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COVID-19 OUTBREAK

SITUATION REPORT - 126.1

AUGUST 03, 2020

For Operational Period: July 31—August 02, 2020

WORLDWIDE

18,260,495 Cases
693,405 Deaths

UNITED STATES

4,813,984 Cases
158,375 Deaths

MICHIGAN

91,761 Cases
6,457 Deaths

OUT-WAYNE COUNTY

13,243 Cases
1,213 Deaths

SITUATIONAL AWARENESS

- European countries tighten controls amid COVID-19 second wave fears:
 - Belgium:** Prime Minister Sophie Wilmes said that contacts outside family circles will be limited to the same five people over the next four weeks.
 - France:** Mandated all customers to wear masks in stores and indoor venues after several outbreaks have been seen.
 - Germany:** Health Minister Jens Spahn announced that he would impose tests for COVID-19 on travelers returning from regions at risk in light of the rise in new cases.
 - Greece:** Authorities say they are likely to extend the mandatory use of masks in public areas, citing the worsening public adherence to pandemic safety guidelines.
 - Austria:** Residents of St. Wolfgang, were urged to stay at home after 44 people in the region tested positive for COVID-19 in a single day.
 - Italy:** The southern region of Campania imposed a €1,000 fine for anyone who does not wear a mask. Businesses could also be forced to close for a duration of five to 30 days.
- Governor Whitmer signed several bipartisan budget bills into law Friday, while she vetoed nursing home legislation. The bipartisan budget bills are aimed at protecting funding for Michigan schools and public safety. The governor had vetoed [Senate Bill 956](#), as she believes it would have jeopardized the health of Michigan's nursing home residents and other COVID-19-positive patients.
- The Michigan Economic Development Corporation is reminding small businesses and nonprofits working to recover from the ongoing impact of the COVID-19 virus that there is still time to apply for grants of up to \$20,000 through the [Michigan Small Business Restart Program](#). The program will provide \$100 million in economic assistance to Michigan's small businesses and nonprofits. The deadline for applications is August 5th.
- Grosse Pointe Public School System Superintendent Gary Niehaus announced Friday that the district will start the school year with remote learning only, with a plan to gradually reintroduce students to in-person learning. Officials say a task force developed plans for in-person learning, virtual learning and a hybrid of both options. However, the district feels it is "better, safer and in everyone's best interest" to begin the school year fully online, even though they are currently allowed to follow a hybrid learning model.

ACTIONS TAKEN

- Wayne County Public Health has developed COVID-19 [educational materials](#) available for download.
- The Public Health Emergency Operations Center (PHOC) is at FULL ACTIVATION.

USEFUL RESOURCES

[Readiness for Schools](#)

[Find a Testing Site Near You](#)

[Volunteer](#)

[Frequently Asked Questions](#)

[Wayne County](#)

[Michigan.gov/coronavirus](#)

[COVID-19 Workplace Toolkit](#)

[Save-A-Life Program](#)

[COVID-19 Educational Materials](#)

[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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