



St. Johns County

# COVID-19

## Situation Report – 1

Date: March 10, 2020 | 1500 hrs

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St. Johns County Emergency Operations Center	State of Florida Region 3 FEMA Region 4	Incident Name: COVID-19																											
GENERAL INFORMATION																													
Local State of Emergency	Number: NONE	Dated:																											
Governors Executive Order	Number: 20-51	Dated: 3/1/20																											
Governors Executive Order	Number: 20-52	Dated: 3/9/20																											
Declaration of Public Health Emergency	State Surgeon General	Dated: 3/1/20																											
Emergency Operations Center Activation Level:	Level 3 - Monitoring																												
EOC Manager:	Director Linda Stoughton	904-824-5550 office																											
Current Event Status																													
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) is responding to an outbreak of respiratory disease caused by a novel (new) coronavirus (COVID-19) that was first detected in China and has now been detected internationally, including in the United States.</li> <li>Positive Cases of COVID-19 in the State of Florida as of March 10, 2020 at 7:46 am. (most recent official report from FDOH):             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>14 - Florida Residents</li> <li>5 - Florida Cases Repatriated*</li> <li>1 - Non-Florida resident</li> <li>2 - Deaths</li> </ul> </li> </ul>																													
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Number of Negative Test Results: 222</li> <li>Number of Pending Testing Results: 155</li> <li>Number of People Under Public Health Monitoring*:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>319 - Currently being monitored</li> <li>1161 - People monitored to date</li> </ul> </li> <li>Florida Cases Repatriated: The United States Department of State officially coordinated the</li> </ul>																													

return of a person living in Florida to the United States and those persons are isolated at a federally designated site until healthy. A repatriated case is when the United States Department of State officially coordinates the return of a Florida resident to the United States.

- People Under Public Health Monitoring: The number of people under public health monitoring includes those at risk of having been exposed to COVID-19 who are monitoring their health under the supervision of public health officials.
- **As of March 10, 2020, there are no cases of COVID-19 in St. Johns County.**

### Current and Anticipated Actions/Protective Measures

- Participating in statewide conference calls:
  - Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM) - Monday and Thursday
- Public messaging on St. Johns County Government social media accounts began this week.
- The Governor’s Office issued Executive Order 20-51 directing the State Health Officer and Surgeon General to declare a public health emergency in the State of Florida.  
[https://www.flgov.com/wp-content/uploads/orders/2020/EO\\_20-51.pdf](https://www.flgov.com/wp-content/uploads/orders/2020/EO_20-51.pdf)
- The State Surgeon General issued a Declaration of Public Health Emergency on March 1, 2020.
- The Governor’s Office issued Executive Order 20-52 declaring an emergency for COVID-19  
<https://www.flgov.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/EO-20-52.pdf>
- Real time updates from FDOH on the number of cases available at  
<http://www.floridahealth.gov/diseases-andconditions/COVID-19/index.html>
- **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 School District	Status:	Operational
City of St. Augustine	Status:	Operational
City of St. Augustine Beach	Status:	Operational
St. Johns County School District	Status:	Operational
Florida School for Deaf and Blind	Status:	Operational
Flagler College	Status:	Operational
St. Johns River State College	Status:	Operational
Flagler Hospital	Status:	Operational

### Community Cancellations and Closures

**None reported**

### Resources for Official Information

Centers for Disease Control: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>  
 Florida Department of Health: <http://www.floridahealth.gov/diseases-andconditions/COVID-19/index.html>  
 Florida Department of Health COVID-19 Email Address: [COVID-19@flhealth.gov](mailto:COVID-19@flhealth.gov)

Florida Department of Health COVID-19 Hotline: 1-866-779-6121 (open 24 hours a day)  
State of Florida Division of Emergency Management: <http://www.floridadisaster.org/index.asp>  
St. Johns County Government: [www.sjcfl.us/index.aspx](http://www.sjcfl.us/index.aspx)  
St. Johns County Emergency Management: [www.sjcemergencymanagement.com](http://www.sjcemergencymanagement.com)

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Twitter	<a href="https://twitter.com/StJohnsCounty">https://twitter.com/StJohnsCounty</a> <a href="https://twitter.com/StJohnsEOC">https://twitter.com/StJohnsEOC</a>

## Safety Message

- Washing your hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after going to the bathroom, before eating, and after blowing your nose, coughing or sneezing. 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.
- Staying home when you are sick.
- Check the CDC's Traveler's Health Notices for the latest guidance and recommendations for each country to which you will travel.

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 Thursday at 1:00 pm unless conditions dictate an earlier report.**

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