Summary of Montana Activity
- Governor Bullock issues executive order declaring a State of Emergency
- Governor Bullock created the COVID-19 Taskforce on March 3, 2020
- Activated the Montana Emergency Response Framework and the Emergency Support Function
- Montana DPHHS continues to monitor supplies and equipment needs

Summary of National Activity
- Public Health Emergency declared on January 27, 2020
- All States have the ability to test for COVID-19
- 43 States with confirmed cases (including District of Columbia)
- 1215 Total Reported Cases
- 36 Deaths

New Guidance, Policy's, Plans, Procedures or other documents
- Information Sheet to Local DES Coordinators March 12, 2020
- County and Tribal Guidance for Continuity distributed March 12, 2020
- Agency Guidance for Continuity Message to Directors March 6

Recent Dept. of Public Health and Human Services Health Alert Network Messaging
- March 11, 2020: Situation Update with presumptive positive case, changes to CDC definition of patient under investigation, updated PPE recommendations.
- March 9, 2020: Situation update, including recommendations and contact information for public health and healthcare. Including contact information for different areas of concern.
- March 7, 2020: Situation update, including epidemiology and laboratory update

Montana is reporting one case of COVID-19. The patient acquired the illness outside of Montana and has not returned to the state since becoming ill.

Reported COVID-19 Cases in Montana

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*The one case reported to date is a Montana resident with travel-associated illness and no documented exposures or close contacts in Montana.

Persons tested include those have symptoms of concern and have a travel history, or close contact with a suspected case, or are exhibiting symptoms of a compatible illness without outer cause after medical examination.

Persons tested may not have been under monitoring at the time of testing. Visit [https://dphhs.mt.gov/publichealth/cdepi/diseases/coronavirusmt](https://dphhs.mt.gov/publichealth/cdepi/diseases/coronavirusmt) for the most updated information from DPHHS.