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# COVID-19 OUTBREAK

## SITUATION REPORT - 60.1

APRIL 29, 2020

For Operational Period: April 28, 2020

### WORLDWIDE

3,152,573 Confirmed  
218,491 Deaths

### UNITED STATES

1,035,765 Confirmed  
59,266 Deaths

### MICHIGAN

39,262 Confirmed  
3,567 Deaths

### OUT-WAYNE COUNTY

7,395 Confirmed  
703 Deaths

## SITUATIONAL AWARENESS

- Ford Motor Company and General Motors plan to call hourly and salaried workers back to work on a voluntary basis. Partial reopening may be sometime in May and safety protocol measures would be in place for employees.
- The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has updated the "[Get My Payment](#)" tool. The new enhancements have expanded information, help the public track their Economic Impact Payment, and provide taxpayers with access to adding direct deposit information.
- One leader of the protests against the Stay-at-Home Order in North Carolina has self-reported to a local news outlet that she has tested positive for COVID-19. She describes herself to be asymptomatic and refused to indicate whether she tested negative before releasing herself from quarantine.
- The United Kingdom, Italy, and Spain have reported an increased number of children under the age of nine with severe cases of what appears to be Kawasaki disease, a rare inflammatory disease in infants and young children. Although it has not led to any deaths of children, medical experts in Italy and the U.K. are investigating a possible link between COVID-19 and Kawasaki disease.
- Oxford University has begun human trials with 1,110 participants on a promising vaccine that can trigger the immune system to fight off and provide protection against COVID-19. Half of the participants will receive the vaccine, and the other half will receive a placebo. The experimental vaccine has worked well in protecting rhesus macaque monkeys who were heavily exposed to COVID-19, thus providing hope it will do the same for humans. If this study is successful, scientists hope to have the vaccine widely available by September.
- Wayne County Health Department is seeking donations of homemade face masks. If you or someone you know are able to donate, please contact [abane@waynecounty.com](mailto:abane@waynecounty.com) or call 734-467-3436.

## ACTIONS TAKEN

- The Public Health Emergency Operations Center (PHOC) is at FULL ACTIVATION.

## USEFUL RESOURCES

[Face Mask Instructions](#)

[Find a Testing Site Near You](#)

[Volunteer](#)

[Frequently Asked Questions](#)

[Wayne County](#)

[Michigan.gov/coronavirus](https://www.michigan.gov/coronavirus)

[Household Checklist](#)

[Protect Yourself When Running Errands](#)

[Stress & Coping](#)

[CDC](#)

**Disaster Distress Helpline:** 1-800-985-5990

**National Domestic Violence Hotline:** 1-800-799-7233 and TTY 1-800-787-3224

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