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NC DHHS 2019 Novel Corona Virus Website https://epi.dph.ncdhhs.gov/cd/diseases/2019nCoV.html

General 2019 Novel Coronavirus Questions Email ncresponse@dhhs.nc.gov

People who have questions or concerns related to COVID-19 can call 866-462-3821 for more information.

Press 1 for English or to ask for a language interpreter. For Spanish press 2.

To submit questions online, go to

www.ncpoisoncontrol.org and select chat

Madison County Public Health: EveryWhere, EveryDay, EveryBody



CDC Protects and Prepares Communities

CDC is aggressively responding to the global outbreak of COVID-19 and preparing for the potential of community spread in the U.S.

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- Conducts outreach to travelers
- Issues travel notices

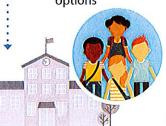


Laboratory and diagnostics

- Develops diagnostic tests
- Confirms all positive test results submitted by states

Schools

 Provides guidance for schools including school closures and online education options



Businesses

 Provides business guidance including recommendations for sick leave policies and continuity of operations

Community members

- Shares information on symptoms and prevention
- · Provides information on home care
- Encourages social distancing









- Develops guidance for healthcare professionals
- · Conducts clinical outreach and education



- Develops preparedness checklists for health systems
- Provides guidance for PPE supply planning, healthcare system screening, and infection control
- Leverages existing telehealth tools to redirect persons to the right level of care





- Assesses state and local readiness to implement community mitigation measures
 - Links public health agencies and healthcare systems













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For more information: www.cdc.gov/COVID19

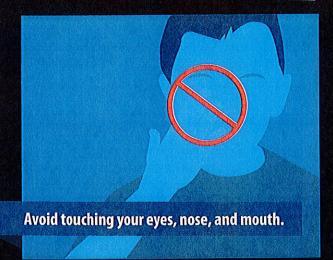


STOP THE SPREAD OF GERMS

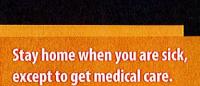
Help prevent the spread of respiratory diseases like COVID-19.

Avoid close contact with people who are sick.

Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash.



Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.









For more information: www.cdc.gov/COVID19



SYMPTOMS OF CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019

Patients with COVID-19 have experienced mild to severe respiratory illness.



FEVER



*Symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure.

If you have been in China or in close contact with someone with confirmed COVID-19 in the past 2 weeks and develop symptoms, call your doctor.

SHORTNESS OF BREATH



For more information: www.cdc.gov/COVID19



If you're sick, stay home, rest, and remember to:



Cover your coughs and sneezes with a tissue or your sleeve.



Wash your hands often with soap and water.



Clean frequently touched surfaces and objects (for example, TV remotes and computers).



U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Employers: Consider offering flexible leave and telework policies.

Make it easier for your staff to stay home when they're sick or caring for a sick family member