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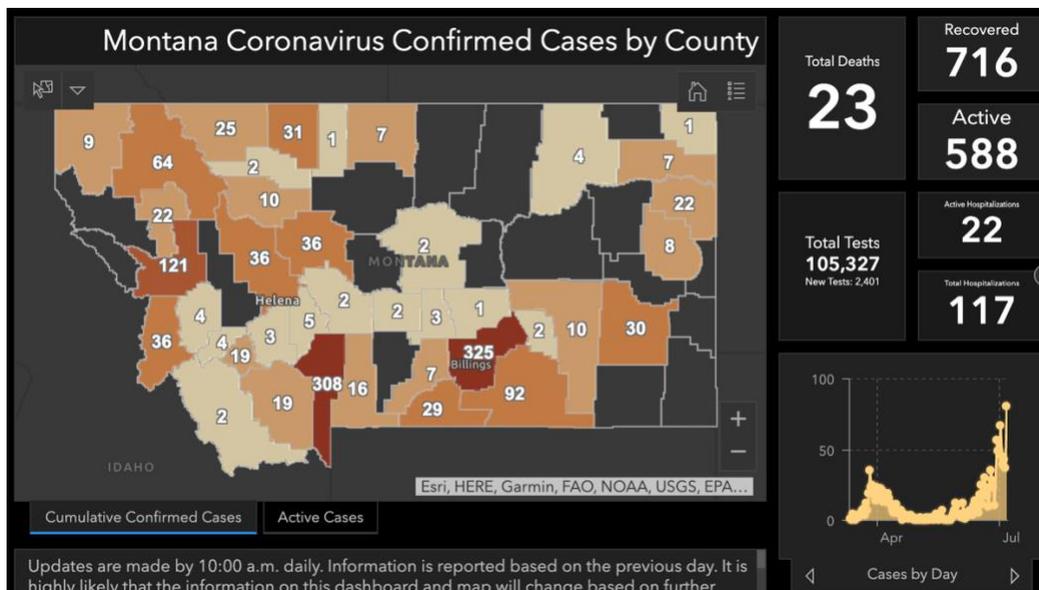
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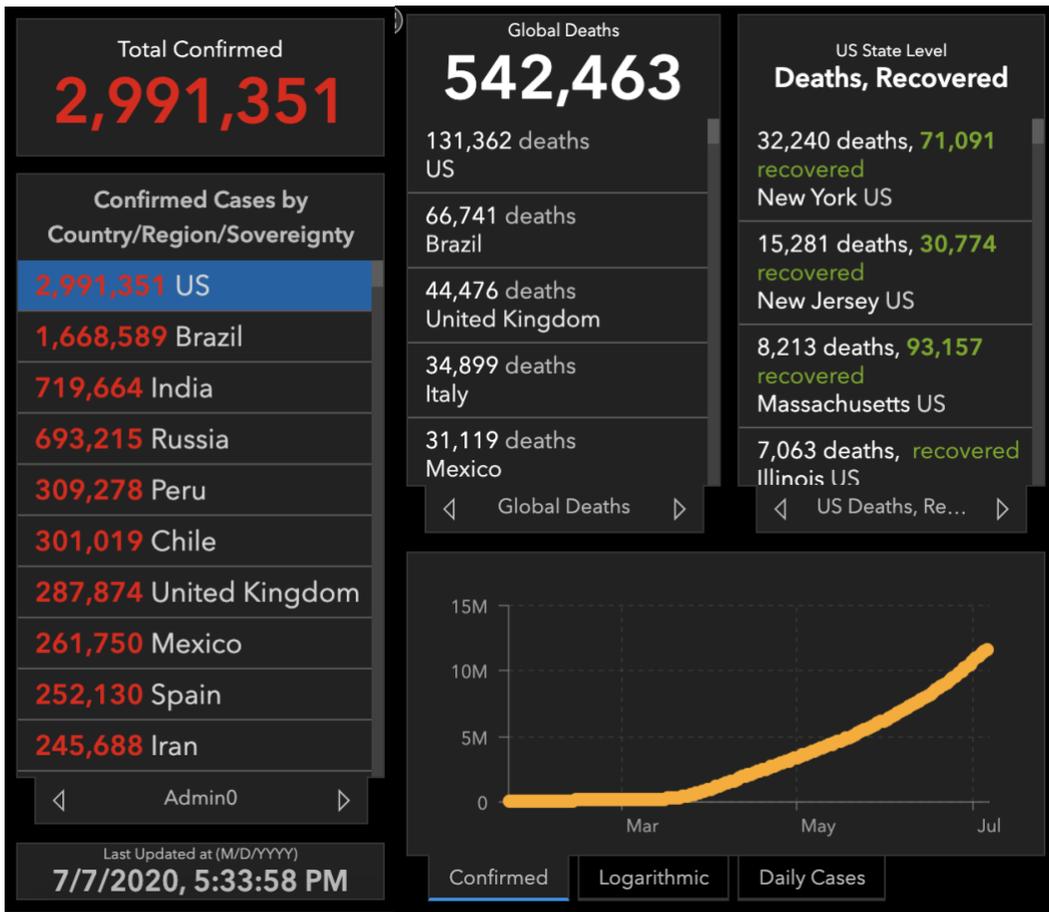
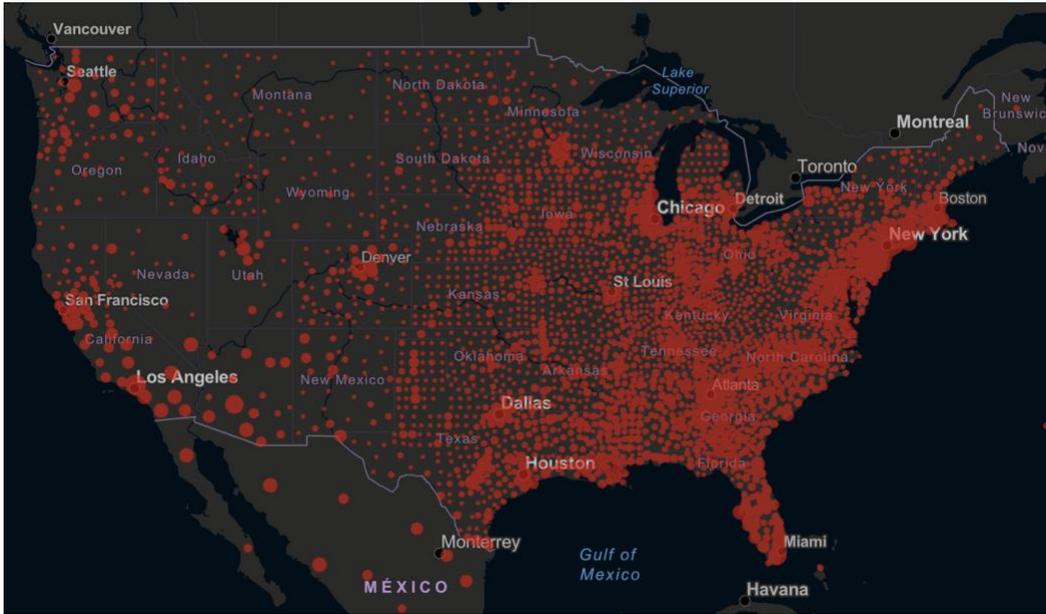
Montana Hospital Association - Situation Report

July 7, 2020

COVID-19

REPORTED CASES	
Montana <i>New in last 24hrs: 80 (+6%)</i> <i>Active Cases: 588 (Last 24hrs: +40)</i> <i>Recovered: 716 (Last 24hrs: 38)</i> <i>Hospitalizations, Total: 117 (Last 24hrs: +5)</i> <i>Hospitalizations, Active: 22 (Last 24hrs: +2)</i> <i>Deaths: 23 (Last 24hrs: +0)</i> Source: Montana COVID-19 Dashboard	1,327
United States <i>New in last 24hrs: 69,351 (+2%)</i> Source: Johns Hopkins CSSE Global Outbreak Dashboard	2,991,351
WA	37,420
ID	8,052
WY	1,709
ND	3,898
SD	7,163





OPERATIONS

HHS, DOD collaborate to produce COVID-19 vaccines, therapeutics. HHS and the Department of Defense today announced a [\\$1.6 billion agreement](#) to demonstrate commercial-scale manufacturing of Novavax, Inc.'s investigational COVID-19 vaccine. By funding this manufacturing effort, the federal government will own the 100 million vaccine doses produced through the demonstration.

HHS and DOD today also announced a similar agreement with Regeneron Inc. to demonstrate manufacturing of an investigational COVID-19 [antiviral treatment](#). Under the agreement, the company said the U.S. could own between 70,000 and 300,000 doses of the therapeutic.

Lysol surface disinfectants gain first EPA approvals as SARS-CoV-2 killers. The Environmental Protection Agency yesterday [approved](#) two Lysol products following testing indicating that both safely and effectively kill the virus that causes COVID-19. EPA approved Lysol Disinfectant Spray (EPA Reg No. 777-99) and Lysol Disinfectant Max Cover Mist (EPA Reg No. 777-127), following laboratory testing that shows the products are effective against SARS-CoV-2.

Point-of-care antigen test earns FDA emergency use authorization. The FDA Monday authorized the emergency use of the BD (Becton Dickinson) [Veritor System for Rapid Detection](#) of SARS-CoV-2. The test is the second antigen diagnostic to earn an emergency use authorization from FDA and can be used in patient care settings approved for CLIA high or moderate complexity or waived testing. However, the test's emergency use is limited to authorized laboratories using the BD Veritor Plus Analyzer Instrument.

PLANNING

Continue resource reporting to State. The following reporting requirements are in effect. For questions, please contact your [Regional Coordinator](#).

- **Hospitals:** Continue reporting to Juvare/EMResource as follows:
 - Daily: Bed and ventilator counts
 - Weekly (every Friday): PPE
 - Following treatment of COVID-19 patient(s): COVID-19 patient data, as directed by public health officials
- **Long-Term Care Facilities:** Bed and PPE counts to be reported weekly on Fridays. Use this [survey link](#) weekly to report bed and PPE data.

LOGISTICS

Submit PPE needs to DES coordinator in order to ensure allocation. In order to receive an allocation of emergency PPE, healthcare organizations MUST [submit needs to their local DES coordinator](#).

FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION

AHA, AAMC and CHA request extension for community health needs assessments. The American Hospital Association, Association of American

Medical Colleges and Catholic Health Association of the United States today [requested](#) the Department of Treasury and the Internal Revenue Service extend the deadlines for tax-exempt hospitals and health systems to prepare community health needs assessments that occur during the COVID-19 public health emergency. They called on the IRS to “immediately announce an extension for any CHNA required to be conducted after April 1, 2020 until April 1, 2021 or a date that is six months after the expiration of the public health emergency declared by the Secretary of Health and Human Services,” whichever is longer.

COMMUNICATIONS

Call recordings and webinar playbacks. Missed a call or webinar promoted in MHA’s daily COVID-19 Call & Webinar Alert? Many are recorded, and are [posted here](#) once available.

COVID-19 Resource Library. MHA has built a [library](#) of helpful resources and sample material from other hospitals, healthcare organizations and states in their response to COVID-19.

HHS hospital-specific COVID-19 questions: HospitalCOVID19@hhs.gov

SITREP Archive. Daily Situation Reports archived [here](#).

State of Montana COVID-19 Hotline: 1-888-333-0461

Montanans can also email questions to covid19info@mt.gov. State public health officials will be responding to inquiries from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Friday.

MHA Incident Management Team: esf8@mtha.org

REFERENCE LINKS

GENERAL

Contact lists and general sources of information on a wide range of COVID-19-related issues

[MHA COVID-19 General Resources page](#)

CLINICAL OPERATIONS

Resources on infection prevention and control, EMS operations, telehealth operations and care for specific populations from federal and state resources

[MHA COVID-19 Clinical Operations page](#)

LONG-TERM CARE & RETIREMENT COMMUNITIES

CDC and CMS resources specific to maintaining safe conditions in long-term care and retirement communities

[MHA COVID-19 Long-Term Care & Retirement Communities page](#)

SUPPLY CHAIN RESOURCES

Resources from AHRMM, AHA, Intalere, CDC and other sources on sourcing, conserving and properly using PPE

[MHA COVID-19 Supply Chain Resources page](#)

WORKFORCE PROTECTION & SUPPORT

MT DLI, CDC, OSHA and NIH toolkits, FAQs and other resources to protect employees and allow staff to return to work

[MHA COVID-19 Workforce Protection & Support page](#)

COMMUNITY MITIGATION STRATEGIES

CDC resources on community mitigation strategies

[MHA COVID-19 Community Mitigation Strategies page](#)

FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION

Guidance, fact sheets and other resources on regulatory waivers and flexibilities in addition to catalogued financing information related to the CARES Act and other COVID-19 funding assistance

[MHA COVID-19 Finance & Administration page](#)

COMMUNICATIONS

Archive of MHA COVID-19 related communications as well as sample communications documents, toolkits and other resources from state and national levels

[MHA COVID-19 Communications page](#)

TESTING

FAQs, recommendations and other CDC, FDA and MT DPHHS resources related to COVID-19 testing

[MHA COVID-19 Testing page](#)

PLANNING

Best practices and planning documents from CDC, facilities on the front lines and MT DPHHS

[MHA COVID-19 Planning page](#)

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