



# St. Johns County COVID-19 Situation Report – 71

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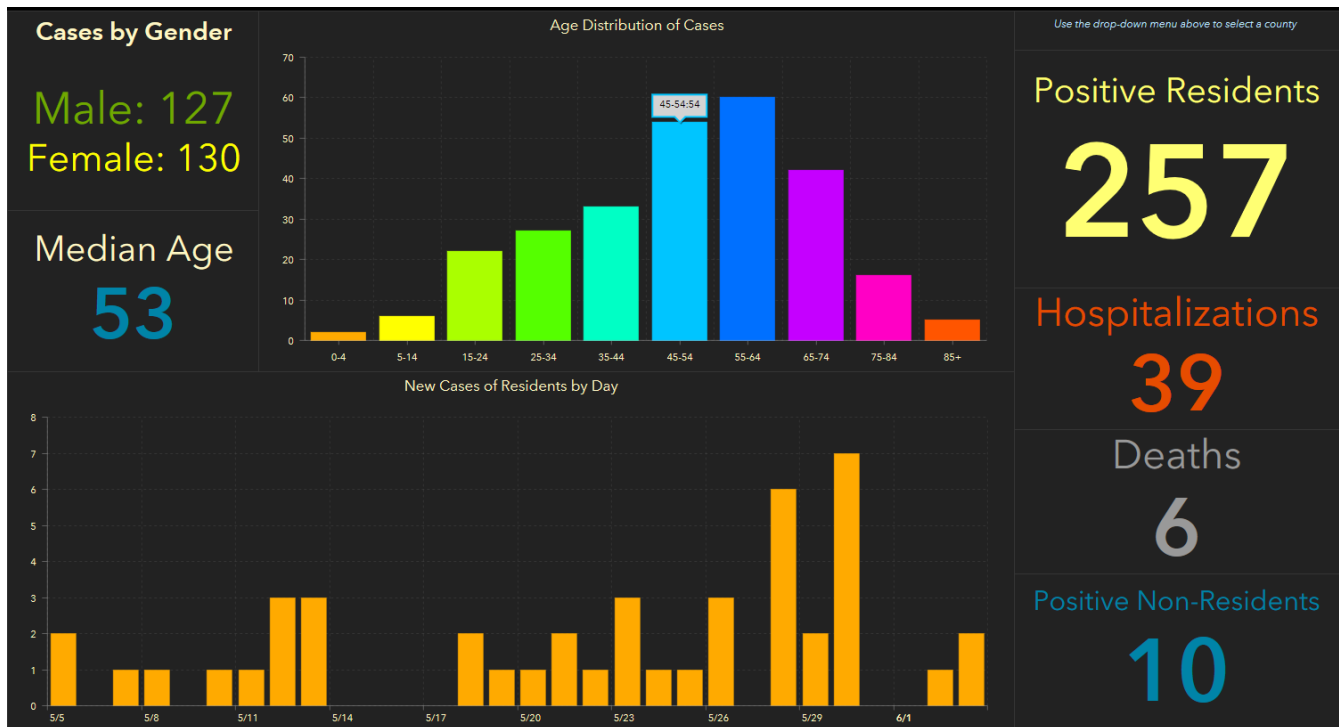
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St. Johns County Emergency Operations Center	State of Florida Region 3 FEMA Region 4	Incident Name: COVID-19
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## Current Event Status

- The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) is responding to an outbreak of respiratory disease caused by a novel coronavirus (COVID-19) that was first detected in China and has now been detected internationally, including the United States and locally in St. Johns County.
- Positive Cases of COVID-19 in the State of Florida as of **June 4, 2020 at 4:00 pm as reported by the FDOH Dashboard:**

## St. Johns County COVID-19 Statistics

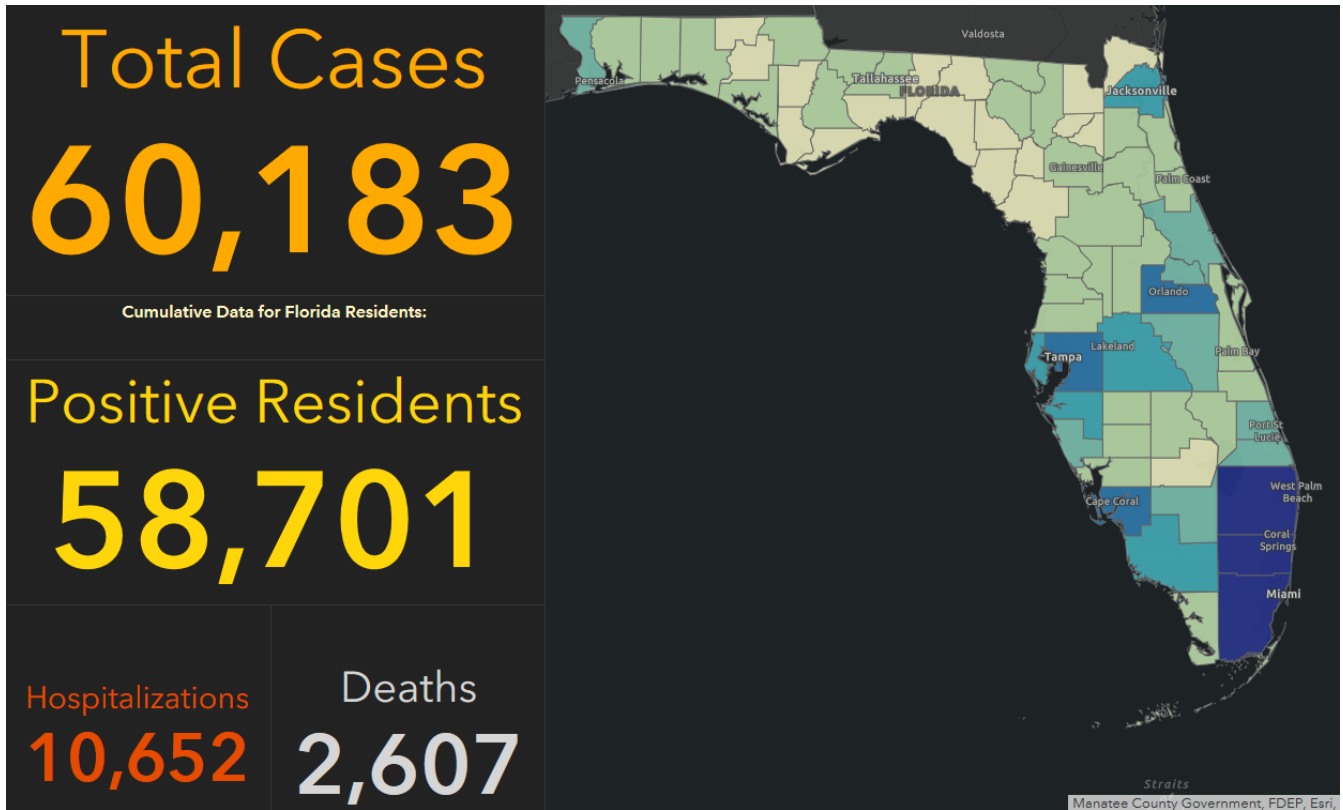


**Total Tests in St. Johns County : 11,786**

Positive: 267 | Negative: 11,497

2.3% Positivity Rate

## Florida COVID-19 Statistics



### COVID-19 Test Collection Sites

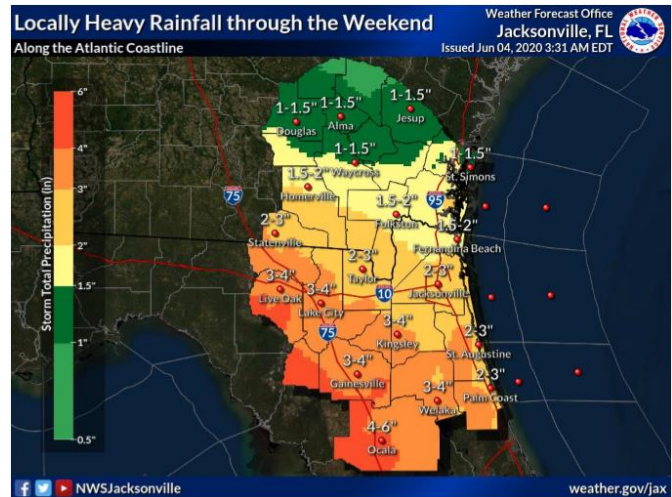
- COVID-19 Test Collection Site at TIAA Bank Field Lot J (Jacksonville Jaguars Stadium)
  - Open to St. Johns County residents and anyone that would like to be tested.
    - Must have Identification

This site will operate from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. seven days a week, for as long as supplies last and weather permitting. While a doctor's order and appointment are not required at this location, clients will be evaluated by a medical professional on site.
- Coronavirus Test Collection Sites in St. Johns County are as follows:
  - Flagler Health+
    - Urgent Care at Flagler Hospital Campus  
120 Health Park Blvd, St. Augustine, FL 32086  
Phone: 904.823.3401  
Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 6:00 pm, Saturday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm, Closed on Sunday
    - CareFast+ at MuraBella  
70 Turin Terrace, Suite 110, St. Augustine, FL 32092  
Phone: 904.819.7200  
COVID-19 Revised Hours  
Monday – Friday: 8:00 am – 2:00 pm, Saturday & Sunday: 8:00 am – 12:00 pm

- Florida Department of Health in St. Johns County (DOH-SJC) –St. Johns County Health & Human Services Building , 200 San Sebastian View, St. Augustine, FL 32084. (904) 209-3250
  - As part of disease control investigations, DOH-SJC is collecting specimens for COVID-19 laboratory testing. As part of disease investigations, specimen collection is by appointment-only for those individuals who meet the CDC criteria for testing. For more information about COVID-19 and testing, the Florida Department of Health in St. Johns County’s COVID-19 Call Center is open seven days a week from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and can be reached at 904-209-3250. Calls received outside of standard business hours will be redirected to a DOH-SJC Public Health Nurse.
  
- Avencia Medical - Julington Creek Branch, 1633 Race Track Rd, St Johns, FL 32259 (904) 230-6988
  - Open to the public from 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Saturday and Sunday, as a COVID-19 collection site. Collection is being treated as an urgent care doctor’s visit and clients must bring a photo ID and insurance card. The collection facility has a tent outside and have requested that visitors wait in their cars for paperwork to be brought to them by a staff member.
  - Performing antibody testing. It is NOT required BUT helpful to bring a copy of test results to show you have previously tested positive for the virus. It is \$255.00 total including the office visit for the antibody testing. Some insurances will cover costs. Individuals can walk-in WITHOUT an appointment but CAN NOT have symptoms.
  - For additional information, please call 904.230.6988 or visit [www.avecina.com/our-services/urgent-care/](http://www.avecina.com/our-services/urgent-care/).
  
- The Med One Urgent Care- St. Augustine, 841 S Ponce De Leon Blvd Suite 4, St. Augustine, FL 32084
  - Open to the public from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday and Sunday, as a COVID-19 collection site. Collection may be billed as a doctor’s visit and/or lab test. The collection facility has signage and has requested that visitors follow the signs as instructed for parking. For additional information, please call 904.436.1553 or visit <https://medoneatsaintaugustine.com/>
  
- CareSpot - St. Augustine - 2095 US Highway 1 S, Saint Augustine, FL 32086 - 904.429.0001  
 CareSpot – Nocatee - 151 Pine Lake Dr Ste B, Ponte Vedra, FL 32081 - 904.543.3677  
 CareSpot - Durbin Park, 70 Durbin Pavilion Dr Ste 101, Saint Johns, FL 32259 – 904.295.0038
  - Open to the public 7 days a week 8:00 am – 8:00 pm as COVID-19 collection site.  
 May be a walk in but preferred to call ahead for an appointment time. Must be symptomatic, healthcare worker, healthcare provider or first responder. Must bring ID and insurance card.

## Heavy Rainfall through the Weekend

- Periods of showers and thunderstorms expected this afternoon. through Friday night, with locally heavy downpours possible
- Waves of widespread showers and thunderstorms this weekend
  - Widespread 3-6 inch rainfall totals expected in the Suwannee Valley through Sunday afternoon.
  - Localized flooding possible for low-lying and urbanized areas this weekend



## Tropical Storm Cristóbal

Monitoring the Gulf of Mexico through the Weekend



- Tropical Storm Cristóbal is nearly stationary and is slowly weakening over southern portions of Mexico's Yucatán Peninsula.
- Cristóbal is expected to turn northward on Friday, emerging over the southern Gulf of Mexico.
- Locally heavy rainfall extends well to the northeast of Cristóbal over the Florida peninsula.

### Local Impacts:

- Widespread showers and thunderstorms this weekend.
- Heaviest rainfall amounts of 3-6 inches with locally higher totals forecast through Sunday in the Suwannee Valley.
- Localized flooding in urban and low-lying locations possible this weekend.

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Expires 8 hrs from Briefing Time



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weather.gov/jax

## Current and Anticipated Actions/Protective Measures

- St. Johns County EOC is activated to a Level II – Partial Activation.
  - The St. Johns County EOC Citizens Information Line is open to assist with residents with questions and concerns at 904-824-5550. Hours of Operations are 8:00 am – 4:30 pm, Monday - Friday.
  - **St. Johns County Situation Report will be issued Monday and Thursday unless conditions dictate additional reports.**

- Real time updates from FDOH on the number of cases available at <http://www.floridahealth.gov/diseases-and-conditions/COVID-19/index.html>
- **Florida Department of Health - St. Johns: 904-209-3250**
- **Florida Department of Health has established a hotline for the public 1-866-779-6121. This hotline is open 24 hours a day.**

### Government / Schools / Hospital Status

St. Johns County Government	Status:	Operational – St. Johns County facilities are operating under limited public access restrictions.
City of St. Augustine	Status:	Operational – City offices will reopen to the public on Monday, June 1 <sup>st</sup> .
City of St. Augustine Beach	Status:	Operational Public Meeting Rooms closed.
St. Johns County School District	Status:	Summer Break
Florida School for Deaf and Blind	Status:	Summer Break
Flagler College	Status:	Classes will remain online for the summer semester and there will be no on-campus living.
St. Johns River State College	Status:	Classes will remain in an online format through the summer semester. All events have been canceled and all campuses will remain closed to the public until further notice.
Flagler Hospital	Status:	Operational - All patient visitation has been suspended. Exceptions will be made for the most critical, extenuating circumstances and spouses/partners of Labor and Delivery patients.

### Community Reopening

- **Governor Ron DeSantis Executive Order 20-139**
  - Restaurants and other establishments, and bars and other vendors licensed to sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises, may operate at fifty (50) percent of their indoor capacity, excluding employees, as under Executive Order 20-123, Section 1. Bar areas may be open with seated service. In addition, outdoor seating is permissible with appropriate social distancing. This section does not apply to nightclubs. Non-conflicting provisions in Executive Order 20- 71, Sections 1 and 2 remain in effect.
  - Entertainment businesses, including but not limited to movie theaters, concert houses, auditoriums, playhouses, bowling alleys, and arcades may operate at fifty (50) percent of their building capacity, with appropriate social distancing between groups and appropriate sanitation.
  - Pari-mutuel facilities may seek to operate with a written request from the County Mayor or if no mayor the County Administrator to the Secretary of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation (DBPR) and the approval of the DBPR Secretary.
  - Personal services, including but not limited to tattooing, body piercing, acupuncture, tanning and massage, may operate with appropriate safety guidelines as outlined by the Department of Health.
- The St. Johns County Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller (SJC COCC) has reopened to the general public. SJC COCC has partnered with St. Johns County Administration, The Chief Administrative Judge for St. Johns County, St. Johns County Emergency

Management, St. Johns County Sheriff's Office, St. Johns Country Fire Rescue and Flagler Health+ to ensure public safety while still providing quality customer service.

The public entering the Richard O. Watson Judicial Center will only be allowed to enter through the south entrance and are required to be medically screened by Flagler Health+ with a temperature check and questionnaire. Their temperature must be less than 100.4 degrees to enter. The following will be asked in the questionnaire:

- (1) Do you have any of the following symptoms (excluding those due to a known medical reason): cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, chills, muscle pain, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell?
- (2) Are you currently awaiting the results of a test to determine if you have COVID-19?
- (3) Are you under instructions to self-isolate or quarantine due to COVID-19?
- (4) Have you had close contact with someone with a COVID-19 diagnosis or who is awaiting test results for COVID-19?
- (5) Have you travelled to an area with notably high concentration of COVID-19 cases?

After a person has completed a medical screening, they will proceed through security. If they do not have a mask, they will be issued a mask by a SJC COCC employee who will direct them to the appropriate service area based on their needs. Signage will also be posted to help guide persons to the appropriate area.

Customer service for the following departments will be provided in-person on a walk-in basis to accept payments and filings: Family, Civil, Traffic, Criminal, and Small Claims. General recordings which include Deeds and Notices of Commencement--which can also be completed at County Permitting department--will be provided on a walk-in basis. All other Recording functions including passport applications, issuance of marriage license, and performance of marriage ceremony will remain available by appointment only.

PLEASE NOTE: Only newly announced community reopening will appear in the Situation Report. For further information regarding reopening please go to:

<http://www.sjcfl.us/coronavirus/index.aspx>

## Community Information

- **St. Johns County/Community**

- St. Johns County COVID-19 Resident Assistance and Business Assistance Hotlines

SJC COVID-19 Resident Assistance Hotline – 904.209.1250

Open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Specialists are available to provide information regarding federal assistance, State of Florida Reemployment Assistance, local programs, non-profit agencies, and other resources. Residents may be eligible to receive assistance with some of the following costs:

- Temporary mortgage payment, rent payment, or utility payments for residents financially impacted by COVID-19.
- Utility late fees and disconnections for residents financially impacted by COVID-19.

Resident Assistance Inquiries may also be submitted to [housing@sjcfl.us](mailto:housing@sjcfl.us).

SJC COVID-19 Business Assistance Hotline – 904.209.6050  
Open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, to help local businesses obtain information about Federal, State, and local funding, tax incentives, and resources designed to assist during the COVID-19 health emergency. Assist businesses in navigating available Federal and State programs, including:

- Federal Paycheck Protection Program Loans (PPP)
- SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL)
- SBA Small Business Debt Relief Program
- Small Business Tax Provisions
- Other relevant programs

Business Assistance Inquiries may also be submitted to [ecodev@sjcfl.us](mailto:ecodev@sjcfl.us).

- **State of Florida**

- DEO has created a dashboard to provide information relating to the state's unemployment and reemployment assistance, including unemployment claims by industry: [http://lmsresources.labormarketinfo.com/covid19/initial\\_claims.html](http://lmsresources.labormarketinfo.com/covid19/initial_claims.html)
- If a Floridian's employment has been negatively impacted as a result of the mitigation efforts in Florida to stop the spread of COVID-19, they may be eligible to receive Reemployment Assistance. <http://www.floridajobs.org/Reemployment-Assistance-Service-Center/reemployment-assistance/claimants/apply-for-benefits>
- Information regarding the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) can be found at: <https://www.myflfamilies.com/covid19/access.shtml>
- SBA Disaster Relief Loan – loans up to the lesser of 12 months expenses of \$2 million, 3.75% interest rate, no fees, up to 30-year terms. To apply, visit [www.sba.gov/disaster/apply-for-disaster-loan](http://www.sba.gov/disaster/apply-for-disaster-loan).
- Florida Department of Business & Professional Regulation
  - If you have any questions or concerns regarding bar/nightclub and restaurant closures or short term rentals, as well as restrictions on short term rentals you may call the main DBPR Customer Contact Center at (850) 487-1395 or go to <http://www.myfloridalicense.com/dbpr/eo-complaints/>. You can also monitor the main DBPR website at <http://www.myfloridalicense.com/dbpr/>.

- **Federal**

- CARES Act Paycheck Protection Program – loans up to the lesser of 2.5 times average monthly payroll expenses or \$10 million, up to 4% interest, no fees, 10-year term. For more information, visit [www.sbc.senate.gov/public](http://www.sbc.senate.gov/public).

## Resources for Official Information

St. Johns County Emergency Operations Center Citizens Information Center: 904-824-5550  
Florida Department of Health - St. Johns: 904-209-3250  
Centers for Disease Control: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>  
Florida Department of Health: <http://www.floridahealth.gov/diseases-and-conditions/COVID-19/index.html>

Florida Governors COVID-19 Hotline: 1-866-779-6121 (open 24 hours a day)  
 Florida Division of Emergency Management: <https://www.floridadisaster.org/>  
 St. Johns County Government Coronavirus Response: <http://www.sjcfcl.us/coronavirus/>

**Federal/State/Local Declarations of Emergency**  
 Each of the Governors Executive Orders can be found here:  
<https://www.flgov.com/2020-executive-orders/>

<b>Local State of Emergency</b>	Number: 20-01/20-02/20-04 /20-06/20-08/20-09/20-11/20-12/20-13/20-14/20-15/20-16	Dated:	6/2/20
St. Johns County Emergency Proclamation	Number: 20-03/20-05/20-07	Dated:	3/24/20
St. Johns County Emergency Order	Number: 20-01	Dated:	3/28/20
St. Johns County Emergency Order	Number: 20-02	Dated:	3/28/20
St. Johns County Emergency Order	Number: 20-03	Dated:	4/6/20
St. Johns County Emergency Order	Number: 20-04	Dated:	4/17/20
St. Johns County Emergency Order	Number: 20-05	Dated:	5/1/20
St. Johns County Emergency Order	Number: 20-06	Dated:	5/7/20
St. Johns County Emergency Order	Number: 20-07	Dated:	5/8/20
National Emergency COVID-19	Number: HQ-20-017	Dated:	3/13/20
Governors Executive Orders	<a href="https://www.flgov.com/2020-executive-orders/">https://www.flgov.com/2020-executive-orders/</a>		
Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission Executive Order	Number: 20-09	Dated:	3/27/20
Declaration of Public Health Emergency	State Surgeon General	Dated:	3/1/20

**Safety Message**

- Washing your hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- Avoiding close contact with people who are sick and stay home if you are sick.
- Feeling anxious, scared, or nervous about COVID-19? Text CARE4U to 741741 from anywhere, anytime, about any type of crisis. A trained Crisis Counselor receives the text and responds, all from a secure online platform. The volunteer Crisis Counselor will help you cope with the current events. Provided by Flagler Health + Care Connect.

To prevent the spread of disease, follow guidance from official sources at the Centers for Disease Control ([www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)) and the Florida Department of Health ([www.floridahealth.gov](http://www.floridahealth.gov)).



Receive alerts about emergencies by signing up for the St. Johns County Emergency Notification System, Alert St. Johns. This system enables us to provide you with critical information quickly in a variety of situations, such as severe weather, unexpected road closures, water advisories, missing persons, evacuations of buildings or neighborhoods and incidents that may threaten public safety.

<https://member.everbridge.net/index/892807736725582#/login>

**The next Situation Report will be issued Monday at 4:00 pm unless conditions dictate an earlier report.**

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