



INYO COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS

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INYO COUNTY COVID-19 EMERGENCY OPERATIONS UPDATE:

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<https://www.inyocounty.us/covid-19>

Local Numbers Update

Inyo County Cases:

- 19 confirmed COVID-19 cases | 1 deaths | 15 recovered

Inyo County Testing:

- Tests Administered: 334 (NIHD, SIH, & Toiyabe)
- Tests Positive: 19
- Tests Negative: 305
- Tests Pending*: 10

**Cases with pending results are monitored by medical staff ordering test; Inyo County Public Health monitors pending results identified as high probability individuals.*

Mono County Cases:

- 26 confirmed COVID-19 case | 1 deaths

Inyo County Demographics

Ages	COVID-19 Cases
Ages 0-18	0
Ages 19-49	12
Ages 50-64	2
Ages 65+	5
Unreported or Missing Data	0
Gender	
Gender	COVID-19 Cases
Male	12
Female	7
Gender ID or Missing Data	0

Local Information, Action, & Recommendations

- **Bishop Chamber of Commerce Grant Program:** The Bishop Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce a new grant program to benefit small businesses in Bishop that have been significantly affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. Thanks to a generous private donor, an emergency fund has been established with \$20,000 available to provide immediate financial assistance. All businesses with a physical location inside Bishop City limits are eligible. All applications will be reviewed and scored by a committee utilizing a two-stage process to ensure equality and fairness. For more information visit:

<https://www.bishopchamberofcommerce.com/covid-19-grant-application/>

- **REOPEN INYO PLANNING** – Reopening hinges on the Governor, who will be modifying his orders, moving us into Stage 2 of the four-stage reopening process this Friday. Inyo County will be ready and able to take action, while continuing to focus on protecting the health of our residents, once the Governor modifies the orders this week.

What can each of you do to help make the transition to stage 2 successful?

- Continue to maintain social distance – when you enter a business, when you encounter someone in the community, when you engage in any activity outside of your immediate home environment, make sure you keep 6’ of distance between yourself and others
 - Wear a cloth face covering any time you are in an environment where you may not be able to maintain social distance, such as when you are shopping
 - Wash your hands with soap and water for 20 seconds frequently
 - Use hand sanitizer in the absence of soap and water
 - Stay at home and isolate when you are experiencing cold and flu-like symptoms
- **CRITICAL REMINDER - Failure to comply with Health Officer Orders places individuals and our community at increased risk of infection. Violation of Health Officer Orders may also result in a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment, fine, or both (Health and Safety Code §120295).**

Statewide/ Federal Information, Action, & Recommendations

	Global	U.S.	California
Confirmed Cases	3,719,891	1,234,592	58,303
Deaths	257,746	72,054	2,364

Global: <https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/> (05/05/20 –3:00 pm)

US: <https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/us/> (05/05/20 –3:00 pm)

CA: <https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/us/> (05/05/20 –3:00 pm)

- The below government COVID-19 guidance pages are updated constantly as new information becomes available:

<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019>

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>

<https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/Guidance.aspx>

<https://covid19.ca.gov/>

<https://www.coronavirus.gov/>

Inyo County Health and Human Services- Public Health Division, Board of Supervisors, and County Administration are actively monitoring the situation involving the infectious disease outbreak of COVID-19 (novel coronavirus). The Inyo County HHS Public Health division is the lead authority for all public health emergencies in our County.