

# COVID-19 (Coronavirus) UPDATE

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Information about this disease is constantly changing and evolving.  
For the most up to date information visit: [cdc.gov/covid19](https://www.cdc.gov/covid19)

## Status in Wisconsin

- 1550 confirmed cases of COVID-19 have been identified in Wisconsin.
- Wisconsin has reported 24 deaths due to COVID-19.
- Younger people, and particularly those who are 18 to 30 years old, aren't immune to COVID-19. Anyone can contract COVID-19. So it's important for everyone, including young and healthy people, to practice social distancing.
- Governor Evers issued a "Safer at Home" order in effect from March 25 through April 24. This prohibits all nonessential travel, with some exceptions as clarified and defined in the order.

## Status in Oak Creek

- 20 confirmed cases of COVID-19 have been identified in Oak Creek. We are also sorry to announce our first COVID-19-related death.
- There have been 776 confirmed cases and 12 deaths due to COVID-19 reported in Milwaukee County.
- The Oak Creek Health Department is actively working to reduce the spread of disease in the community.
- If you are experiencing signs and symptoms of COVID-19, please remain home and call your health care provider.
- All playgrounds in Oak Creek will be closed until further notice. Playground equipment and basketball courts should not be used at this time.

Note: State totals are laboratory-confirmed cases reported once a day at [www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/outbreaks](https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/outbreaks). Milwaukee County reports their own totals, multiple times a day, independent of the WI DHS, at <https://county.milwaukee.gov/EN/Office-of-Emergency-Management>

## Practice Everyday Preventive Actions



- Wash hands frequently with soap and water for 20 seconds. If not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- Avoid touching eyes, mouth, and nose with unwashed hands.
- Avoid close contact with individuals that are sick.
- **STAY HOME** when you're sick. Remain at home for 24 hours after you no longer have a fever.
- Cover your sneeze and cough.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects or surfaces.
- **Stay home except for addressing essential needs or business.**