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Governor Cuomo Announces Hospitalizations Drop below 1,000 for First Time since March 18

Down from Peak of 18,825

Central New York, Finger Lakes, Mohawk Valley, North Country and Southern Tier Will Enter Phase IV of Reopening Tomorrow

1.1 Percent of Yesterday's COVID-19 Tests were Positive

17 COVID-19 Deaths in New York State Yesterday

Confirms 749 Additional Coronavirus Cases in New York State - Bringing Statewide Total to 390,415; New Cases in 45 Counties

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo today announced that COVID-19 hospitalizations have dropped below 1,000 for the first time since March 18. Yesterday, there were 996 hospitalized COVID-19 patients in New York State. This is down from a peak of approximately 18,825 hospitalizations on April 12. Central New York, the Finger Lakes, the Mohawk Valley, the North Country

and the Southern Tier will enter Phase IV of reopening tomorrow, June 26. The number of new cases, percentage of tests that were positive and many other helpful data points are available at forward.ny.gov.

"After three months of New Yorkers working hard, doing the right thing and taking this seriously, the state has its lowest COVID-19 hospitalization rate since this started," Governor Cuomo said. "Facts are facts, even in this crazy political environment, and what we're saying in New York is we did the right thing. New Yorkers have been locked up and closed their businesses. We have the virus under control finally. We had to flatten the curve. We don't want to go back."

Today's data is summarized briefly below:

- Patient Hospitalization - 996 (-75)
- Patients Newly Admitted - 68 (-29)
- Hospital Counties - 32
- Number ICU - 270 (-20)
- Number ICU that are intubated - 167 (-23)
- Total Discharges - 70,010 (+110)
- Deaths - 17
- Total Deaths - 24,800

Of the 67,642 tests conducted in New York State yesterday, 749, or 1.1 percent, were positive. Each region's percentage of positive tests over the last three days is as follows:

REGION	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
New York City	1.40%	1.20%	1.20%

Capital Region	1.30%	0.20%	0.80%
Central New York	1.80%	2.30%	1.10%
Finger Lakes	1.10%	1.20%	1.40%
Long Island	1.10%	1.10%	1.00%
Hudson Valley	1.00%	0.90%	1.10%
Mohawk Valley	0.50%	2.30%	2.20%
North Country	0.40%	0.00%	0.30%
Southern Tier	0.20%	0.10%	0.50%

Western New York	1.30%	1.00%	0.80%
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The Governor also confirmed 749 additional cases of novel coronavirus, bringing the statewide total to 390,415 confirmed cases in New York State. Of the 390,415 total individuals who tested positive for the virus, the geographic breakdown is as follows:

County	Total Positive	New Positive
Albany	2,076	11
Allegany	58	0
Broome	680	9
Cattaraugus	121	1
Cayuga	109	0

Chautauqua	121	3
Chemung	139	0
Chenango	144	2
Clinton	101	1
Columbia	455	1
Cortland	44	0
Delaware	91	0
Dutchess	4,176	18
Erie	7,138	30

Essex	41	0
Franklin	28	0
Fulton	244	0
Genesee	231	1
Greene	257	1
Hamilton	6	0
Herkimer	143	1
Jefferson	85	1

Lewis	25	1
Livingston	126	1
Madison	349	2
Monroe	3,602	35
Montgomery	111	1
Nassau	41,646	61
Niagara	1,203	4
NYC	213,699	351
Oneida	1,479	34

Onondaga	2,751	17
Ontario	248	2
Orange	10,679	10
Orleans	279	2
Oswego	191	3
Otsego	83	0
Putnam	1,311	5
Rensselaer	541	7

Rockland	13,549	15
Saratoga	540	2
Schenectady	778	6
Schoharie	57	0
Schuyler	12	0
Seneca	66	2
St. Lawrence	217	0
Steuben	264	1
Suffolk	41,151	50

Sullivan	1,448	1
Tioga	141	0
Tompkins	175	0
Ulster	1,765	5
Warren	263	1
Washington	245	1
Wayne	154	4
Westchester	34,642	45

Wyoming	93	0
Yates	44	0

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