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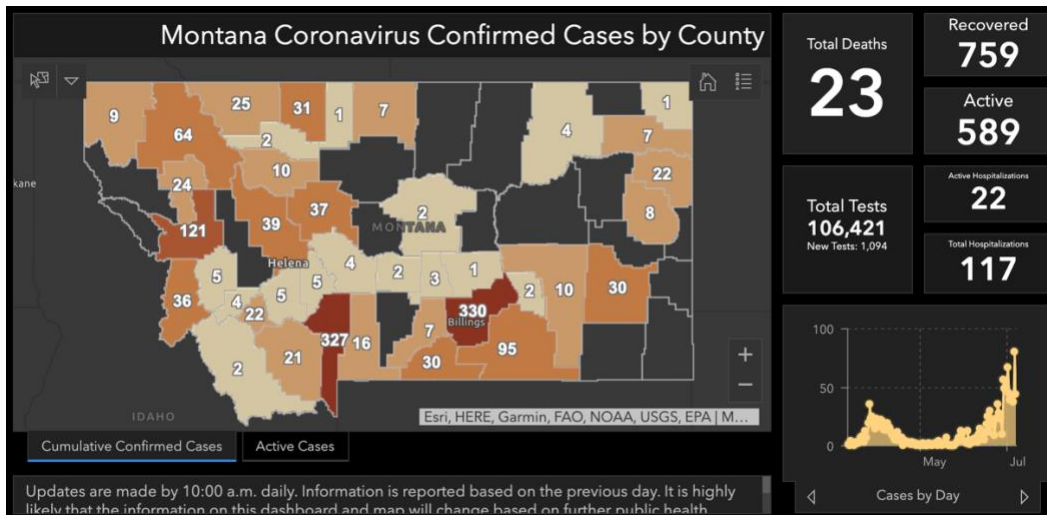


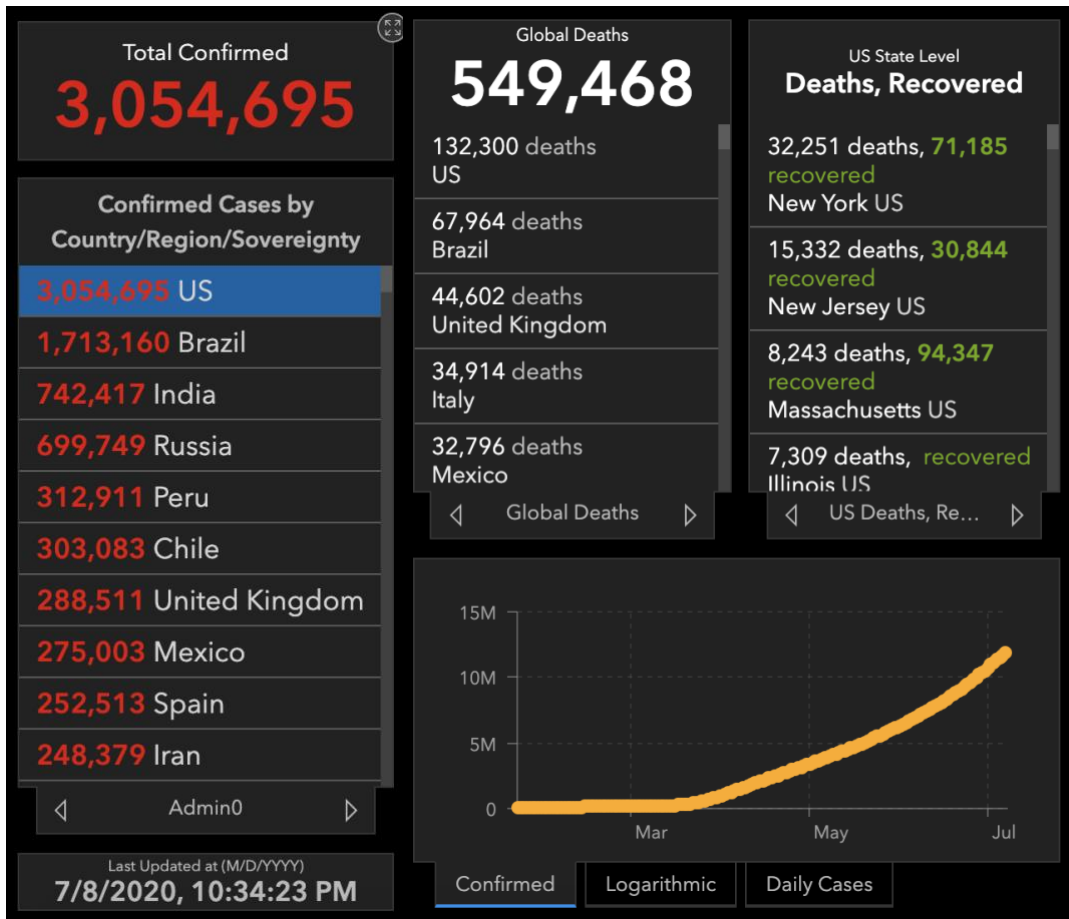
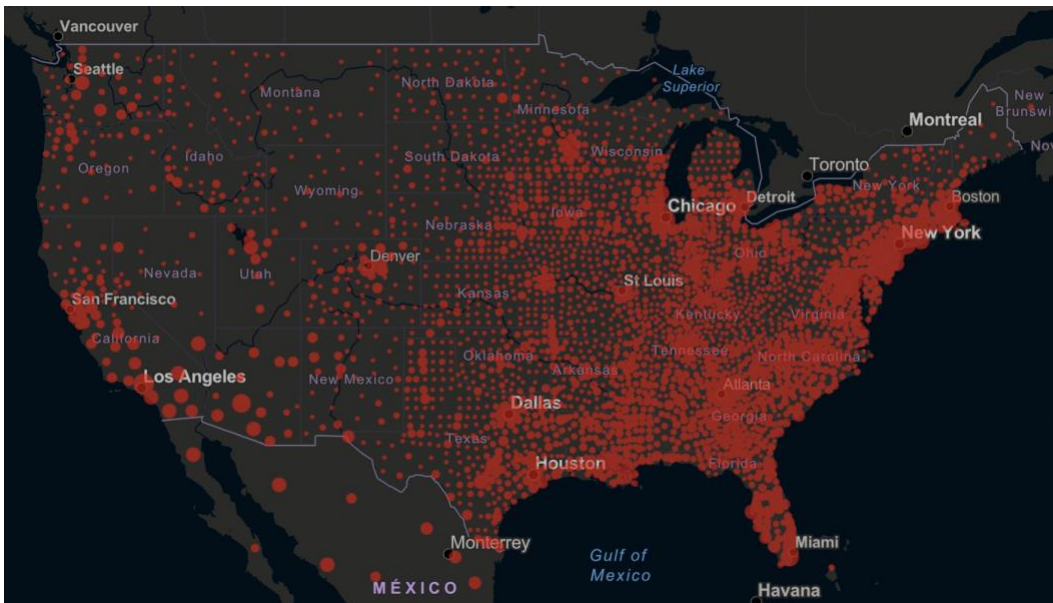
Montana Hospital Association - Situation Report

July 8, 2020

COVID-19

REPORTED CASES	
Montana <i>New in last 24hrs: 44 (+3%)</i> <i>Active Cases: 589 (Last 24hrs: +1)</i> <i>Recovered: 759 (Last 24hrs: 43)</i> <i>Hospitalizations, Total: 117 (Last 24hrs: +0)</i> <i>Hospitalizations, Active: 22 (Last 24hrs: +0)</i> <i>Deaths: 23 (Last 24hrs: +0)</i> Source: Montana COVID-19 Dashboard	1,371
United States <i>New in last 24hrs: 63,344 (+2%)</i> Source: Johns Hopkins CSSE Global Outbreak Dashboard	3,054,695
WA	37,941
ID	8,969
WY	1,740
ND	3,971
SD	7,242





OPERATIONS

FDA warns of false positives from BD-brand COVID-19 test. The FDA Monday [warned](#) of an increased risk of false positive results from the BD SARS-CoV-2 Reagents for the BD Max System test. FDA said the manufacturer reported approximately 3% of results were false positives. The agency recommends clinical laboratory staff and health care providers consider presumptive any positive

result from tests using the BD SARS-CoV-2 Reagents for the BD Max System and confirm results using an alternate, authorized test.

NIH launches COVID-19 clinical trial network. The National Institutes of Health today [said](#) it established a clinical trial network for large-scale clinical testing of COVID-19 investigational vaccines and monoclonal antibodies. The COVID-19 Prevention Trials Network will operate under the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases to enroll thousands of volunteers, according to NIH, as a functional unit of federal “Operation Warp Speed” initiative. The network will use a harmonized vaccine protocol developed by a public-private partnership to enable analyses of results across multiple clinical trials.

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

New fact sheet on remdesivir allocation. HHS’ Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) released a [fact sheet](#) outlining the process for hospitals to obtain the investigational drug remdesivir to treat COVID-19.

To receive the funding, hospitals every two weeks — from Monday, July 6, through September — must input data by 6 p.m. MT on confirmed and suspected COVID-19 cases via TeleTracking. ASPR then will notify state and territorial health departments about their allocations. Health departments will determine how much remdesivir hospitals within each jurisdiction will receive and notify the manufacturer, AmerisourceBergen, which will coordinate biweekly shipments to hospitals. Hospitals will be billed through AmerisourceBergen.

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](#).

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](#)

