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Governor Cuomo Updates New Yorkers on State's Progress During COVID-19 Pandemic

Mid-Hudson Valley Cleared to Enter Phase 3 of Reopening Tomorrow

Long Island on Track to Enter Phase 3 Wednesday

Less than One Percent of Yesterday's COVID-19 Tests were Positive

10 COVID-19 Deaths in New York State Yesterday, Lowest Since March 21

Confirms 552 Additional Coronavirus Cases in New York State - Bringing Statewide Total to 388,488; New Cases in 38 Counties

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo today updated New Yorkers on the state's progress during the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. The number of new cases, percentage of tests that were positive and many other helpful data points are always available at forward.ny.gov.

The Governor also announced that global public health experts cleared the Mid-Hudson Valley to enter Phase 3 of reopening tomorrow. Long Island is on track to enter Phase 3 of reopening Wednesday. Business guidance for Phase Three of the state's reopening plan is available [here](#).

"In New York, we've been following the science and the data and the metrics from day one. We have the best numbers that we've had since this started today in New York," **Governor Cuomo said**. "Yesterday, we only had ten deaths, down from a high of 800. We have about 1,000 people in our hospitals, which is one of the lowest numbers we've had since this began. Because of the changes New Yorkers made, we now have the lowest transmission rate in the United States of America."

Today's data is summarized briefly below:

- Deaths: 10, lowest since March 21st
- Hospitalizations: 1,122 (down from 1,142 the day before)
- ICU Hospitalizations: 330
- ICU Hospitalizations that are Intubated: 228
- Total Discharges: 69,710

Of the 56,780 tests conducted in New York State yesterday, 552, or .97 percent, were positive. Each region's percentage of positive tests over the last three days is as follows:

REGION	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
New York City	1.10%	1.20%	1.10%

Capital Region	0.70%	0.40%	0.70%
Central New York	0.60%	0.90%	0.70%
Finger Lakes	1.10%	0.40%	0.70%
Long Island	1.10%	1.00%	0.90%
Hudson Valley	1.10%	1.00%	1.00%
Mohawk Valley	1.80%	1.00%	1.40%
North Country	0.40%	0.20%	0.10%
Southern Tier	0.40%	0.30%	0.30%
Western New York	0.80%	0.80%	1.00%

The Governor also confirmed 552 additional cases of novel coronavirus, bringing the statewide total to 388,488 confirmed cases in New York State. Of the 388,488 total individuals who tested positive for the virus, the geographic breakdown is as follows:

County	Total Positive	New Positive
Albany	2,060	6
Allegany	58	0
Broome	670	2
Cattaraugus	115	0
Cayuga	108	0

Chautauqua	116	0
Chemung	139	0
Chenango	140	1
Clinton	100	0
Columbia	452	1
Cortland	44	0
Delaware	90	0
Dutchess	4,145	7
Erie	7,035	31

Essex	41	0
Franklin	27	0
Fulton	244	1
Genesee	225	3
Greene	256	0
Hamilton	6	0
Herkimer	137	1
Jefferson	84	0

Lewis	23	0
Livingston	124	1
Madison	347	2
Monroe	3,512	14
Montgomery	108	2
Nassau	41,513	34
Niagara	1,193	1
NYC	212,741	295
Oneida	1,416	23

Onondaga	2,675	9
Ontario	242	2
Orange	10,654	6
Orleans	276	0
Oswego	173	0
Otsego	83	1
Putnam	1,305	4
Rensselaer	528	4

Rockland	13,514	10
Saratoga	535	2
Schenectady	761	7
Schoharie	57	0
Schuyler	12	0
Seneca	64	0
St. Lawrence	217	1
Steuben	263	2
Suffolk	41,010	38

Sullivan	1,438	1
Tioga	140	0
Tompkins	175	0
Ulster	1,756	2
Warren	262	1
Washington	244	0
Wayne	143	0
Westchester	34,557	36

Wyoming	93	0
Yates	42	1

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