

State of Ohio EOC SITUATION REPORT

COVID-19 Response

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Real-Time Resources (Use Google Chrome)

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

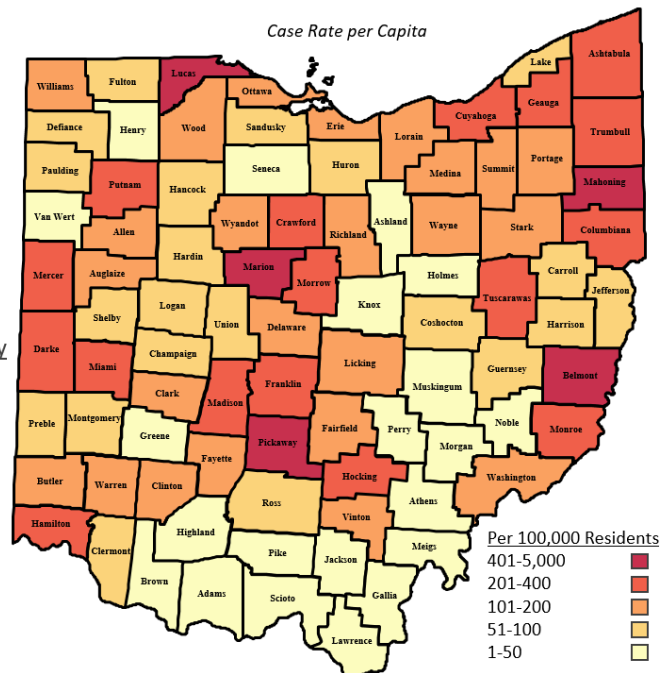
Over the past 24 hours, ODH reported 484 (29,436) total new cases and 61 (1,781) deaths were above their respective 21-day average. 81 (5,198) hospitalizations and 12 (1,369) ICU Admissions metrics were below their respective 21-day averages.

The week's second allotment of PPE was delivered to each County. Additional warehouse space is being sought as in-use locations are near capacity. PPE needs to support Ohio National Guard testing support were discussed.

Key Indicators

<u>Total Cases</u>	<u>Total Deaths</u>
29,436	1,781
24-hr Increase of 484	6% of Total Cases
<u>Current COVID-19 Patients</u>	<u>Critical Care Bed Availability</u>
902	32%
1% decrease daily change	-2% daily change

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



Additional metrics can be found at coronavirus.ohio.gov

State Community Lifeline Status

In-state Response | Ongoing External Support | Assistance Needed

Primary Lifeline



- Total confirmed cases, deaths, and hospitalizations continue to increase.
- Statewide bed and ventilator capacity are projected to meet medical forecast needs.
- Forecast PPE needs continue to drive state procurement efforts.
- Limited access to nursing homes & similar facilities continues.
- Personal Protective Equipment, Mass Fatality, and Medical Surge workgroups continue efforts.
- One local Alternate Care Site (Population: 0) is operational in Columbus for Med Surge needs.
- 13 requests for Federal assistance have been submitted and addressed.



- The Agriculture workgroup continues to identify and address issues of concern.
- All major pork processing plants impacting Ohio's processing are operating (statewide & nationally).
- Pork depopulation planning continues on account of processing interruption.
- Restaurants are restricted to outdoor dining and carry-out and delivery.
- Non-congregate sheltering planning and response continues.
- [Potential quarantine locations](#) have been identified.
- Homelessness workgroup continues to update plans for response.



- First Responders have access to information on who has tested positive for COVID-19.
- Limited access to jails & detention facilities continues.
- ODCRC staff and incarcerated populations continue to test positive across their statewide facilities.



- No current impacts to statewide communications.



- No current impacts to statewide utilities.



- No current impacts to the Hazardous Materials Lifeline.



- ODOT reports multiple State Routes closed due to high water.
- All previously reported closed Interstate and US Highways are now open.

State EOC Objectives

1. Coordinate the State’s response to limit COVID-19 spread and maintain Lifeline stability.
2. Provide mission support to identify, prevent, mitigate and respond to COVID-19 hot spots.
3. Obtain additional funding for the purchase of most needed PPE.
4. Plan and execute an appropriate push of PPE to counties to support local efforts.
5. Communicate clear guidance on proper administration of recovery programs to partners.
6. Share timely, clear, and consistent information to the public, stakeholders and media.

State EOC Mission Overview



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

State EOC Actions by Emergency Support Function

1 | Transportation

- Ohio Department of Transportation

Actions Taken:

- ESF1 completed two mission requests
- Completed the 88 county PPE push for May 20.

- *Planned Actions:*

- Address active missions
- Load plan for the 88 County PPE push scheduled for Tuesday May 26, 2020.

2 | Communications

- Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Actions Taken:

- CISA released 911 PSAP guidance regarding COVID issues to all the state 911 coordinators.
- All communications systems are in green status; there were no communications issues in regards to the recent Ohio flooding.

3 | Engineering/Public Works

- Ohio Department of Natural Resources

Actions Taken:

- No new missions since last brief.
- ODNR still has on individual in quarantine at Buck Creek State Park with no issues reported.

Planned Actions:

- Continue to monitor SEOC operations and provide support as needed.

- Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

Actions Taken:

- Nothing significant to report.

Planned Actions:

- Continue to monitor SEOC operations and provide support as needed.

4 | Firefighting

- State Fire Marshal

Actions Taken:

- Processing new request for information regarding fire school start dates.
- Supported ESF-1's transportation missions.
- Supported ESF-8 with the Mass Fatality Branch Director.

Planned Actions:

- Continued support of ESF-1, ESF-8 and any other ESF partners.
- Support Ohio's fire service efforts throughout this event.

- Ohio Fire Chiefs' Association

Actions Taken:

- Continues monitoring for potential emergency responded staffing shortages..

Planned Actions:

- Monitor for potential emergency responder staffing shortages.

5 | Information & Planning

- Statewide Overview of County EMA Response

- Sought out potential COVID hot spots across each county.
- Assessed cascading effects across critical infrastructure.
- Emphasized PPE conservation while seeking procurement opportunities.
- Conducted long-term recovery planning.

- State EOC Liaisons

Actions Taken:

- Provided liaison support to the ODRC.
 - Coordinated information sharing with the SEOC.
 - Developed draft transition plan for the end of mission for the ODRC/State EOC Liaison mission which will end on May 21, 2020.
 - Participated in conference calls with local, state, and SEOC partners, including Zone 2 partners.

Planned Actions:

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

- GIS

Actions Taken:

- Supported edits to fire/ems survey and provided submission summary to ESF-4.
- Continued to support OGRIP, OHANG and Quarantine Workgroup as needed.

Planned Actions:

- Continue daily updates on COVID-19 quarantine locations and fire/ems survey.
- Continue to support EOC partners as needed.

6 | Mass Care

- Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Actions Taken:

- One mission for Ross Co. closed.
- All other open missions remain extended in nature.
- Ongoing coordination and support of work groups and partners.

Planned Actions:

- Will remain staffed off-site and reachable through email, Skype, and MS Teams.
- Coordination for Transportation Work Group meeting scheduled for next week.
- Participating in a FEMA V webinar on emergency shelter and food.
- Call and webinar on providing support to the Migrant Farming Communities.
- Ongoing support and coordination.

7 | Logistics

- Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Actions Taken:

- No federal shipments received today. No updates to federal resource requests.
- Mission Status:
 - Six in progress
 - One completed
 - Zero new
- Completed two mission requests to distribute FEMA cloth masks to Rural Electric Co-ops and Charter communications
- Coordinated delivery of 18,000 FEMA cloth masks to Ohio Department of Agriculture
- Coordinated inbound shipments to the DAS warehouse.
 - Zero received May 20
 - Four expected May 21.
- Continued reconciling federal resource request shipments.
- Worked with ODH and DAS warehouse with deliveries, process invoices for payments of PPEs we have received.

- Entered received items into teh Techknowvate system.
- Working with ESF7 to validate received items from the RRF requests.

Planned Actions:

- Continue coordinating inbound PPE shipments.
- Continue planning and coordinating FEMA cloth mask distribution.
- Continue to work with ODH and DAS warehouse on received items.
- Continue to work with suppliers on processing their invoices for PPE.
- Work with ESF7 to validate received items from the RRF requests.

- Ohio National Guard

Actions Taken:

- No donations or requests received.
- Continuing to monitor last four inbound donations.
- Three PPE of expired N95 masks departing Utah 05/21.

Planned Actions:

- Continuing to follow up on transition from OMR Donation Warehouse. To be discussed in further detail during Friday's PPE sync.

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.

Actions Taken:

- Zone 1:
 - No significant changes to the Region 1 data for bed utilization or PPE.
 - Overall COVID-19 positive patients in the hospital for Region 1, and Regions 1, 2, and 5 combined continues to decrease, as shown in the graphs for surge planning and predictive modeling of patient counts.
 - No hospital surge noted for region 2. Participated in the regional Biowatch quarterly call. Listened to the COCA webinar on Multisystem Inflammatory Syndrome in Children.
 - Hospitals continue to experience a decline in COVID patients and PUIs.

- Zone 2:
 - This morning is the lowest number of M/S beds in the region in over 3 months.
 - The Franklin County Hospital emergency departments have been very busy over the past 24 hours.
 - Participated on daily surge call. Numbers remain steady in the zone.
 - Discussions regarding congregate care centers outreach and working locally with nursing homes.
 - Continue to share surge data information with SE/SEC hospitals who have prison systems in their counties from the daily surge call.
 - New outbreak at Twin Valley Behavioral Health Hospital.
- Zone 3:
 - Revision of the visitor restriction policy presented at the CoVID-19 meeting.
 - Plan is active today.
 - Tuesday 5/19, to allow hospitals time to educate staff on changes.
 - Dayton Children's reporting their 18th positive patient.
 - Ages range from 3 m. to 30 y.
 - None are hospitalized, they still have 14 tests pending results.
 - They have had two staff test positive.
 - UVMC reported they had 10 suspected CoVID Cases come to the ED yesterday.
 - They also report that they have had 1 MI patient per day for past week or so.
 - Indicate their critical care beds are full. OHA report today for them shows 1 available out of 10 critical care beds.
 - Troy Hospital reported at the Miami County EOC meeting they are seeing increase in domestic violence cases and traumas.
- The RSS Warehouse had a meeting today with ODH fiscal and ODH IT to better identify the needs of the RSS Warehouse versus the State Warehouse.
- ODH participated in a call between Israeli Consulate and the Governor's Office to discuss COVID-19 response efforts.
- The RSS has received six inbound shipments of VTM, 3D swabs, flocked swabs, face masks, KN95s, juice bottled water (30/30 project).
- The RSS sent out 138 pallets for the 11th PPE Push containing 344,680 N-95s, 1,483,900 surgical face masks, and 278,300 KN-95s to the 88 primary county drop sites starting at 8:00AM on 5/20/2020 via ODOT.

Planned Actions:

- Mass Fatality Planning.
- Medical Countermeasures Planning.

- Department of Aging and State Long-Term Care Ombudsman

Actions Taken:

- Discussed with MHAS trauma expert how to provide stress management training for staff returning to work in long-term care facilities State Ombudsman was interviewed by a reporter from Cleveland.Com regarding nursing home staffing requirements, training, and waivers.
- Director McElroy was interviewed by the Tribune Chronicle.

Planned Actions:

- Long-Term Care Strike Team Call with Miami County Maintain situational awareness of Carlin House in Hocking County.
- Aging network webinar Teleconference with regional ombudsman representatives.

- Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities

Planned Actions:

- Continue to monitor DODD system statistics, including positive, pending, and negative cases of COVID-19 for staff and residents.
- Continue to track daily inventory and usage of PPE for the Developmental Centers.
- Working on visitation policies and procedures for DODD facilities.

- Ohio Mental Health and Addictive Services

Actions Taken:

- Developed guidance document that is being provided to hospital catchment area ADAMHSB on patient admissions to TVBH and list of facilities who are identified to accept patients while new admissions to TVBH are temporarily re-located.
- Working OSU , ODH, ADAMHSB and Department leadership to address COVID-19 infection in site and assure patient, staff, safety and patient care.
- Participated on Governor DeWine's Minority Health Strike Teams to address areas of concern.
 - Five overarching themes were identified:
 - 1. Communication and Messaging
 - 2. Data
 - 3. Workforce Development and Jobs
 - 4. Health and Wellness
 - 5. Sustainable Resources.

Planned Actions:

- Next meeting of Minority Health Strike Force Committee Thursday May 21, 2020
- Behavioral Health Surge Planning Work group and Housing Homelessness Strike force team are meeting regularly to address surges and housing needs created or increasing needs due to COVID-19.

- Ohio Department of Education

Planned Actions:

- Nothing significant to report

- Ohio Emergency Medical Services

Actions Taken:

- Completed Mission request from Montgomery County EMA
 - Request was for a change in the paramedic "Scope of Practice" to allow paramedics to perform COVID 19 swab testing.
 - The procedure is out of the paramedic Scope of Practice.
 - A response was prepared on the process needed to amend the scope of practice and that response was sent to Montgomery County EMA.
- Participated in a call regarding the Sandusky VA facility and the steps they have put in place to deal with their COVID patients.
- Participated on the ODH Zone 1 Regions 1, 2 & 5 daily call.

Planned Actions:

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

- Ohio Department of Veterans Services

Actions Taken:

- Nothing significant to report

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 Work Group.

Actions Taken:

- A Dept. of Agriculture team assembled packages of cloth face masks for delivery to migrant workers today.
 - ODH/JFS will be delivering masks along with hand sanitizer for those with limited access to water to growers this week.
- The Pork Industry Small Working Group met today.
 - The group continued discussion on a depop plan, resources and support for pork producers to utilize if necessary.
 - Outreach and communications planning with local partners continued.

Planned Actions:

- The cloth face masks and hand sanitizer will be loaded for delivery 5/21.
- Health and Safety Processing Plant Subcommittee continues work to develop a pilot program with Ohio plants on outreach and education on the appropriate use of PPE.

12 | Public Utilities

- Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Actions Taken:

- No new missions assigned and PUCO maintained daily operations.

Planned Actions:

- PUCO will remain in standby mode to assist where needed.

13 | Law Enforcement

- Ohio State Highway Patrol

Actions Taken:

- Provided site security for the Ohio Department of Health.
- Assisted "We Care Elyria" in preparing and delivering meals at the Polish Club on Middle Avenue.

- Providing executive protection for Governor DeWine, Dr. Amy Acton and spot checks at ODJFS Director Kimberly Hall's residence.
- Assisted the Ohio Department of Natural Resources in patrolling 15 state parks across the state of Ohio to include but not limited to Alum Creek, Nelson-Kennedy Ledges, and Sheldon Marsh State Parks.
- Site security for an Ohio Department of Health warehouse.
- Relayed first responder's soiled N95 masks to Battelle for cleaning.
- Perimeter security at the Belmont and Lorain Correctional Institutions.
- Ashland Post will be delivering meals to needy families in Ashland County.

Planned Actions:

- Provide traffic control assistance at the Logan High School Drive-up Graduation procession to Worthington Park.
- Chillicothe Post units will assist in traffic control for the Adena HS 2020 class procession graduation.
- Lisbon units will assist the Oasis Food Bank in Columbiana County distributing food to families in need.
- Troopers from the Ashland Post will be delivering meals to needy families in Ashland County.
- Ashland units will relay samples from the County Health Dept. to the Columbus Dept. of Health.

- Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction

Actions Taken:

- ODRC has 622 staff COVID-19 positive, 428 staff recovered, 194 active positives and 4 deaths.
- ODRC has 278 incarcerated adults COVID-19 active positive, 4,081 recovered and 61 deaths, 8,267 total tested.
- ODRC has staff and/or inmate COVID-19 positives in 25 of the 28 institutions.
- OSHP security support at Lorain Correctional Institution and Belmont Correctional Institution, requested perimeter security assistance at North Central Correctional Institution 5-20-20.

Planned Actions:

- Continue to work towards incident objectives.

14 | Recovery & Mitigation

- Ohio Emergency Management Agency

Planned Actions:

- Continue to work towards incident objectives.

15 | Public Affairs

- Joint Information Center

Actions Taken:

- Completing graphics/guidance on the following:
 - Guidance document: Ohioans Protecting Ohioans
 - Minority Health Strike Force Report
 - Sector Guidance

Planned Actions:

- Continue to work towards incident objectives.

Other Partners

- Ohio Homeland Security

Actions Taken:

- EPCS:
 - Currently there are 10,581 Active EPCS Credentials.
- OP3:
 - OP3 has a total of 1,909 members representing a total of 1,517 businesses.
 - The following notifications were sent today:
 - COVID-19 Update: Ohioans Protecting Ohioans Urgent Health Advisory
 - Threats to the 5G Cellular Network (sent late on May 19).
 - Continuing to work with ESF-7 and OP3 partners to coordinate pickup times for the cloth mask mission.

- Ohio National Guard

Actions Taken:

- 542 guardsmen continue to support the food bank missions around the state.
- Four member of the Ohio Military Reserve are collecting PPE daily at the Sullivant Ave armory.
- 23 soldiers support the state RSS warehouse.
- Four Guardsmen are working as specialists in ODH labs.
- 20 members support DRBS tent operations at Pickaway and Marysville Correctional Institutions.

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- 20 members support prisoner health care operations at Pickaway CI and Belmont CI.
- 22 members collect samples for testing in support of DRC.
- 64 Guardsmen are assisting the ODRC with Public Safety at Franklin Correctional.
- 19 members are providing medical assistance at the Carlin House LTC facility in Logan County
- 178 members on Specimen Collection teams
- 1191 Ohio National Guardsmen continue to support the COVID-19 response in Ohio.

Planned Actions:

- OSU will train 26 Guardmembers on May 21 and 50/day each subsequent day until there are 14 mobile sample collection teams.
- The NG medical support at Pickaway will finish their mission in the next 48 hours.

County EOCs Reporting Adjusted EOC Status for Response

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| 1. Ashland | 38. Lorain |
| 2. Ashtabula | 39. Lucas |
| 3. Athens | 40. Madison |
| 4. Auglaize | 41. Mahoning |
| 5. Brown | 42. Marion |
| 6. Butler | 43. Medina |
| 7. Carroll | 44. Mercer |
| 8. Champaign | 45. Miami |
| 9. Clark | 46. Monroe |
| 10. Clermont | 47. Montgomery |
| 11. Clinton | 48. Morrow |
| 12. Columbiana | 49. Muskingum |
| 13. Coshocton | 50. Noble |
| 14. Crawford | 51. Ottawa |
| 15. Cuyahoga | 52. Paulding |
| 16. Darke | 53. Pickaway |
| 17. Defiance | 54. Pike |
| 18. Delaware | 55. Preble |
| 19. Erie | 56. Portage |
| 20. Fairfield | 57. Putnam |
| 21. Fayette | 58. Richland |
| 22. Franklin | 59. Ross |
| 23. Fulton | 60. Sandusky |
| 24. Geauga | 61. Scioto |
| 25. Greene | 62. Shelby |
| 26. Hancock | 63. Stark |
| 27. Hamilton | 64. Summit |
| 28. Hardin | 65. Trumbull |
| 29. Harrison | 66. Tuscarawas |
| 30. Henry | 67. Union |
| 31. Highland | 68. Van Wert |
| 32. Huron | 69. Warren |
| 33. Knox | 70. Williams |
| 34. Lake | 71. Wood |
| 35. Lawrence | 72. Wyandot |
| 36. Licking | 73. Wayne |
| 37. Logan | |

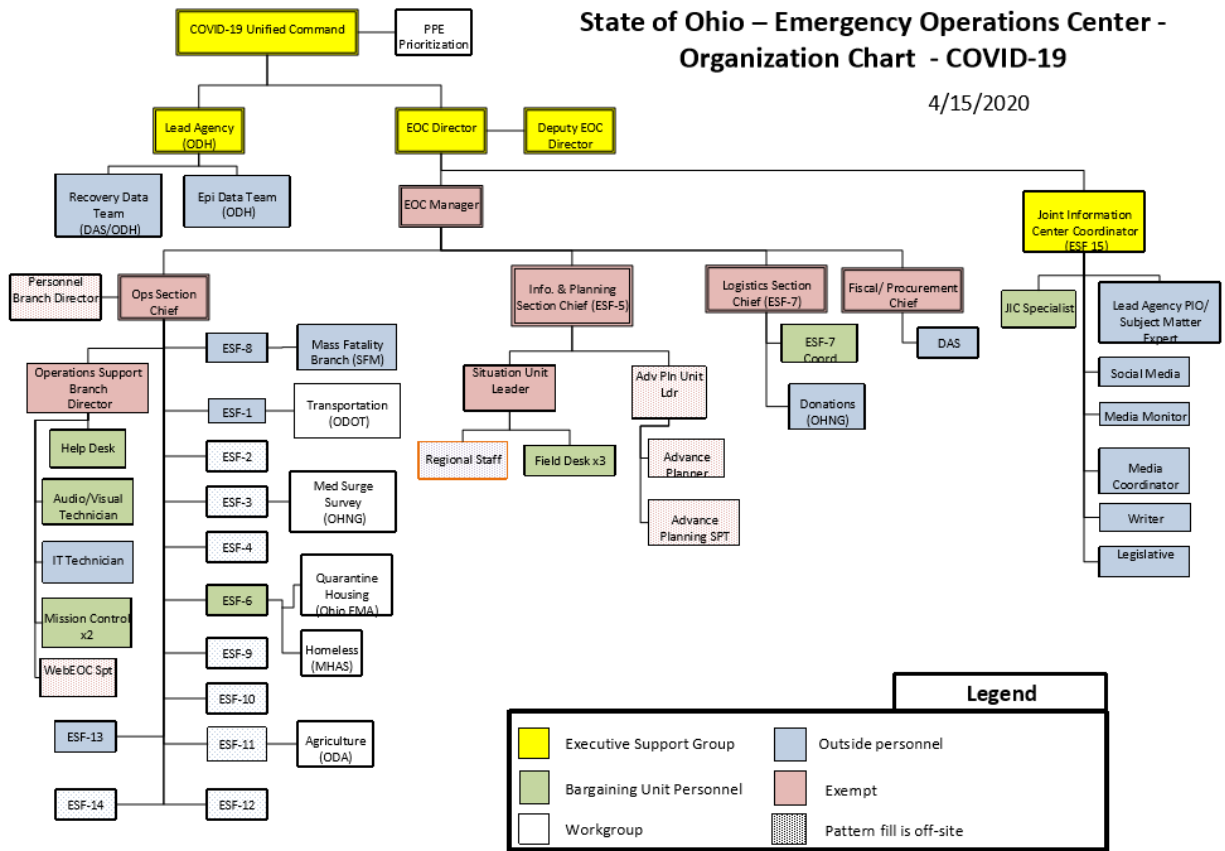


Counties Reporting Declared State of Emergencies

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| 15. Delaware | 51. Paulding |
| 16. Erie | 52. Perry |
| 17. Fairfield | 53. Pickaway |
| 18. Franklin | 54. Pike |
| 19. Fulton | 55. Portage |
| 20. Gallia | 56. Ross |
| 21. Geauga | 57. Sandusky |
| 22. Greene | 58. Scioto |
| 23. Guernsey | 59. Seneca |
| 24. Hamilton | 60. Shelby |
| 25. Hancock | 61. Stark |
| 26. Hardin | 62. Summit |
| 27. Harrison | 63. Trumbull |
| 28. Hocking | 64. Tuscarawas |
| 29. Highland | 65. Union |
| 30. Jackson | 66. Van Wert |
| 31. Knox | 67. Vinton |
| 32. Lake | 68. Washington |
| 33. Lawrence | 69. Wayne |
| 34. Licking | 70. Williams |
| 35. Logan | 71. Wood |
| 36. Lorain | 72. Wyandot |



State EOC Organization Chart (COVID-19-specific)



State EOC Administrative Information

EOC Hours of Operation: Full Activation: 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM, Daily

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

WebEOC Incident: 00 – OEMA – 20200128 – COVID-19

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](#)

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