



# COVID-19 HEALTH CARE UTILIZATION

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**April 6, 2020**

These data indicate that the number of cases of COVID-19 continue to climb in Missouri.

Hospital utilization for COVID-19 is growing as well, with an increasing number of admissions among confirmed cases and patients under investigation. These data will change daily as individuals are admitted or released, Persons Under Investigation are confirmed or cleared, and related public health measures that influence the spread of the virus begin to bend the curve.

Additional testing will expand the number of cases. However, many individuals will not require hospitalization.

Missouri has not yet reached capacity for bed space or equipment.

These data are reflective of today only. They do not forecast the virus' influence on the long-term demand for medical care.

## NOTES:

1. Data sourced from EMResource daily at 10 a.m.
2. DHSS targets the publication of daily COVID case counts at approximately 2 p.m.
3. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this data. The number of available beds is based on hospital reports and will increase or decrease based on current utilization and as hospitals bring on additional bed capacity.

## Positive COVID-19 Cases Identified (DHSS)

CATEGORY	COUNT	24-HOUR INCREASE
Total Statewide COVID-19 Cases	2,722	355
Total Statewide COVID-19 Deaths	39	5

Source: <https://health.mo.gov/living/healthcondiseases/communicable/novel-coronavirus/>  
For county-specific information, please access the above source link.

## Current COVID-19 Hospital Admissions

CATEGORY	COUNT	24-HOUR INCREASE
Confirmed COVID-19 Patients	439	15
Patients Under Investigation for COVID-19	439	16

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Source: EMResource (hospitals with data > 3 days old is not included.)

Note: Hospitalized patient numbers may differ from MO DHSS due to several factors, such as timing of admission or out-of-state residents.

## Current COVID-19 Hospital Admissions Cases vs. Total Missouri Cases

TOTAL COVID-19 MISSOURI CASES	TOTAL COVID-19 HOSPITAL CASES
2,722	439

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## Bed Availability Summary

BED TYPE	AVAILABLE	TOTAL*
Medical Surgical	3,537	10,795
ICU	716	2,129

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\*Totals based on the annual licensing survey.

## Ventilator Availability Summary

AVAILABLE	TOTAL
1,060	1,832

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