

NEWS ALERTS AND UPDATES – June 18, 2020

NATIONAL:

- **Total cases 2,155,572 (+22,834)**
- **Total deaths: 117,632 (+754)**

*38 (+1) jurisdictions report more than 10,000 cases of COVID-19

CDC GUIDELINES UPDATED:

- Updates for contact tracing:
 - [Case investigation workflow](#)
 - [Contact tracing workflow](#)
- Key Concepts:
 - Trace and monitor contacts of infected people. Notify them of their exposure.
 - Support the quarantine of contacts. Help ensure the safe, sustainable and effective quarantine of contacts to prevent additional transmission.
 - Expand staffing resources. Contact tracing in the US will require that states, tribes, localities and territorial establish large cadres of contact tracers.
 - Use digital tools. Adoption and evaluation of digital tools may expand reach and efficacy of contact tracers.
- Communication Resources: [CDCs Role and Approach](#)
- Considerations for Travelers—[Coronavirus in the US](#)

STATE:

- **161,099 positive cases (+4,084; 2.6%)**
- **5,290 deaths (+82; 1.6%)**

*3,074,530 tests have been conducted.

FACE COVERINGS REQUIRED IN PUBLIC SPACES

Cloth face coverings or [masks](#) help reduce the spread of coronavirus especially when combined with physical distancing and frequent hand washing. Starting June 18, Californians must wear face coverings in common and public indoor spaces and outdoors when distancing is not possible. Learn more about the [guidance and limited exceptions here](#).

GOVERNOR NEWSOM UPDATES

NEW: Californians are now required to wear face coverings in public spaces - particularly indoors or when physical distancing is not possible. [Watch PSA](#)

Governor Newsom Statement on U.S. Supreme Court's DACA Ruling. [Full Release](#)

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

ICYMI: Student Support Circle: Institutional Racism and Implicit Bias. [Watch here](#)

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

California Public Health Officials Release Guidance Requiring Californians to Wear Face Coverings in Most Settings Outside the Home. [Full Release](#)

LOCAL:**June 18, 2020 – No New Cases Confirmed Today**

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 (no chg)
- Under Investigation: 0 (no chg)

Daily COVID-19 case report for June 18

- Total number of positive cases: 108 (no chg)
- 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: 45
- OptumServe public testing site: 124

Total tests run to date

- Public Health Laboratory: 3,889
- OptumServe public testing site: 3,784
- Willow Creek public testing site: 26

Public Health Laboratory testing Information

- Supply capacity: Approximately 1,850 tests
- Testing capacity: 70 samples per day
- Turnaround time: 48 to 72 hours

VIDEOS FROM HUMBOLDT JOINT INFORMATION CENTER

- June 18, 2020 | State Masking Mandate - [Dr. Teresa Frankovich](#)
Humboldt County Health Officer Dr. Teresa Frankovich talks about the new masking mandate for the State of California.

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