tested for COVID-19. 11% of people tested have been positive.		
COVID-19 RELATED MEDICAL SHELTERING OPERATIONS	New medical sheltering operations are currently being explored. Wrap around services including transportation, food, laundry services and security services are available at each site.		
	Current Medical Sheltering Locations:		
	Location	Date Operational	Number of Clients
	David L. Murphy	4/27	20*
	Dockweiler RV Park	3/22	0*
	Mayfair Hotel	4/2	69*
	MLK Recuperative Center	3/25	23*
	Bell Gardens	4/8	63*
	Westchester/LA	4/1	2*
	Pomona Fairplex	3/25	39*
	Sherman Hotel	3/27	38*
	Total:		254
	*number of clients is reported as of 0800 today. This number will fluctuate daily as clients arrive/ are discharged.		

**PERSONS
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The Office of Emergency Management has designated LAHSA as the lead agency for work relating to people experiencing homelessness. OEM did this to ensure that LAHSA's expertise is captured in the day-to-day work and allows LAHSA to play the central coordinating role across City and County agencies. Visit the website for more information on [Homelessness & Housing](#)

Medical Sheltering:

Los Angeles County has stood up temporary quarantine and isolation shelters to prevent the spread of COVID-19. These temporary shelters, using hotels and motels throughout the County, is for individuals who have been exposed to COVID-19 and must isolate and need assistance from the County to do so. Visit our website for more information on [Medical Sheltering](#) and for a list of Frequently asked Questions.

Project Roomkey:

Project Roomkey is a collaborative effort by the State, County, City of Los Angeles and the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) to secure hotel and motel rooms for vulnerable people experiencing homelessness, with a focus on seniors and individuals with existing health conditions. It provides a way for people who don't have a home to stay inside to prevent the spread of COVID19. The data reflected in this update does not reflect contracts pending final execution with hoteliers. Visit our website for more information on [Project Roomkey](#)

Project Roomkey Locations:

Service Planning Area (SPA)	Total Rooms	Date Operational	# of Rooms Occupied	# of Clients
Antelope Valley – 1	94	4/6/2020	87	97
South Bay – 1	60	4/8/2020	51	57
San Fernando Valley – 1	52	4/5/2020	49	59
San Gabriel Valley – 1	49	4/6/2020	42	53
San Fernando Valley – 2	74	4/5/2020	74	101
San Fernando Valley – 3	50	4/11/2020	43	46
West Los Angeles – 1	136	4/3/2020	126	130
East Los Angeles – 1	50	4/17/2020	47	55
San Gabriel Valley – 2	87	4/12/2020	81	91
Metro Los Angeles – 1	48	4/15/2020	43	50
Metro Los Angeles – 2	49	4/21/2020	45	47
San Gabriel Valley – 3	50	4/17/2020	45	50
South Bay – 2	100	4/16/2020	91	102
San Fernando Valley – 4	242	4/20/2020	241	294
South Bay – 4	97	4/23/2020	97	106
South Bay – 5	133	4/22/2020	127	136
South Los Angeles – 1	69	4/23/2020	69	75

	San Fernando Valley – 5	52	4/28/2020	48	55
	West Los Angeles – 2	47	4/24/2020	45	46
	Metro Los Angeles – 3	60	4/18/2020	49	51
	East Los Angeles – 3	210	5/7/20	83	87
	San Gabriel Valley – 5	115	4/28/2020	102	125
	Metro Los Angeles – 4	35	4/30/2020	30	34
	Metro Los Angeles – 5	52	4/29/2020	47	52
	East Los Angeles – 4	120			
	San Gabriel Valley – 6	121			
	San Gabriel Valley – 7	129			
	San Gabriel Valley – 8	156			
	East Los Angeles – 5	99			
	Metro Los Angeles – 6	467	5/11/2020	28	31
	Overall Totals:	3,103		1,790	2,030
COMBATTING HUNGER:	<p>The County of Los Angeles is committed to feeding our most vulnerable communities during the Coronavirus pandemic. We are mobilizing public agencies, nonprofits, and volunteers to provide meals to anyone in need during the long months to come. Visit https://covid19.lacounty.gov/food/ for more information.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • County provided \$3 million to Los Angeles Regional Food Bank (LARFB) to provide financial assistance to purchase food supplies as inventory was declining rapidly due to 82% increase in demand/distribution. • Connected 60 food producers/suppliers to LARFB to provide donations of unused/unsold produce for distribution. Secured cold-storage warehouse space at downtown Produce Market for use by LARFB. • Distribution events occurred in the Antelope Valley at Littlerock Library and Sorensen Park at with 682 and 564 households at which 1,246 households were provided food boxes totaling 22.5 tons. • Total distributed to date at 6 Feeding Branch sponsored events is 147 tons of food provided to 8,150 households. • In consideration of Governor Newsom's request for seniors age 65 and older to stay at home, the Food Bank is partnering with Amazon to deliver food to seniors. <p>Next distribution event is at East Rancho Dominguez Park.</p>				
SENIOR CARE:	<p>LA County and the City of Los Angeles are providing free meals to adults age 60 and older who are impacted by the COVID-19 crisis. Meals are provided at distribution sites or via home-delivered meals. View the map below for information about each site. Adults age 65 and older must send a family member, friend or caregiver who is under the age of 65 to pick up meals at their assigned site. Call 1-800-510-2020 to request services.</p> <p>For a list of locations currently in the Los Angeles County Elder Nutrition Program Click Here.</p>				

LOS ANGELES COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER	<p>Logistics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supporting logistics and resources for upcoming field operations. The CEOC has received approximately 1,000 unique requests that continue to be prioritized and processed. Donations Management is receiving and evaluating donation offers. For more information please visit https://doingbusiness.lacounty.gov/ <p>Information</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing new Video Content and Public Service Announcements. Daily Press Conferences at 1PM on Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube (no press conference 5/12) For information regarding Los Angeles County's response to the COVID-19 pandemic visit our COVID-19 GIS Dashboards
PUBLIC SAFETY INFORMATION:	<p>The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Currently 120 department members have tested positive for COVID-19, 331 staff are quarantined and 982 have returned to work. Continue to monitor well-being of inmates and staff while reducing inmate population. Continuing to support staffing needs at the CEOC including the Joint Information Center. <p>The Los Angeles County Fire Department</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 19 County Fire staff currently tested positive for COVID-19, 17 staff are sick at home, and 17 returned to work. Fire personnel supporting countywide testing sites. 114,531 total COVID-19 tests have been administered at all testing sites. For more information on how to make your home F.I.R.E ready visit https://www.fire.lacounty.gov/f-i-r-e/
SCHOOLS:	<p>LACOE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Posted the "COVID-19 Update" on May 7, 2020. For more information Click Here <p>LAUSD:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The District's summer school programming application window opens on May 18, 2020. For more information access Click Here.
TRANSPORTATION	<p>Amtrak:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effective May 11, 2020, all customers in stations, trains and buses are required to wear facial coverings. For more information Click Here. <p>Metrolink:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Temporary service reduction of services effective Thursday, March 26, 2020. For more information Click Here. <p>Metropolitan Transit Authority:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> As of May 11, 2020, Metro is requiring all riders on buses and trains to wear face coverings until further notice. For more information Click Here.
PUBLIC SERVICES	<p>Southern California Edison (SCE):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Providing the Climate Credit to customers across two consecutive bill cycles in May-June and June-July. For more information Click Here. <p>Southern California Gas Company (So Cal Gas):</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Posted an updated “So Cal Gas Stands With Your Community During COVID-19” newsletter to inform customers of response efforts. For more information Click Here. <p>AT&T:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Currently has 28 portable cell sites in operation and deployed more than 57 during the COVID-19 crisis to bolster coverage for FirstNet customers. For more information Click Here. <p>Verizon Wireless:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuing to waive late fees and overage charges until May 13, 2020 for customers due to the COVID-19 crisis. For more information Click Here.
CONTINUITY OF OPERATION PLANS: (COOP)	<p>Continuity of Operations Plans ensure the County of Los Angeles continues to support the residents of this county during any type of disaster response. Below is a list of County Departments and their status as it pertains to the COVID-19 local health emergency:</p> <p>Agriculture/Weights and Measures: No updates provided today. For more information visit https://acwm.lacounty.gov/</p> <p>Alternate Public Defender: Consulting with Superior Court and Justice partners to plan full reopening of courts. For more information visit http://apd.lacounty.gov/</p> <p>Animal Care and Control: Supporting the Operational Area with modified processes to support animal owners, public safety mailers, and releasing animals from our care through adoptions, foster programs, rescues and re-unifications. For more information visit https://animalcare.lacounty.gov/</p> <p>Arts and Culture: No updates provided today. For more information visit https://www.lacountyarts.org/digital-resource-center</p> <p>Assessor: Continuing essential public services, maintaining daily operations, focusing on the Assessment Roll, adding staff as DSWs, and tracking costs related to CCVID-19. For more information visit https://assessor.lacounty.gov/</p> <p>Auditor-Controller: 77% of staff are teleworking, 31 are DSWs, and 4 are working critical assignments. For more information visit https://auditor.lacounty.gov/</p> <p>Beaches and Harbors: Setting up physical distancing markers at all beach restrooms and planning distribution of new signage to all beach locations. County beaches are scheduled to reopen on Wednesday, May 13, 2020. For more information visit https://beaches.lacounty.gov/covid19.</p> <p>Board of Supervisors: Convening subcommittees to spearhead County reopening plans. The next Board Of Supervisors meeting will be on Tuesday, May 26, 2020 at 9:30 a.m. For more information visit https://bos.lacounty.gov/</p>

Chief Executive Office: Facilitating management strategies for departmental recovery plan. Coordinating the identification of critical departmental functions and resources required for the implementation of the BOS priorities. 310 staff are teleworking, 80 work on-site, and 13 staff work as DSWs. Facilitating information sharing and collaboration with partners by supporting the JIC with logistical support and ensuring timely dissemination of information to staff. For more information visit <https://ceo.lacounty.gov/>

Child Support Services: No updates provided today. For more information call (866) 901-3212 or visit <https://cssd.lacounty.gov/>

Children and Family Services: Supplying PPEs to short term residential therapeutic programs facilities and Foster Family Agencies due to number of COVID-19 positive supervised youth. 5,615 staff are teleworking and 2,033 are working on-site. For more information visit <https://dcfs.lacounty.gov/coronavirus-covid-19-updates/>

Consumer and Business Affairs: Continue to survey and provide guidance to vendors to simplify and expedite the supply and delivery of vital resources in need by DPH and DHS. For more information visit <https://dcba.lacounty.gov/>

County Counsel: No updates provided today. For more information visit <https://counsel.lacounty.gov/>

Development Authority: No updates provided today. For more information visit <https://wwwa.lacda.org/>

District Attorney: 1,229 staff are teleworking, and 678 staff are working on-site. For more information visit <https://da.lacounty.gov/>

Health Services: Continue to support the National Guard and the Navy medical teams providing assistance at Skilled Nursing and Long-Term Care facilities within the CA. Brokering between military, state, and medical facilities to best distribute resources. For more information visit <http://dhs.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dhs>

Internal Services: Modifying COVID-19 special cleaning Standard Operating Procedure to align with CDC guidelines. Performed 110 COVID-19 related specialty cleanings to date and performing daily services in Public Health clinics in all exam/testing rooms. Delivered 100 A-Frames (barricades) to Department of Beaches and Harbors at Marina Del Rey to curtain off areas for pedestrian pathway. 1,228 staff are teleworking 481 are working on-site, and 189 are on approved leave. For more information please visit <https://isd.lacounty.gov/>

Medical Examiner-Coroner: Monitoring mortuaries and funeral homes to provide surge capacity storage and provide equipment. Monitoring and prepared to provide surge capacity storage for area hospitals. 8% of staff are teleworking and 210 are working on-site. For more information please visit <https://mec.lacounty.gov/2020/press-releases/coronavirus/>

Mental Health: Partnered with DPH to develop a new pamphlet for CCVID-19 “Coping with the Loss of a Loved One” and posted on the DPH website. Completed the purchase of a telemental health solution to allow clinicians and staff to have face-to-face individual and group sessions remotely. DMH trained 617 clinicians to use the new solution on May 7, 2020. Working with DHS to transfer psychiatric patients from hospitals to transitional, subacute, enriched residential services. The Employee Wellbeing line is being expanded to first responders in LA County beyond County employees in the near future and working on adding another line for Veterans to the ACCESS call line. For more information call LACDMH’s Help Line at (800) 854-7771 or visit <https://dmh.lacounty.gov/>.

Military/Veterans Affairs: A virtual Veterans Advisory Commission meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 13, 2020, to discuss recovery efforts for the department. For more information please visit <https://mva.lacounty.gov/>

Natural History Museum: No updates provided today. For more information visit <https://nhm.org/update-nhmlacs-response-covid-19>

Parks & Recreation: Coordinating food distribution event at East Rancho Dominguez Park. Hosting Pop-up voting sites at Castaic Sports Complex and Stephen Sorensen Park parking lots on May 12, 2020 for Congressional District 25 special general election. For more information please call (626) 588-5364 or visit <https://parks.lacounty.gov/covid-19/>

Probation: Nurses have trained selected Probation staff at the juvenile halls and camps for the use of infrared thermometers on all staff and visitors upon entry to the facility. 882 staff are teleworking and 2,536 are working on-site. For more information <https://probation.lacounty.gov/>

Public Defender: Preparing the reopening of Courts by June 22, 2020, with trials in mid-July. Monitoring list of positive COVID-19 tests for in-custody inmates. For more information visit <https://pubdef.lacounty.gov/>

Public Library: Extended due dates on all materials to June 19, 2020. Produced an additional 396 fabric face coverings for a total of 2,135. Processed a total of 28,700 new online card registrations. Submitted an application to the National Endowment for the Humanities for \$20,000 programming funding. For more information please visit: <https://lacountylibrary.org/coronavirus/>

Public Social Services: Processing influx of Cal Fresh applications (73% increase in cases from last year). Deployed staff to assist at Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LASHA) Headquarters, Quarantine/isolation sites, and Project Room key shelter sites. Supporting the Emergency Food Security Taskforce with logistical support. 3,784 staff are teleworking, 268 are quarantined/isolated, and 5,954 are working on-site. For more please visit <http://dpss.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dpss>

	<p>Public Works: Provided traffic control measures for upcoming food distribution event in Supervisorial District 2. 56% of staff are teleworking or on leave, 44% are working on-site. For more information visit https://dpw.lacounty.gov/general/Hotline.cfm</p> <p>Regional Planning: 178 staff are teleworking, and 3 are DSWs. For more visit http://planning.lacounty.gov/</p> <p>Registrar-Recorder/County-Clerk: Operating 7 safe in-person vote centers and 22 vote by mail drop boxes throughout Congressional District 25 for Election Day today. For more information visit https://lavote.net/</p> <p>Treasurer-Tax Collector: Continue to work on taxpayer requests for penalty cancellation for those impacted by COVID-19. Updated messaging on website and FAQs related to penalty cancellation in eight different languages. 36% of staff are teleworking and 50% are working on-site. For a list of frequently asked questions visit https://ttc.lacounty.gov/</p> <p>WDACS: Finalizing Great Plates Program implementation to provide 800 participants with meals. Exploring utilization of National Dislocated Worker Grant for disaster efforts and recovery efforts. Exploring statewide initiative to engage hospitality industry as an addition to Great Plates Delivered to place people in transitional jobs. Identifying ways to utilize future dollars to help businesses with any physical guidelines created by COVID-19, and enhance a marketing presence for smaller businesses. For more information visit https://wdacs.lacounty.gov/covid-19/</p> <p>For a complete list of County offices please visit: https://bit.ly/2WwfGQi</p>
STATE PARTNERS	<p>Governor Newsom announced new guidance for industries to open statewide with modifications and new guidance for counties that will meet the State's requirements to move further into Stage 2. For more information Click Here.</p> <p>The California Department of Public Health and Cal OSHA provided COVID-19 Industry Guidance for dine-in restaurants. For more information Click Here.</p> <p>The California Department of Public Health and Cal OSHA provided COVID-19 Industry Guidance for shopping malls, destination shopping centers, strip malls, outlet malls, and swap meets. For more information Click Here.</p>
LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT:	<p>Effective May 9, 2020, all Los Angeles County Superior Court bench officers are required to wear of face coverings while on the bench and in public areas inside courthouses. For more information Click Here.</p>
AMERICAN RED CROSS	<p>Continue to support the LAUSD food distribution program which started on March 18, 2020. Offering the "Red Cross Ready", a free preparedness education class to help prepare and respond to disasters. For more information Click Here.</p>
ACCESS SERVICES	<p>Access has completed 42,876 meal/grocery deliveries to seniors and people with disabilities across four current projects. For more information access https://accessla.org/home/</p>

211 LA COUNTY	Continue to provide all Los Angeles County residents with updated information regarding COVID-19 response efforts. For more information Click Here.
LOS ANGELES REGIONAL FOOD BANK	In consideration of Governor Newsom's request for seniors age 65 and older to stay at home, the Food Bank is partnering with Amazon to deliver food to seniors. For more information visit https://www.lafoodbank.org/
PROCLAMATION AND EMERGENCY DECLARATIONS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Federal: National Emergency Declaration on March 13, 2020 • Federal: U.S. Small Business Administration Declaration on March 16, 2020 • Federal: Presidential Major Disaster Declaration, March 22, 2020 • Federal: President Trump signed the CARES Act into law on March 27, 2020 • State: California State of Emergency Proclaimed on March 4, 2020 • County: LA County Proclamation of Local Emergency on March 4, 2020 • Cities: 86 proclaimed Local Emergency; 2 declared Local Health Emergency 	