

## NEWS ALERTS AND UPDATES – June 17, 2020

### NATIONAL:

- **Total cases 2,132,321 (+27,975)**
- **Total deaths: 116,862 (+722)**

\*37 jurisdictions report more than 10,000 cases of COVID-19

### STATE:

- **157,015 positive cases (+3,455; 2.2%)**
- **5,208 deaths (+87; 1.7%)**

\*2,997,988 tests have been conducted.

California Health and Human Services Agency is releasing this information as an [open dataset](#). This includes dashboards for [hospital data](#) and statewide case statistics. See the [county level data](#).

[Check out the County Reopening Map](#)

### GOVERNOR NEWSOM UPDATES

COVID-19 has not gone away. As CA reopens, it is crucial that we physically distance, wear face coverings in public and stay home when sick. CA will get through this stronger and more resilient than ever. [Watch today's press conference here](#)

First Partner Jennifer Siebel Newsom and California State Library Launch Five-Week Summer Reading Challenge. [Full Release](#)

You are not alone. There is a path to safety, even during these uncertain times. If you are facing abuse, go to thehotline.org or call 1(800)799-SAFE. [Watch PSA](#)

### CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

ICYMI: State Superintendent Tony Thurmond Media Check-In: Wednesday, June 17. [Watch here](#)

State Superintendent Tony Thurmond Announces Free Statewide Online Suicide Prevention Training Program. [Full Release](#)

Reminder: Students in the middle and high school age range are invited to attend tomorrow's "Student Support Circle: Institutional Racism and Implicit Bias." Hosted by the CDE and State Superintendent Tony Thurmond in partnership with National Equity Project, it'll be streamed here on Facebook live at 4 p.m., and features California Surgeon General Dr. Nadine Burke Harris. It also features students from across the state speaking about what they've experienced and talk about practical solutions to institutional racism and implicit bias in public schools. [Watch on FB Live.](#)

The CDE recently created an email address for our communities to have their voices heard regarding institutional racism. Please submit your ideas and feedback to [createracialjustice@gmail.com](mailto:createracialjustice@gmail.com).

## LOCAL:

### **June 17, 2020 – One New Cases Confirmed Today**

Humboldt County's COVID-19 case count rose to 108, as one additional case was reported today. This new case was acquired through community transmission.

**The following information is based on the most recent data available for all confirmed cases:**

- Contact to a Known Case: 61 (no chg)
- Travel-Acquired: 24 (no chg)
- Community Transmission: 23 (+1)
- Under Investigation: 0 (no chg)

### **Daily COVID-19 case report for June 17**

- Total number of positive cases: 108 (+1)
- Total number of recovered cases: 101 (no chg)
- Total number of hospitalizations: 13 (no chg)
- Total number of deaths: 4 (no chg)

### **Number of tests run since last report**

- Public Health Laboratory: 73
- OptumServe public testing site: 136

**Total tests run to date**

- Public Health Laboratory: 3,844
- OptumServe public testing site: 3,660
- Willow Creek public testing site: 26

**Public Health Laboratory testing Information**

- Supply capacity: Approximately 1,900 tests
- Testing capacity: 70 samples per day
- Turnaround time: 48 to 72 hours

**COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT NEWS**

- Certified Hotels, Short-Term Rentals, Personal Care Services Can Reopen Friday. [Read More](#)

**VIDEOS FROM HUMBOLDT JOINT INFORMATION CENTER**

- June 17, 2020 | [Humboldt COVID Radio Update](#)  
This is the COVID-19 Radio Update for the week of June 15 through the 21, 2020

**HUMBOLDT COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION**

Check out our [COVID webpages](#) for latest information