



# Jefferson County Department of Emergency Management



## Community Situation Report

### 2020 COVID-19 Pandemic

**April 29, 2020**

#### Governor's April 29 Press Conference highlights metrics for reopening

Today marks 100 days since the first COVID case was identified in the state of Washington, Gov. Inslee said during a press conference today.

Inslee spoke about looking at metrics that will determine the phased-in approach for reopening the economy and in press conference scheduled for Friday, May 1, he will talk about what those phases will be.

#### Inslee announces distribution of funding to local governments from federal stimulus package

Gov. Jay Inslee recently announced nearly \$300 million will be awarded from the state's federal stimulus funding to local governments that did not receive direct distributions under the CARES Act.

"Cities and counties are on the front line of fighting this pandemic, especially our public health jurisdictions," Inslee said. "This funding will help our local partners across Washington meet the needs of their communities as we work together to defeat the virus."

Funds will be provided to cities and counties with populations under 500,000 that were ineligible to receive direct funding under the CARES Act. Specific allocations will be released in the coming days. Each county will receive a minimum distribution of \$250,000 and each city will receive a minimum distribution of \$25,000 from the state.

"The governor's prompt release of federal coronavirus relief funds to counties will help us continue to deliver critical services necessary to respond and recover from this public and economic crisis across the state," said Eric Johnson, executive director of the Washington State Association of Counties.

Under state law, the Legislature must be notified about the awards and be given 10 days to respond before the distributions are made. During that time, the state will work with local governments to get the agreements in place so they can put the money to work as soon as possible.

### 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) in Jefferson County, WA

Total Positives (confirmed cases)	28
In-County Exposure	19
Presumed Out-of-County Exposure	09
Negative	787
Percent Positive	3.4%
Test Results Pending	01
Total Patients Tested	816
Total Patients Recovered*	25
Deaths	0

Last results received 4/29/2020. We are working with Jefferson Healthcare and other labs to provide the test result data. There are cases reported from all areas of Jefferson County, East of the Olympics. \*WA State DOH: people are considered recovered at 28 days from the onset of symptoms if they are alive and not hospitalized. This table will be updated Monday through Friday. Last Updated: 4/29/2020 at 12:55 P.M.

### Confirmed Cases by Age

Age Group	No. of Positive
<19	0
20-29	2
30-39	5
40-49	4
50-59	2
60-69	10
70-79	4
80+	1

Female: 12 (43%)  
Male: 16 (57%)

### **If you have symptoms:**

Call Jefferson Healthcare's Nurse Consult line at 360-344-3094 as a first step. COVID-19 testing drive-thru at Jefferson Healthcare is by appointment only.

### **If you want to help:**

Go to <https://www.olycap.org> to fill out a volunteer form.

Dept. of Emergency Management is looking for retired doctors, nurses, EMTs, police officers; those with a food-handler's card. To volunteer, go to <https://www.co.jefferson.wa.us/1450/VolunteerHow-to-Help>

### **If you need help:**

- Olympic Community Action Programs: Fill out the request for assistance form:  
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf1I8KITZeXU70zGI676aBAROdRpxyq0uFPhkq8joultcU2w/viewform>

### **LINKS TO MORE INFORMATION:**

- Jefferson County Public Health:  
<https://co.jefferson.wa.us/1429/COVID-19>
- Jefferson Co. Public Health Facebook:  
<https://www.facebook.com/jeffersoncountypublichealth/>
- Jefferson County Gov Facebook:  
<https://www.facebook.com/jeffcowagov/>
- Dept. of Emergency Management:  
<https://www.co.jefferson.wa.us/950/Dept-of-Emergency-Management>

Difficulty coping? CALL THE CRISIS HOTLINE at 1-888-910-0416. Other Mental Health Resources can be found at:

<https://www.co.jefferson.wa.us/1447/Mental-Health-Resources>

### **Best Practices and Guides:**

- Washington State Department of Health:  
<https://www.doh.wa.gov/>
- CDC: Centers for Disease Control & Prevention: <https://www.cdc.gov>