

## NEWS ALERTS AND UPDATES – June 19, 2020

### NATIONAL:

- **Total cases 2,178,710 (+23,138)**
- **Total deaths: 118,365 (+733)**

\*38 jurisdictions report more than 10,000 cases of COVID-19

### **CDC COVIDView – A Weekly Surveillance Summary of U.S. COVID-19 Activity**

[Download Weekly Summary](#)

#### **Key Updates for week ending June 13**

Nationally, levels of influenza-like illness (ILI) and COVID-19-like illness (CLI) remain lower than peaks seen in March and April but are increasing slightly in some regions. The percentage of specimens testing positive for SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19, also increased slightly from last week in some regions. Mortality attributed to COVID-19 decreased compared to last week but remains elevated above baseline and may increase as additional death certificates are processed.

#### **CDC Updated Guidance**

[Suggestions for Youth and Summer Camps](#)

### STATE:

- **165,416 positive cases (+4,317; 2.7%)**
- **5,360 deaths (+70; 1.3%)**

\*3,155,702 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**

Governor Newsom Issues Proclamation Declaring Juneteenth Day of Observance.

[View Proclamation](#)

Gov. Gavin Newsom signs bill sending mail ballot to every active California voter. [Read article](#)  
[Read Assembly Bill No. 860](#)

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

ICYMI: Student Support Circle: Institutional Racism and Implicit Bias. [Watch here](#)  
[Read Full Release issued today](#)

ICYMI: Closing the Digital Divide Task Force meeting: Friday, June 19, 2020. [Watch here](#)

**Tony Thurmond Statement: Juneteenth**

*"This year, Juneteenth takes on a special meaning as the fight for equality and racial justice gains momentum and a feeling of urgency. We live in a country where the lives of Breonna Taylor, Ahmaud Arbery, Rayshard Brooks and George Floyd were snuffed out by lethal violence. And as we are hearing from students, too often classrooms fail to connect these events to our country's complex, violent, and racist history. Perhaps this is why Juneteenth still isn't a federal holiday, and its history is often overlooked. But Black history is American history. And as we celebrate Juneteenth together, let's use this moment to renew our commitment to creating opportunities for all of California's students to thrive."*

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

[Department of Public Health Statement: Juneteenth](#)

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

**LOCAL:****June 19, 2020 – Two New Cases Confirmed Today**

Two additional cases of COVID-19 were reported today, bringing to 110 the total number of Humboldt County residents who have tested positive for the virus. The means of transmission for these two new cases is under investigation.

**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: 2 (+2)

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

- Total number of positive cases: 110 (+2)
- Total number of recovered cases: 101 (no chg)
- Total number of hospitalizations: 13 (no chg)
- Total number of deaths: 4 (no chg)

**Positive cases by region:**

- Northern Humboldt: 21
- Greater Humboldt Bay Area: 85
- Southern Humboldt: 4

Males: 42%

Females: 58%

Mean age: 45

**Age Range**

- 0-19: 9
- 20-29: 15
- 30-39: 24
- 40-49: 19
- 50-59: 11
- 60-69: 22
- 70-79: 3
- 80+: 7

**Number of tests run since last report**

- Public Health Laboratory: 64
- OptumServe public testing site: 112
- Willow Creek public testing site: 16

**Total tests run to date**

- Public Health Laboratory: 3,953
- OptumServe public testing site: 3,896
- Willow Creek public testing site: 42

**Public Health Laboratory testing Information**

- Supply capacity: Approximately 1,800 tests
- Testing capacity: 70 samples per day
- Turnaround time: 48 to 72 hours

**Estimated testing rates:**

- Humboldt County: 6,385 per 100,000 residents
- California: 7,698 per 100,000 residents
- United States: 7,711 per 100,000 residents

**Estimated rate of confirmed cases:**

- Humboldt County: 81 per 100,000 residents
- California: 419 per 100,000 residents
- United States: 667 per 100,000 residents

**VIDEOS FROM HUMBOLDT JOINT INFORMATION CENTER**

June 19, 2020 | [Sector Re-Opening Announcements - Dr. Teresa Frankovich](#)

Today, Humboldt County Health Officer Dr. Teresa Frankovich announces July 3 as the re-opening date for local gyms, assuming on local conditions remaining favorable. In this video she also addresses the issue of noncompliant fitness facilities.

June 19, 2020 | [Rio Dell COVID-19 Volunteer Corp](#) City of Rio Dell Mayor Debra Garnes talks about the work the city is doing to fight help the community during the COVID-19 pandemic.

**HUMBOLDT COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION**

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