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Governor Cuomo Announces Five Regions Will Enter Phase Three of Reopening Tomorrow

Global Public Health Experts Have Cleared Central New York, Finger Lakes, Mohawk Valley, North Country and Southern Tier to Enter Phase Three

State is Allowing Localities to Open Public Pools and Playgrounds at their Discretion Beginning Today

Confirms 736 Additional Coronavirus Cases in New York State - Bringing Statewide Total to 380,892; New Cases in 42 Counties

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo today announced that five regions—Central New York, Finger Lakes, Mohawk Valley, North Country and Southern Tier - will enter phase three of reopening tomorrow, June 12th. The team of global public health experts advising New York State on its reopening strategy has thoroughly reviewed the data for the five regions and cleared them to enter phase three. Phase three allows indoor restaurant and food services and personal care services to resume. Each industry is subject to specific state guidelines to maximize safety and social distancing. Business guidance for phase three of the state's reopening plan is available here.

Governor Cuomo also announced that the state is allowing localities to open public pools and playgrounds at their discretion while following state guidance beginning today.

"We've had the most informed, science-based reopening in the country and as we continue our phased reopening the numbers continue to go down," **Governor Cuomo said**. "There is now one number to watch closely and that is the daily testing number because it is a snapshot of the day before and will tell us if the infection rate is going up in any given location. We've been doing everything right up until now, but we have to stay smart and keep following all the necessary precautions to keep getting those numbers down."

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governorandrewcuomo governorandrewcuomo Finally, the Governor confirmed 736 additional cases of novel coronavirus, bringing the statewide total to 380,892 confirmed cases in New York State. Of the 380,892 total individuals who tested positive for the virus, the geographic breakdown is as follows:

County	Total Positive	New Positive
Albany	1,996	10
Allegany	53	1
Broome	641	11
Cattaraugus	98	2
Cayuga	102	0
Chautauqua	106	1

Chemung	138	0
Chenango	137	0
Clinton	98	1
Columbia	424	4
Cortland	42	0
Delaware	88	1
Dutchess	4,027	5
Erie	6,659	43
Essex	40	0

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Franklin	23	0
Fulton	230	2
Genesee	212	1
Greene	249	0
Hamilton	5	0
Herkimer	125	0
Jefferson	79	0
Lewis	20	0

Livingston	121	0
Madison	333	2
Monroe	3,293	38
Montgomery	101	1
Nassau	41,060	45
Niagara	1,136	7
NYC	208,517	399
Oneida	1,216	13
Onondaga	2,454	21

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Ontario	229	7
Orange	10,550	9
Orleans	260	1
Oswego	119	4
Otsego	78	1
Putnam	1,282	0
Rensselaer	508	1
Rockland	13,385	13

Saratoga	513	2
Schenectady	717	1
Schoharie	54	0
Schuyler	12	0
Seneca	62	1
St. Lawrence	212	3
Steuben	254	1
Suffolk	40,512	48
Sullivan	1,426	1

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Tioga	135	0
Tompkins	171	O
Ulster	1,729	3
Warren	257	O
Washington	241	1
Wayne	127	1
Westchester	34,106	30
Wyoming	91	0

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