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COVID-19 OUTBREAK

SITUATION REPORT - 124.1

JULY 30, 2020

For Operational Period: July 29, 2020

WORLDWIDE

17,214,685 Cases

670,922 Deaths

UNITED STATES

4,568,375 Cases

153,848 Deaths

MICHIGAN

88,974 Cases

6,422 Deaths

OUT-WAYNE COUNTY

12,825 Cases

1,207 Deaths

SITUATIONAL AWARENESS

- At least five COVID-19 cases have been tracked to a wedding reception on July 18 at the Crystal Gardens Banquet Hall in Southgate. The wedding was reported to have over 100 guests. The Wayne County Public Health Division is sending out notifications to all Wayne County banquet halls reaffirming the Governor's orders. Inspections at banquet halls and other large venues are increasing to confirm compliance with the order. Attendees of the reception are encouraged to call the Wayne County Public Health Division at 734-727-7078 to report their contacts, get tested by a healthcare provider as soon as possible, and self-quarantine at home as directed.
- Governor Whitmer signed Executive Order [2020-159](#) to allow Michigan's colleges and universities to proceed with converting large spaces for instruction without approval or inspection.
- Governor Whitmer signed Executive Order [2020-160](#) and Executive Order [2020-161](#), amending Michigan's Safe Start Order and issuing revised workplace safeguards. Under the Safe Start Order, starting July 31, 2020, statewide indoor gatherings will be **limited to 10 people** and bars will be closed for indoor service across the state, including in Regions 6 and 8.
- The true number of COVID-19 cases in the U.S. could be anywhere from six to 24 times higher than the confirmed numbers of cases, depending on location, according to a large federal [study](#) that relied on data from 10 U.S. cities and states. The vast majority of Americans, however, are still vulnerable to COVID-19. The study, published in JAMA Internal Medicine, relied on serological tests — blood screens that search for antibodies to the virus and that determine whether someone was previously infected.
- The Henry Ford Health System is seeking volunteers to take part in a COVID-19 vaccine trial. The system is one of 90 nationwide selected as a trial site for the Moderna mRNA-1273 Coronavirus Efficacy (COVE) vaccine. Out of the 30,000 people nationwide that will participate in the trial, 5,000 will be included from the Henry Ford System. Volunteers can sign up for the vaccine trial on the Henry Ford [website](#).
- Southfield Public Schools will start the 2020-21 school year online due to COVID-19, the district announced on Tuesday. According to the district, they will offer remote learning at the start of the school year "due to a large number of COVID-19 cases in our region."

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

Disaster Distress Helpline: 1-800-985-5990

[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](#)

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

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