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## **GOVERNOR NED LAMONT**

#### 10/06/2020

Governor Lamont Provides Update on Connecticut's Coronavirus Response Efforts Latest Data as of 4:00PM on Tuesday, October 6, 2020

(HARTFORD, CT) – As the State of Connecticut continues taking actions in response to the global spread of coronavirus disease (COVID-19), Governor Ned Lamont provided the following updates as of 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 6, 2020:

## **Data updates on testing in Connecticut**

The following is a summary of the day-to-day newly reported data on cases, deaths, and tests in Connecticut. It is important to note that these newly reported updates include data that occurred over the last several days to a week. All data in this report are preliminary, and data for previous dates will be updated as new reports are received and data errors are corrected.

Overall Summary	Statewide Total (includes confirmed and probable cases)	Change Since Yesterday
COVID-19 Cases	59,241	+121
COVID-19-Associated Deaths	4,521	+4
Patients Currently Hospitalized with COVID-19	129	0
COVID-19 PCR Tests Reported	1,742,022	+17,714

## County-by-county breakdown:

County	COVID-19 Cases		COVID-19 Deaths		COVID-19 Hospitalizations
	Confirmed	Probable	Confirmed	Probable	
Fairfield County	19,768	819	1,112	313	26
Hartford County	14,583	689	1,118	322	38
Litchfield County	1,823	88	120	21	2
Middlesex County	1,560	71	154	39	4
New Haven County	14,184	538	958	157	30
New London County	2,331	82	94	30	27
Tolland County	1,370	107	52	15	0
Windham County	1,059	13	15	1	2
Pending address validation	151	5	0	0	0
Total	56,829	2,412	3,623	898	129

For several additional graphs and tables containing more data, including a list of cases in every municipality, visit <a href="mailto:ct.gov/coronavirus">ct.gov/coronavirus</a> (<a href="http://ct.gov/coronavirus">http://ct.gov/coronavirus</a>) and click the link that is labeled, "COVID-19 Data Tracker."

Weekly update to the regional travel advisory: New Mexico meets metrics to qualify, no areas removed

The <u>regional travel advisory (/Coronavirus/Travel)</u> between Connecticut, New Jersey, and New York that directs incoming travelers from states with a significant community spread of COVID-19 to self-quarantine for a 14-day period was updated today: New Mexico has been added to the list of impacted locations that meet the metrics to qualify, and no states or territories were removed from the list this week.

The requirement to quarantine applies to any person traveling into Connecticut from a state with a positive case rate higher than 10 per 100,000 residents, or higher than a 10 percent test positivity rate over a 7-day rolling average. It also applies to any person arriving into Connecticut from a country for which the <a href="U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has issued a Level 3 Travel Health Notice">U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has issued a Level 3 Travel Health Notice</a> (<a href="https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/map-and-travel-notices.html#travel-1">https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/map-and-travel-notices.html#travel-1</a>).

Anyone arriving to Connecticut from any of the impacted locations is required to fill out a travel health form upon their arrival. The form can be filled out online at <a href="mailto:ct.gov/travelform">ct.gov/travelform</a> (<a href="http://ct.gov/travelform">http://ct.gov/travelform</a>).

The list of impacted locations is updated once per week every Tuesday. As of today, the full list of impacted locations under the travel advisory includes:

- 1. Alabama
- 2. Alaska
- 3. Arkansas
- 4. Colorado
- 5. Delaware
- 6. Florida
- 7. Georgia
- 8. Guam
- 9. Idaho
- 10. Illinois
- 11. Indiana
- 12. Iowa
- 13. Kansas
- 14. Kentucky
- 15. Louisiana
- 16. Minnesota
- 17. Mississippi

- 18. Missouri
- 19. Montana
- 20. Nebraska
- 21. Nevada
- 22. New Mexico
- 23. North Carolina
- 24. North Dakota
- 25. Oklahoma
- 26. Puerto Rico
- 27. Rhode Island
- 28. South Carolina
- 29. South Dakota
- 30. Tennessee
- 31. Texas
- 32. Utah
- 33. West Virginia
- 34. Wisconsin
- 35. Wyoming

For the most up-to-date information on the regional travel advisory, including an extensive list of frequently asked questions, visit <u>ct.gov/Coronavirus/travel (/Coronavirus/Travel)</u>.

## **Providing information to Connecticut residents**

For the most up-to-date information from the State of Connecticut on COVID-19, residents are encouraged to visit <u>ct.gov/coronavirus</u> (<u>http://ct.gov/coronavirus</u>). Residents can also subscribe to text message alerts from the state by texting the keyword **COVIDCT** to **888-777**.

Individuals who have general questions that are not answered on the website can call 2-1-1 for assistance. The hotline is available 24 hours a day and has multilingual assistance. Anyone who is out-of-state or requires a toll-free number can connect to Connecticut 2-1-1 by dialing 1-800-203-1234. This is intended to be used by individuals who are not experiencing symptoms but may have general questions related to COVID-19. Anyone who is experiencing symptoms are strongly urged to contact their medical provider.

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