State of Ohio EOC SITUATION REPORT

COVID-19 Response

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State EOC Status: Full Activation

This report communicates State EOC activity over the previous Operational Period.

Dissemination: Daily, 8:00 AM
Information Cutoff Time: 12:00 AM

Executive Summary

Over the past 24 hours, total new cases (+362), hospitalizations (+54), and deaths (+25) were all below five-day averages, however, ICU admissions (+26) were above the 5-day average. 3,232 of the 16,325 total cases have been hospitalized.

The State EOC continued to identify, monitor, and respond to COVID-19 hot spots, with a strong focus on Long-Term Care facilities and incarcerated populations.

Key Indicators

Total Cases

Total Deaths

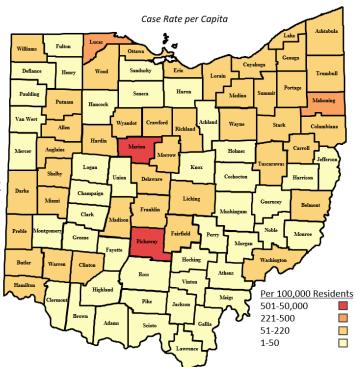
16,325 753

1,073 39%

- .65% daily change

- 1% daily change

- COVID-19 numbers provided by ODH daily at 2:00 PM
- Hospital numbers provided by OHA daily at 8:30 AM



State Community Lifeline Status



In-state Response | Ongoing External Support | Assistance Needed

Primary Lifeline: Health & Medical

- Two requests federal assistance are awaiting FEMA approval (pg. 4).
- Total confirmed cases, deaths, and hospitalizations continue to increase.
- Statewide bed and ventilator capacity are projected to meet 30-day medical forecast needs.
- Forecast PPE needs for medical, first responders, and behavioral health needs continue to drive state procurement efforts.
- One local Alternate Care Site is operational in Columbus for Med Surge needs (population is 0).
- An Attentive Care site has been established in Columbus to address Mass Fatality needs.
- Response & planning continues to support needs of critical populations.
- Mass Fatality, Medical Surge, and Personal Protective Equipment workgroups continue efforts.
- Nine requests for Federal assistance have been submitted and addressed.
- Ohio National Guard members on Title 32 Orders are supporting stabilization of the lifeline.
- Six staff members at Twin Valley Behavioral Healthcare Hospital have tested positive.

Communications

No current impacts to statewide communications.

Energy

No current impacts to statewide utilities.

Food, Water, Sheltering

- National food processing limitations are driving planning to address challenges for food industry
- No food shortages in Ohio have been identified
 - Restaurants are restricted to carry-out and delivery only.
- Limited access to nursing homes & similar facilities continues.
- Non-congregate sheltering planning and response continues.
- 36 staff members and six residents at Northwest Ohio Developmental Center have tested positive.

Hazardous Materials

No current impacts to this lifeline.

Safety & Security

- First Responders have access to information on who has tested positive for COVID-19.
- Limited access to jails & detention facilities continues.
- ODRC staff and incarcerated populations have tested positive in 23 facilities.
- 383 (+4) ODRC staff members and 3,878 (+33) inmates have tested positive.

Transportation

• No current impacts to statewide transportation network.

State EOC Objectives

- 1. Prevent, identify, mitigate and respond to COVID-19 hot spots.
- 2. Coordinate the State's response to limit spread of COVID-19 and maintain medical care.
- 3. Provide timely, clear, and consistent messaging to the public, stakeholders and media on the status of COVID-19 and actions the public can take to keep themselves safe.
- 4. Determine how state agencies will continue delivery of essential services to Ohioans while following COVID-19 public health guidelines.
- 5. Procure and distribute required equipment and resources to support statewide response.
- 6. Identify supply bottlenecks that threaten community lifelines and tools the state can provide to improve the supply situation.
- 7. Determine what emergency authorities and programs are now available through the National Emergency and Public Health Emergency declarations.

State FOC Mission Overview

Pending Assigned In-Progress Complete New

35 107 16 128 396

Definitions

New: being processed and assigned to appropriate ESF Pending: best ESF-assignment being determined Assigned: EOP-based assignment of mission to ESF has occurred In-Progress: Assigned ESF is taking action on mission Complete: Support from the EOC has been provided and active support has ceased

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Status of Direct Federal Assistance

Request	Submitted	Status
Disaster Mortuary Response Team	April 3, 2020	FEMA approved - virtual
Federal Medical Station	March 26, 2020	FEMA unable to provide
Human Remains Pouches	March 26, 2020	FEMA approved
HHS ASPR Liaison Officer (Virtual)	March 26, 2020	FEMA approved
Ohio National Guard Title 32 orders	March 31, 2020	FEMA approved
USACE Facility Assessments	March 29, 2020	FEMA approved
ACF Design Engineer Build	April 6, 2020	State declined
PPE For Statewide Distribution	April 16, 2020	FEMA approved
PPE for ONG Title 32 Missions (3 Week Supply)	April 16, 2020	FEMA approved
Specimen Collection Kits	April 22, 2020	Submitted
Thermometers & Probes	April 24, 2020	Submitted
Title 32 Extension	April 25, 2020	FEMA approved

State Response Site Status

State-supported sites intended to support local response efforts have been identified by State EOC workgroups working with County EMA and Regional Healthcare partners.

Med Surge Alternate Care Site Status			
<u>Facility</u>	County	Capacity	<u>Status</u>
1. Columbus Convention Center	Franklin	1,000	Operational
2. Case Health Ed. Campus	Cuyahoga	327	Selected
3. Duke Energy Convention Center	Hamilton	144	Selected

Mass Fatality Attentive Care Site Status			
<u>Facility</u>	County	Capacity	<u>Status</u>
1. State Expo Center	Franklin	1,000	Operational
2. Dayton Expo Center	Montgomery	1,000	Selected

State EOC Actions by Emergency Support Function

1 | Transportation

• Ohio Department of Transportation

Actions Taken:

- Completed one mission yesterday picking up face shields from Eaton/Thogas and delivered them to the RSS Warehouse.
- Provided Electronic Message Boards to the Cleveland Food Bank.
- Planned Actions:
 - Working on a mission with BWC to pick up ventilators in Oberlin to the Armory on Sullivant Rd. Columbus.

2 | Communications

Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Actions Taken:

Nothing significant to report

3 | Engineering/Public Works

• Ohio Department of Natural Resources

Actions Taken:

 Was contacted Sunday evening by Clark county EMA/health district and has two cabins being utilized at Buck Creek State park for non-congregate quarantine (#1 and #13) at this time.

Planned Actions:

- Will begin a mission supporting ESF-1 today for transporting PPE.
- Stand ready to support any additional requests from partners.
- Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

Actions Taken:

- Have no active missions assigned.
- Continue coordination with OEMA on receipt and distribution of cloth masks for essential employees at critical infrastructure (CI) facilities from FEMA. Continue to monitor SEOC operations and provide support as needed.

Planned Actions:

Continue to monitor SEOC operations and provide support as needed.

4 | Firefighting

State Fire Marshal

Actions Taken:

- o Participated in the Transportation Work Group.
- o OFCA held an internal COVID-19 Committee meeting.

Planned Actions:

- o Continue to provide assistance to ESF-8 through the Fatality Branch Director.
- Continue to collaborate with other ESF partners.
- o Support Ohio's fire service efforts.
- The Ohio Fire Chiefs' State Emergency Response System Coordinators will meet April, 28.

5 | Information & Planning

- Statewide Overview of County EMA Response
 - Medical transport, alternate care site & mass fatality planning continue.
 - o PPE conservation, acquisition, & distribution efforts continue.
 - Long-term recovery planning is occurring.
- State EOC Liaisons

Actions Taken:

Nothing Significant to Report.

Planned Actions:

- Support County EOCs and continue working with state agency partners as necessary (via deployment or virtual means).
- Advanced Planning

Actions Taken:

- Nothing Significant to Report
- GIS

Actions Taken:

- o Supported new additions to fire/ems survey, provided submission summary to ESF-4
- Continue to support OGRIP and OHANG as needed.

Planned Actions:

- o Continue daily updates on COVID-19 quarantine locations.
- Continue to support OGRIP and OHANG.
- o Maintain fire/ems needs survey and dashboard.

6 | Mass Care

Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Actions Taken:

- o 48 total missions. 20 long-term, extended missions are ongoing.
- o Most efforts focused on food banks, food supply, MOU work, and work group tasks.

Planned Actions:

- Agriculture Work Group call.
- Ongoing support of food supply / distribution efforts and MOU.
- Ongoing support or workgroups, partners, and planning for restoration of 'normal' operations for various NGO partners.

7 | Logistics

• Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Actions Taken:

- On April 24th received 208K gloves and 509K N95/KN95 masks from FEMA against the PPE resource request.
 - To date we have received 1.6M masks and 2.5M gloves.
- o 162 total missions, 25 active and 2 pending.
- Purchased 10,000,000 gloves, 25,000 face shields, 500,000 masks.
- One donation was received at the PPE Donation Warehouse, bringing the total to
 162 individuals/companies providing donations.
- o Controlling board approved \$52,000,000 to purchase new PPE.
- o DAS continued sourcing and vetting PPE for purchase.
- The PPE Working group was conducted yesterday and from this point forward will be held every Monday and Friday.
- Working with ODH warehouse on deliveries.
- o Participated in a conference call in regards to the MOU for Food Bank.

Planned Actions:

- o Continue coordinating with FEMA on resource requests.
- Continue to answer missions.
- Continue to source and vet PPE for purchase.
- Work with ODH Warehouse on deliveries.
- Participate in a conference call regards to MOU for food bank.
- ONG tracking 2 donations pending coordination/delivery and will continue to monitor and address any additional PPE donation messages as received.

8 | Public Health

- Ohio Department of Health
 - Lead Agency for PPE Workgroup
 - Purpose: To determine and allocate appropriate PPE for COVID-19 responders.
 - Lead Agency for Mass Fatality Workgroup
 - Purpose: To assemble stakeholders within mass fatality/fatality management to develop statewide strategies & unified effort in the management of decedents.
 - Lead Agency for Medical Surge Workgroup
 - Purpose: Planning for needs to address forecast Medical Surge needs.

Status Update:

- Zone 1 (Northwest, Northeast, Northeast Central)
 - Regional hospitals are in regular communication with congregate care facilities in their communities to assess needs and provide support.
 Community testing is being conducted in Lucas and Mercer counties.
 Coalition partners continue to practice PPE conservation methods.
 - Supported the Hospital/PH weekly call. Medical Examiner gave guidelines for deceased in ED when transporting to ME office. Talked about the Rite Aid testing in Parma this week. Metrohealth rolled out its mobile testing team. Supported the consolidated Zone 1 call. Seeing more folks coming to ED but many are more ill due to delay in seeking care due to fear of COVID in EDs. Working with hospitals regarding congregate care planning roll out. It was brought up regarding communication coming down that the annual flu shot will increase your risk for COVID that needs to be stopped at all levels.
- Zone 2 (Central, Southeast, Southeast Central)
 - Nothing new to report.
- Zone 3 (West Central, Southwest)
 - Task force determined SW region will begin updating bed availability on SurgeNet every 4 hours 24/7 beginning 4/4/20. Assisting with Surge Net access requests from hospitals, rehab facilities, transportation workgroup and EMS when requested.
 - Task Force/Steering Committee Update.
 - Task Force meetings scheduled M, W, F until daily meetings are necessary.
 - Additional operational workgroups: Data, Clinical Transfer Protocols, Alternative Care Site, Crisis Standards of Care, Infection Control, Vulnerable Population, Behavioral Health, Skilled Nursing Facility, Outlying & Specialty Hospitals, EMS/911 Communications, Supply Chain, Workforce, PIO, Surveillance/Data.

- The Health Collaborative leveraging staff resources for project management and support of work groups.
- Working on SNF discharge guidelines and surge level notification process.

Actions Taken:

- o Participated in a FEMA & HHS LNO Call.
- o Participated in the Transportation Workgroup call.
- o All Zone calls took place today and will continue to coordinate those calls.
- A hotwash was scheduled for 6:00PM with ODOT, the SEOC, DAS & the RSS to debrief the lessons learned from the fourth PPE push to the 88 primary county drop sites.
- Continues to monitor Statewide Hospital Resource Utilization Statistics including hospital bed availability. During this operational period ESF-8 Desk has initiated one (1) mission request with State Partners.

Planned Actions:

- Continues to collaborate on daily RFIs and planning efforts with federal and state stakeholders and ESF-8 partners to provide guidance and direct information.
- State Long-Term Care Ombudsman/Aging

Actions Taken:

- o Referred complaints to regional ombudsman programs.
- Facilitated a Long-Term Care Strike Team call with Delaware County and the Inn at Bear Run and the Inn at Olentangy Trail
- Participated in LTC Strike Team call with Hamilton County ODA.
- As follow-up to April 24 webinar with aging network, issued the following guidance:
 - COVID-19 FAQs Older Americans Act Services
 - Ohio Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program Guidelines During Pandemic
 & FAQs Resources
- COVID-19 and Aging-related Webinars.

Planned Actions:

- LTC Strike Team Calls Hamilton County, Youngstown City PIO responding to request for AARP article about long-term care visitation
- Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities

Actions Taken:

- Participated in transportation work-group planning meeting.
- Participated in two long term care Strike Team calls for Delaware and Hamilton Counties.

Planned Actions:

- Continue monitoring of DODD system statistics, including positive, pending, and negative cases of COVID-19 for staff and residents.
- Continue tracking of daily inventory and usage of PPE for the Developmental Centers.

Ohio Mental Health and Addictive Services

Actions Taken:

- State agency daily meeting with OhioMHAS senior leadership and agency Director to discuss COVID-19 impacts to the behavioral healthcare system.
- Provided support to Governor's strike teams including Minority strike team,
 Transportation and Philanthropic Donations, Quarantine and Isolation, and others as they are identified.

Planned Actions:

- Housing and Homelessness has shifted and is now integrated with broad state agencies work that encompasses Philanthropic Donations and other programs that supporting recovery, peer support and housing.
- Working with DRC and ODH on supporting prison staffs and their families who are expressing concerns around safety of their family members who are working in the prisons.
- Work with ODH to review the volunteer list for potential support to this population.
 - Especially concerned with the DRC sites with high infection rates.
- Continue meetings and collaboration medical workforce surge planning Trauma Informed Care Training.

Ohio Department of Education

Actions Taken:

Posted additional information documents on ODE's coronavirus webpage, including
 "22+ Adult High School Diploma Program and Adult Diploma Program."

Planned Actions:

- Continuing to develop new and update existing information and policy documents for schools regarding services to students during closures.
- Developing resources for planning for recovery and opening schools.

Ohio Emergency Medical Services

Actions Taken:

- Participated in the daily conference call regarding PPE procurement and distribution.
- Participated in a Transportation Workgroup call with Medicaid, Dept. of Aging,
 ODJFS, EMA and ODOT on a coordinating transportation needs around the state.

- The next call is scheduled for May 4th.
- o Participated on the ODH Zone 3 Regions 3 & 6 daily call.

Planned Actions:

- o Continue to determine hot spots to plan ahead for transportation needs.
- o Continue to monitor the needs of EMS providers and first responders in the state.

9 | Search & Rescue

• Ohio Department of Natural Resources

Planned Actions:

Support response as a need is identified.

10 | Hazardous Materials

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

Planned Actions:

Support response as a need is identified.

11 | Agriculture

- Ohio Department of Agriculture
 - Lead Agency for Agriculture Working Group
 - Purpose: To identify agricultural issues of concern elevated due to COVID-19 and solutions to address concerns.

Actions Taken:

- Participants include OSU, state associations for agricultural and commodity groups, trucking, retail, manufacturing and restaurants.
- Closures in processing facilities in Indiana and across the country continue to challenge pork producers.
- Closure would impact Ohio producers significantly.
- Work continues to discuss challenges of excess supply in pork industry.
- A call with industry, state and federal stakeholders was held yesterday to plan for potential depopulation, to include multi-pronged approaches for animal disposal.
- Work continues at the state level to ensure that smaller meat processing facilities, regulated by the state, have the appropriate protections and protocols in place for safe operations.

Planned Actions:

- Preparing for the next meeting today.
- Work on the details of a depopulation plan.
- o Updating needs assessment with stakeholders to summarize priority needs.

- Organizing PPE subcommittee and Health and Safety Protocol Processing Plant.
- Responding to regulatory challenges identified by participants.

12 | Public Utilities

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Planned Actions:

Support response as a need is identified.

13 | Law Enforcement

Ohio State Highway Patrol

Actions Taken:

- Provided perimeter security at the Marion and Pickaway Correctional Institution, the North Central Correctional Institution and the Franklin Medical Center.
- Conducted spot checks of commercial vehicle overweight blanket permits. The daily April average is 11,575, this up 33% from year. 57,877 trucks were checked the week of April 20.
- OSHP Crime Lab personnel reviewed COVID-19 testing products from companies to verify they meet ODH and FDA standards.
- o Provided Site Security for The Ohio Department of Health.
- Fremont Post assisted the Sandusky Co EMA call center and delivering meals from the County Food Pantry.

Planned Actions:

- Lisbon Post and school staff will put breakfast and lunch meals together for Columbiana School students.
- Cleveland Post will conduct wellness checks for students who have not had any contact with school officials since the COVID-19 shutdown. Each family visited will be delivered meals and school supplies for students.
- Marietta Post will assist loading meals and following school buses on high traffic routes as meals are being delivered to students' homes.
- Findlay Post, in collaboration with the YMCA, will hand out meals at Jefferson and Chamberlin Elementary schools.
- Delaware Post will deliver meals from a restaurant in Delaware to Nationwide Children's Hospital COVID-19 testing center.
- Ashland Units will relay samples from the County Health Department to the Columbus Department of Health.
- Ohio Investigative Unit Agents assisting with food delivery to the elderly.

• Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction

Actions Taken:

- Has 383 staff COVID-19 positive and 92 staff recovered.
- Has 3,769 incarcerated adults COVID-19 positive and 66 recovered.
- o Has staff and/or inmate COVID-19 positives in 24 of the 28 institutions.
- No mission requests were submitted yesterday.

Planned Actions:

Working towards incident objectives.

14 | Recovery & Mitigation

Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Actions Taken:

- Applicant's briefing (to explain documentation requirements, how to submit, cost reimbursement process, etc.) will be held the week of May 4th, 2020.
- o There are currently 531 applicants to the FEMA Public Assistance Grant Program.

Planned Actions:

 Ohio EMA is continuing to work with state and non-governmental partners regarding mass feeding and sheltering.

15 | Public Affairs

• Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Actions Taken:

- Many "Responsible Recovery Ohio" documents created for the website.
- o Director's Communication draft.
- Testing capacity chart.
- Contact tracing chart.

Planned Actions:

- Google ads/FB ads.
- Slides and talking points for press conference.

Other Partners

Ohio Homeland Security

Actions Taken:

- o EPCS:
 - Currently there are 10,253 Active EPCS Credentials.
- o **OP3**
 - Has a total of 1,902 members representing a total of 1,513 businesses.
 - Received a request from ODH for assistance in locating an OP3 logistics partner that may have refrigerated trailers that could be leased/rented for mortuary services. After research, it was determined that purchasing used trailers may be the only option if DAS is unable to find lease options.
 - Received a request from ODH regarding pharmacy partners that were offering COVID-19 testing. Is identifying pharmacy partners to provide the information to ODH.
 - Participated in the NBEOC Business and Infrastructure Conference Call."
- o OHS Cyber:
 - The OHS Cyber team received notice of an Anarchist group calling for ransomware attacks. A product was created and posted to CIMS and HSIN.
- Ohio National Guard

Actions Taken:

- Medical care at Pickaway and Marion CIs continue.
- o Prison public safety missions continue.

Planned Actions:

- 15 personnel of the specimen sample collection team begins work today with DRC.
- 100 more ONG personnel will be trained by DRC to support public safety missions in the state prison system.
- Continue participation in PPE WG, Mass Casualty WG, and Future Planning WG.

County EOCs Reporting Adjusted EOC Status for Response

1.	Allen	41.	Lorain
2.	Ashland	42.	Lucas
3.	Ashtabula	43.	Madison
4.	Athens	44.	Mahoning
5.	Auglaize	45.	Marion
6.	Brown	46.	Medina
7.	Butler	47.	Meigs
8.	Carroll	48.	Mercer
9.	Champaign	49.	Miami
10.	Clark	50.	Montgomery
11.	Clermont	51.	Morgan
12.	Clinton	52.	Morrow
13.	Columbiana	53.	Muskingum
14.	Coshocton	54.	Noble
15.	Crawford	55.	Ottawa
16.	Cuyahoga	56.	Paulding
17.	Darke	57 .	Perry
18.	Defiance	58.	Pickaway
19.	Delaware	59.	Pike
20.	Erie	60.	Preble
21.	Fairfield	61.	Portage
22.	Fayette	62.	Putnam
23.	Franklin	63.	Richland
24.	Fulton	64.	Ross
25.	Gallia	65.	Sandusky
26.	Geauga	66.	Scioto
27.	Greene	67.	Shelby
28.	Hancock	68.	Stark
29.	Hamilton	69.	Summit
30.	Hardin	70.	Trumbull
31.	Harrison	71.	Tuscarawas
32.	Henry	72.	Union
33.	Highland	73.	Van Wert
34.	Hocking	74.	Warren
35.	Huron	75.	Washington
	Knox		Williams
37.	Lake	77.	Wood



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78. Wyandot

79. Wayne

38. Lawrence

39. Licking

40. Logan

Counties Reporting Declared State of Emergencies

1.	Ashtabula	39.	Mahoning	
2.	Athens	40.	Marion	
3.	Brown	41.	Medina	
4.	Butler	42.	Meigs	
5.	Carroll	43.	Miami	
6.	Champaign	44.	Monroe	
7.	Clark	45.	Montgomery	
8.	Clermont	46.	Morgan	
9.	Clinton	47.	Morrow	
10.	Coshocton	48.	Muskingum	
11.	Columbiana	49.	Noble	
12.	Crawford	50.	Ottawa	
13.	Cuyahoga	51.	Paulding	
14.	Defiance	52.	Perry	
15 .	Delaware	53.	Pickaway	
16.	Erie	54.	Pike	
17 .	Fairfield	55.	Portage	
18.	Franklin	56.	Ross	
19.	Fulton	57.	Sandusky	
20.	Gallia	58.	Scioto	
21.	Geauga	59.	Seneca	
22.	Greene	60.	Shelby	
23.	Guernsey	61.	Stark	
24.	Hamilton	62.	Summit	
25.	Hancock	63.	Trumbull	
26.	Hardin	64.	Tuscarawas	
27.	Harrison	65.	Union	
28.	Hocking	66.	Van Wert	
29.	Highland	67.	Vinton	
30.	Jackson	68.	Washington	

31. Knox

32. Lake33. Lawrence

34. Licking35. Logan36. Lorain37. Lucas38. Madison

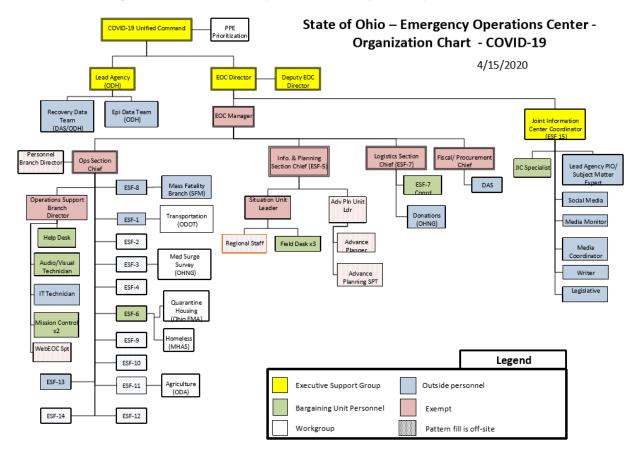


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69. Wayne**70.** Williams

71. Wood72. Wyandot

State EOC Organization Chart (COVID-19-specific)



State EOC Administrative Information

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Requesting State EOC Support: Please call the Ohio EMA Watch Office

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Real-time Awareness Products: https://mobile-resources-oema.hub.arcgis.com/

Ohio COVID-19 Pandemic (DR-4507)

- Public Assistance has been designated for all 88 counties.
- FEMA DR-4507 Site