

# Situation Report

20-0256 2020 Novel CoV | March 16, 2020

Incident Information	
<b>Incident Number:</b> 20-0256 2020 Novel CoV	<b>SitRep #12</b>
<b>Situation Report Version:</b> Update	<b>Operational Period:</b> 3/16/20 0700 to 3/17/20 0700
<b>Incident Type:</b> Pandemic	
<b>Affected Political Subdivisions with Confirmed COVID-19 Cases:</b> See pages 2-3 and pages 7-16 for details.	
<b>SEOC Activation Level:</b> Level 1 – Full	<b>Disaster Manager:</b> Adam Wasserman
<b>Activated Emergency Centers:</b> See page 2 for complete list.	<b>State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) Supervisor:</b> Chris Utzinger
Activated Emergency Support Functions (ESF): 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 15, and 20.	<b>Date / Time EOC Sup Approved:</b> 3/16/20 1730

General Situation
<p>The Washington State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) is currently responding to an outbreak of respiratory disease caused by a novel (new) coronavirus that was first detected in China. The SEOC has been fully activated since January 22, 2020 with ESF 8 taking the lead in response efforts.</p> <p>The virus that causes COVID-19 seems to be spreading easily and sustainably in the community (“community spread”) in some affected geographic areas. Community spread means people have been infected with the virus in an area, including some who are not sure how or where they became infected.</p> <p><a href="https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html">https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html</a></p> <p>Governor’s Proclamations: <a href="https://www.governor.wa.gov/office-governor/official-actions/proclamations">https://www.governor.wa.gov/office-governor/official-actions/proclamations</a></p> <p>President’s Emergency Declaration: <a href="https://www.fema.gov/news-release/2020/03/13/covid-19-emergency-declaration">https://www.fema.gov/news-release/2020/03/13/covid-19-emergency-declaration</a></p>

SEOC Objectives	
1a.	Establish, maintain and share situational awareness in accordance with Essential Elements of Information (EEI).
4a.	Assist state agencies and local jurisdictions with request for assistance per guidance from logistics.
13b.	Support implementation of non-pharmaceutical intervention (NPI) 10-13 Guidance.
17.	Mitigate impacts to private sector and infrastructure lifelines.
16.	Integrate COVID-19 response under Unified Command Structure.
12b.	Capture and monitor state agencies’ cost associated with COVID-19 response.
6.	Support the Medical Surge Task Force as needed.
14b.	Implement established procedures for donation management at SEOC.

## Essential Elements of Information (EIs)

### COVID-19 By the Numbers - 3/16/2020

County / Tribe EOC	Activation Level	County/Tribe Proc/Dec	City EOCs		Confirmed Cases*		Facilities	
			Activated	Proc/Dec	Cases	Deaths	Isolation	Quarantine
King	Partial	Y	28	29	488	43	2	2
Snohomish	Partial	Y	3	1	200	4	----	----
Pierce	Full	Y	2	----	38	----	----	----
Island**	Full	----	----	----	9	----	----	----
Kitsap	Full	Y	1	1	7	----	----	----
Skagit	Partial	Y	----	----	7	----	----	----
Yakima	Partial	Y	2	2	4	----	----	----
Clark	Full	----	----	1	4	----	----	----
Kittitas	Partial	Y	2	----	3	----	----	----
Thurston	Partial	Y	----	1	4	----	----	----
Spokane	Full	----	----	----	3	----	----	----
Whatcom	Partial	Y	----	----	3	----	----	----
Grant**	Partial	Y	----	----	6	1	----	----
Jefferson	Partial	----	----	----	3	----	----	----
Columbia	Partial	----	----	----	1	----	----	----
Grays Harbor	Partial	Y	----	----	1	----	----	----
Lewis	Partial	Y	----	----	1	----	----	----
Lincoln	Monitor	----	----	----	1	----	----	----
Klickitat**	Full	Y	----	----	1	----	----	----
Adams	Partial	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Chelan	Partial	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Clallam	Full	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Colville Tribes	Full	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Cowlitz	Partial	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Franklin	Partial	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Garfield	Monitor	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Lewis	Partial	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Lummi Nation	Monitor	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Makah Tribe	Partial	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Mason	Partial	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Pacific	Partial	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Samish Indian Nation	Monitor	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
San Juan	Full	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Snoqualmie Tribe		Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Squaxin Island Tribe	Partial	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Stillaguamish Tribe	Partial	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Suquamish Tribe	Monitor	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Swinomish Tribe	Monitor	Y	----	----	----	----	----	----
Walla Walla	Partial	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Wahkiakum	Partial	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Unassigned		----	----	----	120	----	----	----
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>38</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>904</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>

Updated on March 16, 2020 at 4:00 p.m.

Activation Level

Full Partial Monitor

\*\*Verified via county Public Health websites.

### **Tribal EOC Activation Level and Emergency Declarations**

- Lummi Nation: (Declaration 3/3/20)
- Makah Tribe: Partial
- Samish Indian Nation: (Declaration 3/12/20)
- Snoqualmie Tribe: (Declaration 03/01/20)
- Squaxin Island Tribe: Partial (Declaration 3/10/20)
- Stillaguamish Tribe of Indians: (Declaration 3/5/20)
- Suquamish Tribe: Partial (Declaration 3/9/20)
- Swinomish Tribe: (Declaration 3/9/20)
- Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe: (Declaration 3/13/20)
- Confederated Tribes of Colville Tribes: (Declaration 3/16/20)

### **State Agency ECC Activations/COOP Activations**

- Washington State Patrol: Partial activation
- WA State Department of Veteran Affairs: ECC Full activation and VA COOP activation

### **Local EOC Activation Levels and Emergency Declarations/Proclamations**

- Clark County:
  - City of Washougal: (Declaration 3/13/20)
  - City of Vancouver: Monitoring
  - City of Battle Ground: Monitoring
- King County:
  - City of Auburn: Monitoring (Declaration 2/29/20)
  - City of Covington: Monitoring (Declaration 03/12/20)
  - City of Mercer Island: Monitoring (Declaration 03/05/20)
  - City of Maple Valley: Monitoring (Declaration 03/13/20)
  - City of Pacific: Monitoring (Declaration 03/06/20)
  - City of Newcastle: Monitoring (Declaration 03/06/20)
  - City of Enumclaw: Monitoring (Declaration 03/13/20)
  - City of Black Diamond: Monitoring (Declaration 03/13/20)
  - City of Normandy Park: Monitoring (Declaration 03/10/20)
  - City of Burien: Monitoring (Declaration 03/09/20)
  - City of Snoqualmie: Monitoring (Declaration 03/06/20)
  - City of Seattle: Full (Declaration 3/3/20)
  - City of Kirkland: Partial (Proclamation updated 3/8/20)
  - University of Washington: Partial
  - City of Bellevue: Full (Proclamation 3/4/20)
  - City of Sammamish: Monitoring (Declaration 3/5/20)
  - City of Federal Way: Partial (Declaration 3/9/20)
  - City of Kent: Monitoring (Proclamation 3/6/20)
  - City of Tukwila: Monitoring (Proclamation 3/9/20)
  - City of Medina: Monitoring (Proclamation 3/9/20)
  - City of Clyde Hill: (Proclamation 3/10/20)
  - City of Redmond: (Proclamation 3/2/20)
  - City of Renton: Partial (Proclamation 3/5/20)

- City of Vashon: Monitoring
- City of Normandy Park: (Proclamation 3/11/20)
- City of SeaTac: Monitoring (Proclamation 3/12/20)
- City of Issaquah: (Proclamation 3/6/20)
- City of Woodinville: (Proclamation 3/5/20)
- City of Black Diamond: (Proclamation 3/13/20)
- Kittitas County:
  - City of Ellensburg: (Declaration 3/9/20)
  - City of Cle Elum: (Declaration 3/10/20)
- Kitsap County:
  - Bainbridge Island: Monitoring (Declaration 3/9/20)
- Klickitat County
  - City of White Salmon: (Declaration 3/14/20)
  - City of Bingen: (Declaration 3/14/20)
  - City of Goldendale: (Declaration 3/14/20)
- Pierce County:
  - City of Puyallup: Partial (Proclamation 3/11/20)
  - City of Tacoma: Full (Proclamation Pending)
- Snohomish County:
  - City of Monroe: Monitoring (Proclamation 3/3/20)
  - City of Marysville: Partial (Proclamation 3/3/20)
  - City of Everett: Partial (Declaration 3/4/20)
- Thurston County:
  - City of Lacey: (Declaration 3/13/20)
- Yakima County:
  - City of Selah: (PH Declaration 3/13/20)
  - City of Yakima: (PH Declaration 3/13/20)

### **Actions Undertaken**

See county information below.

### **Isolation Shelters**

- King County: 6 shelters pending
- Lewis County: 1 shelter pending
- Pierce County: 2 shelters pending
- Snohomish County: 1 shelter pending

### **School Closures**

Proclamation Amendment 20-09 ordering the closure of ALL public and private K-12 schools in the state. This order is in effect from 3/17/20 through 4/24/20, unless extended beyond that date.

Proclamation Amendment 20-10 ordered all public and private universities, colleges, technical schools, apprenticeships and similar programs to suspend in-person classroom instruction and lectures related to all educational and apprenticeship related programs. Affiliated labs and clinics may still occur if social distancing measures are strictly implemented.

### **Childcare**

Pierce, King, Thurston, Clark, Cowlitz, and the Colville Tribe are currently offering childcare for first responders, medical staff, and other families in need during school closures. Specific information can be found on school district sites.

### **Event Cancellations**

Proclamation Amendment 20-11 prohibited the gathering of 250 or more in all counties in Washington through 3/31/20.

Upcoming Proclamation Amendment prohibiting the gathering of 50 or more in all counties in Washington through 3/31/20.

### **Service Shutdowns**

Upcoming Proclamation Amendment issues a state-wide shutdown of restaurants, bars, entertainment, and recreational facilities. Restaurants will still be allowed to provide take-out and delivery services. The ban does not apply to grocery stores and pharmacies, and other retail outlets will have reduced occupancy.

### **Border Updates**

Canadian border closed to non-Canadian and non-United States citizens.

## **Tribal Impacts and Response Activities**

### **Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde**

- Routine medical visits and elective dental procedures postponed through 5/4/20.
- Weekly Tribal Council Meeting will be livestreamed.
- All education programs closed 3/16 through 3/27/20.

### **Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation**

- Colville Business Council has issued a Public Health Emergency Declaration 3/16/20.

### **Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation**

- Pendleton School District providing grab and go meals to all students through 3/31/20
- Yellowhawk is finalizing plans to ease access to prescription medications for those that are homebound or higher risk.

### **Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs**

#### **Cowlitz Tribe**

#### **Hoh Tribe**

#### **Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe**

#### **Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe**

- Emergency Declaration 3/13/20

#### **Lummi Nation**

**Makah Tribe**

- Business and properties owned by the Makah Tribe will be limiting or closing public access.
- Hobuck Beach Resort and The Cape Resort closed to customers until further notice. The Warmhouse restaurant will remain open for take-out orders only.
- The Shi Shi Trail, Cape Flattery Trail, and 3<sup>rd</sup> Beach Trail surfing activities will remain open to Makah Tribal members but closed to general public.
- Makah Cultural and Research Center (Museum) will be closed until further notice.
- The boat launch at Big Salmon will be closed to the general public but remain open to the residents of Neah Bay.

**Muckleshoot Indian Tribe****Nisqually Indian Tribe**

- Tribal community events and dinners (including Elder and Youth Activities) are postponed until further notice.

**Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe****Puyallup Tribe**

- Puyallup Emerald Queen Casino closed for two weeks beginning 3/17/20.

**Samish Indian Nation**

- Elder Congregate Meals at Summit Park are cancelled until further notice, but meals can be delivered or picked up
- Cultural Classes and Diabetes Health Fair postponed until further notice.
- Beaver Lodge Carving Shed open to individual carvers by appointment.
- Tribal Council Meetings will be conducted via video conference.
- Head Start and Child Care closing on 3/17/20 for cleaning.
- All travel is suspended
- Incident Command implemented.

**Snoqualmie Tribe**

- Tribal Council approved early release of April and May General Welfare Consolidated Assistance Benefits.
- Tribal Administration offices closed to the public until 4/24/20.

**Squaxin Island Tribe**

- Tribal Council has postponed the 5/2/20 General Body meeting to 6/27/20.
- Recommending limited travel outside Thurston and Mason Counties
- Griffin School District closed through 4/24/20

**Stillaguamish Tribe of Indians****Suquamish Tribe**

- Suquamish Clearwater Casino Resort closed for two weeks beginning 3/17/20.

**Swinomish Indian Tribe**

### **Tulalip Tribes**

- Tulalip Resort Casino closed for two weeks beginning 3/17/20.

### **State Agency Impacts and COOP Activities**

#### **Washington State Department of Corrections**

Established HQ EOC on 02/09/20

On March 15, DOC implemented active screening (temperature check and screening questions) of all individuals prior to entering a work location where resources are available. In locations that resources are not yet available, passive screening will take place.

#### **WA State Department of Veterans Affairs**

Fully activated the ECC and COOP plans on 3/10/20.

#### **Washington State Patrol**

WSP Headquarters in Spokane and office in Colfax, Colville, and Ritzville are closed to the public. This is to ensure staff remain health and able to serve the community.

#### **Small Business Association**

The SBA has preapproved Grays Harbor, Island, Jefferson, King, Kitsap, Klickitat, Mason, Pacific, Pierce, San Juan, Thurston, Walla Walla, Whatcom, and Whitman Counties for SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loans. Adams, Asotin, Benton, Chelan, Clallam, Columbia, Franklin, Garfield, Kittitas, Lewis, Lincoln, Okanogan, Skagit, Skamania, Snohomish, Spokane, Wahkiakum, and Yakima Counties are considered contiguous counties and are automatically approved. The remaining counties (Clark, Cowlitz, Douglas, Ferry, Grant, Stevens, and Pend Oreille) are in the process of being added to the declaration request.

### **Local Impacts (structural losses, infrastructure status, shelters open, etc.)**

#### **CHELAN COUNTY**

#### **CLALLUM COUNTY**

#### **CLARK COUNTY**

- Fourth confirmed case in Clark County (4 cases).
- County EOC activated to Level 1 (Full).
- Clark County's Public Health front office will move to a virtual format beginning 3/17/20.
- All District Court out-of-custody dockets for 3/16/20 have been cancelled. In-custody matter held by video.
- Pretrial/Probation Lobby at the Law Enforcement Center will be closed to the public starting 3/16/20.
- Mabry Center Lobby is closed to check-in/orientation effective 3/16/20.
- Battle Ground Municipal Court has modified court proceedings to reflect social distancing requirements.

#### **COLUMBIA COUNTY**

#### **FERRY COUNTY**

- Declaration prepared, expected to be signed soon.

### **GRANT COUNTY**

- Third confirmed case in Grant County (6 cases). Patient is a local parish priest, and the Health District is working with the Yakima Diocese to follow up with potential exposures.
- County EOC activated to Level 2 (Partial).

### **GRAY'S HARBOR COUNTY**

### **ISLAND COUNTY**

- County beginning own mobile testing facility.

### **JEFFERSON COUNTY**

### **KING COUNTY**

- Looking for more sheltering sites.
- Mobile testing sites being determined.
- City of Maple Valley
  - City Hall will be closed to the public from 3/17 through 3/31/20.
  - Lake Wilderness Lodge closed to the public through 4/26/20.
  - All recreation programs cancelled through 4/26/20.
  - All rentals (including fields) cancelled through 4/26/20.
  - Legacy Site Groundbreaking is cancelled.

### **KITSAP COUNTY**

- Two more confirmed Kitsap County positives (5 cases).
- County EOC has moved to be virtual. ESFs 6 and 8 are activated

### **KITTITAS COUNTY**

### **KLICKITAT COUNTY**

- Emergency Declaration on 3/14/20
- White Salmon, Bingen, and Goldendale emergency declarations on 3/14/20
- EOC fully activated

### **LEWIS COUNTY**

- Declaration signed 3/16/20
- One confirmed case (found in Cowlitz County).

### **PIERCE COUNTY**

- Mobile testing sites being determined.

### **SKAGIT COUNTY**

- One new confirmed case (6 cases).

### **SNOHOMISH COUNTY**

- Snohomish County Department of Health has merged their operation center with the county EOC.
- Mobile testing sites being determined.

### **THURSTON COUNTY**

- One new case (4 cases).
- City of Lacey Declaration 3/13/20

### **SPOKANE COUNTY**

### **WALLA WALLA COUNTY**

- Upgraded EOC Activation to Level 2 (Partial).

### **WHATCOM COUNTY**

- Forming a Border Task Force to address concerns regarding health care workers who live in Canada but work in Whatcom hospitals, skilled nursing facilities, and care centers.



**YAKIMA COUNTY**

- Health Department leading the response.

**Response/Recovery Activities from 3/16/20**

**OPERATIONS (ESF 5 Emergency Management)**

The SEOC has activated the following Emergency Support Functions:

- ESF 1 Transportation
- ESF 2 Communications
- ESF 3 Public Works
- ESF 5 Emergency Management
- ESF 6 Mass Care, Emergency Assistance, Temporary Housing and Human Services
- ESF 7 Resource Support
- ESF 8 Public Health, Medical and Mortuary Services
- ESF 11 Agriculture and Natural Resources (Operating remotely)
- ESF 12 Energy
- ESF 13 Public Safety, Law Enforcement and Security (Operating remotely)
- ESF 15 External Affairs —Joint Information Center
- ESF 20 Defense Support to Civil Authorities

The Operations Section continues to coordinate with Logistics to receive, assign and track a high volume of incoming resource requests on the state Resource Tracker. As of this writing, 802 resource requests have been received—an increase of about 112 since this time yesterday. About 11% of these requests have been filled (on scene or completed status).

The cumulative status of resource requests in the Resource Tracker (WebEOC) is as follows:

- Unassigned = 3
- Accepted = 127
- Assigned = 555
- Completed = 76
- In Transit = 2
- On Scene = 14
- Cancelled = 32

Our onsite State Representative is coordinating with ESF-8 (DOH) Logistics staff at their Tumwater location, in part to help facilitate the transition to Unified Command. ESF-8 is entering updates on the status of all the requests assigned to them in the Resource Tracker. They continue to apply the DOH prioritization tiers to all PPE requests, though the severe shortage of their PPE stockpile has halted progress on filling the majority of PPE requests. Several facilities in affected counties are now running critically low on PPE and universal transport kits/tubes (a non-PPE medical supply), which are needed to continue their testing efforts.

The Operations Section continues to monitor and track state, tribe and local EOC activations. We are also coordinating with the Business and Infrastructure Branch as they assist with important advance-planning efforts, specifically those involving grocery supply-chain and lifeline workforce integrity.

**Business and Infrastructure Branch**

***Public-Private Grocery Supply Chain Coordination***

- Policy memo requesting for a temporary waiver of service hours for truck drivers has been delivered to policy room for review and submission to governor’s staff. Also for Noise and Curfew Waiver for Snohomish County (including unincorporated areas and incorporated jurisdictions)
- Consolidated list of grocery stores who have delivery curfews in place has been created and sent to local jurisdictions who have the authority to waive these curfews
- Talking points, including narratives from grocery industry representatives, have been provided to JIC for public dissemination
- Working with DOH and WSDA to draft COVID-19 sanitation guidance for grocery distribution center and trucking facilities

***Business Information Portals***

- [Commerce portal](#)
- [ORIA’s COVID-19 resource page](#)
- [Governor’s website](#)
- [DOH’s Workplace guidance](#)
- [ESD’s workers/business page](#)
- [L&I Workers Question page](#)
- [DOR COVID-19 Update](#)

**ESF 1 Transportation**

Assisted the Infrastructure Branch and the Operations Section in all due outs, information gathering, planning, and sharing of information. Participated in the SEOC Operations Brief, DOH Operations Brief, Branch planning meeting, and EOC Briefings. Assisting in action items for Restricted Travel (NPI12) on exceptions, authority, and regulations. Branch steering and priority briefing and information sharing. Continue to assist DOH in development of the Cordon Sanitaire (NPI 13) plan for policy, action items, effects, and implementation. Working closely with DOH on drive-through testing. Continued work on issues related to all transportation specific issues, air, marine, rail, road, and secondary impacts of all issues surrounding SEOC. WSDOT has published requirements for telework, all telework eligible employees work from home.

**ESF 2 Communication, Information and Warning Systems**

No updates today.

**ESF 3 Public Works**

No updates today.

**ESF 6 Mass Care, Emergency Assistance, Temporary Housing and Human Services**

Working in direct communication with DSHS in the exchange of information and situational awareness. (1a, 15a)

Coordinating with DOH, DSHR, WA VOAD, Washington Conservation Corps, American Red Cross, ESF 8 and WA National Guard to respond to a 400 bed isolation shelter staffing request from King County. (1a & 4a)

We have worked closely with WA VOAD to source possible shelter staffing options. We have also contacted the Washington Conservation Corps (WCC) but they were unable to support this request. King County is in direct discussions with Team Rubicon about this staffing request, but no resolution has been agreed to yet.

We contacted ESF-20 & suggested that they check with JBLM for the 400 bedside privacy screens requested by King County,

We will begin using WebEOC board #12 to track Shelter Status. We will develop and distribute a spreadsheet to the counties for them to provide shelter information, then only ESF 6 will populate the board.

### **ESF 7 Logistics & Supply Chain Management**

The Department of Enterprise Services (DES) is working to procure items for DOH. We have been able to procure 100K face shields. DES Contracts & Procurement (C&P) is also drafting an IAA agreement with DOH.

Surplus Operations is also ordering products under the Federal 1122 program and is preparing for Bulk Order shipments along with goods for the mobile drive through testing sites. Surplus will receive the federal testing items on 3-17-2020 and will distribute the items to the designated areas.

DES will have a C&P and Surplus Operations representative onsite at SEOC for the week.

### **ESF 8 Public Health, Medical and Mortuary Services**

Current Cases: 904 as of 1545 on 03/16/2020

Deaths: 48 as of 1545 on 03/16/2020

(Cases by county not known until Epidemiologists confirm).

#### **Current Operations:**

On January 20, 2020 the Department of Health activated their Incident Management Team (IMT) and Strike Teams in response to the first case of COVID-19 in the US. Several branches of the IMT were activated including; Epidemiology Strike Team, Incident Management Team, and the Community Engagement Task Force. Our efforts in the response began in Shoreline at our Public Health Lab and has expanded to a Nonpharmaceutical Intervention Team located at Camp Murray, Area Command located in Tumwater at the Agency Coordination Center and the IMT stationed at Shoreline.

The below bullets are the operational plan that the ESF8 desk is working to move forward with prioritizing:

- Support EMAC for staffing purposed (medical support)
- We support logistics in the event that in state resources have all been exhausted and external resources need to be sourced.
- Pushing out public health information to local public health response.
- Patient movement – monitor numbers, hospital capacity, contracts with EMS (only if patient movement plan is activated and requested)
- Mass care services (providing technical guidance and expertise, partnering with DSHS)
- Equipment & Supplies – Making sure important contacts are advocated for (case by case)
- Blood & Tissue – How can we support donations and guidance
- Patient Care
- Fatality Management

#### **Non-Pharmaceutical Intervention Status**

The Non-Pharmaceutical Intervention Workgroup sent out a Operational Implementation Plan to state and local Emergency Managers and Health Jurisdictions of the impacted counties on 3/12/2020.

Please visit <https://www.doh.wa.gov/Emergencies/Coronavirus> for more information.

## ESF 11 Agriculture and Natural Resources (Operating remotely)

1. The Association of Food and Drug Officials (AFDO) is hosting a CDC update webinar on March 16, 2020 (12PM-1:30PM Pacific) with CDC's Deputy Incident Manager for COVID-19 response, Dr. Ian Williams. Registration information can be found here: <http://www.afdo.org/coronavirus-resources>.

2. WSDA Food Assistance Program (FAP) continues to conduct bi-weekly meetings with all of its hunger relief contractors and partners related to COVID-19, which includes discussion on USDA programs such as food stamps and Disaster Supplement Nutrition Assistance Program (D-SNAP).

WSDA Food Assistance Program (FAP) suspended certain requirements for client intake processes for all programs. This will allow hunger relief organizations to switch to alternate service delivery methods. The most frequent method mentioned was to provide food via a drive-through distribution versus an in-person method. On a 3/13/2020 call with contractors, there was an overwhelming need for gloves, hand sanitizer, boxes and bags (to pre-pack food), and staffing due to lack of volunteers.

WSDA FAP is also working on developing clear guidance around accessing food and requesting resources to share with hunger relief organizations during the next Go-To meeting, which will be held on 3/17/2020 at 0900 hours. They are seeking guidance on how any additional state or federal funding would be provided to hunger relief organizations. It is unclear, if any additional funding would be funneled through WSDA to be passed through to our contractors (which is the usual procedure).

WSDA FAP will also be continuing discussions with USDA on 3/16/2020 to discuss additional USDA food needs since the national state of emergency was declared.

3. The draft operational plans for NPIs 10-13 were sent out to WSDA senior leadership for review in the afternoon of 3/14/2020 with a deadline of 1200 hours on 3/16/2020. WSDA Rapid Response & Emergency Management Program is also working on a draft response to the EMD COOP status update questions and will be sending to WSDA senior management for review in the morning of 3/16/2020 (deadline also 1200 hours on 3/16/2020). WSDA Rapid Response & Emergency Management continued to develop the plans and responses to the COOP status update questions over the weekend. Both are on target to be submitted by the 1700 hours deadline on 3/16/2020.

4. WSDA is actively engaged in discussions with Public Health King County Seattle, USDA and WSU concerning the possibility of COVID-19 either being passed on to humans by companion animals passively, through infection, or if companion animals can be infected by the virus. Communication with CDC's One Health Group and WA State Veterinary Medical Association (WSVMA) is concurrently underway.

WSDA continues to provide advice, support, and will notify the World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) should any companion animal test positive. At this time, there is no evidence that companion animals can be infected with COVID-19 or that companion animals can transmit the virus to people.

5. RREMP discussed with WSDA Food Assistance Program resource needs from food banks to effectively distribute food to individuals. Items such as sturdy boxes, plastic bags, gloves, and storage areas for refrigerated/frozen food trucks are critically needed. RREMP is working with SEOC Logistics to determine next steps for placing resource requests through the EOC, including expressing the resource need at the infrastructure update call scheduled for 1400 hours on 3/16/2020.

WSDA Financial Services continues to work with Food Assistance Program to identify alternative methods to ensure that food bank contractors can continue to invoice and receive payment from WSDA. This includes the temporary possibility of allowing food banks to "pre-invoice" after the purchase of food versus after receipt. This alternative method would be applicable just to food assistance applications.

**ESF 12 Energy**

State Energy Officials (OR, ID, WA) & DOE will have weekly coordination calls or as needed

ESF 12 has a data team to support trend tracking across the state from the energy sector, will be able to provide high level analysis

Oregon update, a pipeline in southern OR broke over the weekend and there are no impacts to WA.

Canadian Boarder closed, which impacts their operations to Point Robison will be coordination with DHS CISA/ CBP, following up on exemption for U.S. essential workers

Policy looking for options to reduce the economic impact on individuals, healthcare, care facilities, and others impacted by COVID 19

Facility Updates: Seattle City Light - closing public facing counters & adjusting the way customers can interact and pay bills (various options); TransAlta - Centralia plan units are down for maintenance.

**ESF 13 Public Safety, Law Enforcement and Security (Operating remotely)**

Monitoring the situation.

**ESF 15 External Affairs – Joint Information Center**

ESF 15 continues to provide support to the JIC. Contacts for the JIC are 253-512-7491 and JICdirector@mil.wa.gov. Coordinated with others today on possible messaging re: drive-up testing sites. Provided social media posts and rumor control. Connected JIC leadership with FEMA External Affairs and collaborated on the JIC's plan to move to a more mobile operation.

**ESF 20 Defense Support to Civil Authorities**

On duty 3/16/20 - ESF 20 Desk: 1SG Crespo, Fausto, SFC Pearce, Chris; Planning Team: Maj Andrew hill, TSgt William Marler.

Planning teams A & B are working to identify complications (i.e. socioeconomic, logistical, operationally, etc.) associated with implementation of NPI 12. As well, we're collecting and identifying vacant structures in King Co. as part of the question on homelessness. (1a, 4a)

defining and refining multiple courses of action the Joint Forces of the Washington National Guard can execute given likely WebEOC request scenarios. (15a)

Federal Medical Stations (FMS) are enroute to both Yakima Training Center and Camp Murray; ETA to Yakima is anticipated for Monday, 3/16/20. Arrival at Camp Murray is still unknown at this time. Mr. Ron Weaver from the Department of Health is keeping tabs on arrival, along with LTC Hudspeth from the WANG. (4a)

ESF 20 desk contacted by LTC Peter Hudspeth with an FMS SITREP:

Three 53-foot FMS trailers arrived at MATES facility at the Yakima Training Center early on 3/15/20. The contents were offloaded into the maintenance bays where they are in a climate-controlled, secure environment. Contents were separated and arranged into three FMS kits. Kits will move Wednesday, 3/17/20 into a nearby BII (Basic Issue Items) facility for holding until they are requested and delivered or returned to

sender. This is required as MATES is an active maintenance facility for Army and Air Guard ground vehicles. (1a.)

15 more FMS packages are staged in California, awaiting request for transport to Camp Murray for receipt and storage until distribution. (1a)

The joint forces of the Army and Air National Guard are the manpower to setup and breakdown the FMS. (4a)

MAJ Stump is working an initial WARNO (Warning Order) to notify the Joint Forces of the WMD to begin assessing available manpower requirements against personnel available that are needed to load, transport, unload and set up the FMS at their future destinations. (4a)

An initial WARNO (Warning Order) has been produced and sent to the J3 for her review (1645 hours).

A complete Joint Tasking Order (JTO) regarding the receipt and distribution of the FMS will be produced sometime soon after the WARNO is published, which should take place within the next 1-2 days. This order will legally apply only to military personnel within the Joint Forces (Air and Army National Guard) of the Washington Military Department, though it may direct Soldier interaction with civilian personnel and agencies. (4a)

## PLANNING

### ***Advanced Planning***

The Advanced Planning Team (APT) worked from home locations over the weekend. On Saturday after the Isolation and Quarantine conference call, led by Jim Baumgart (GOV), the APT was tasked with researching possible locations for RV sites, alternatives to RV sites, hotels, apartments etc. that could be used as Isolation and Quarantine sites.

Monday the APT had a phone conversation with DCYF and DSHS regarding the considerations for Isolation and Quarantine and unaccompanied minors. This will require more research and follow up calls. Deeper research into Isolation and Quarantine sites is being looked into. The communications plan for communication with state agencies and external stakeholders is being finalized.

The APT developed an Assessment and Recovery Guidance for setting up Recovery Locations for Covid 19. The SEOC and A&W COOP plans were finalized.

## LOGISTICS

EMAC Mission Request for Oregon to support Public Health Seattle-King County has been accepted and IMT will be on ground 16 MAR 2020.

IMT Request for in-state support of DSHS/Long Term Health Care Facilities has been worked.

Staffing request for Spokane EOC is being worked.

Resource requests are being filled or re-routed to appropriate sections as needed.

Contracts are being developed to enable the use of Incident Management Teams in response to the incident.

Routine support is being provided to the SEOC and local jurisdictions.

Working with DES to establish bulk ordering.

Coordinating with FEMA Region X on Federal resource requests.

Working on process for SEOC screening and NPI.

## FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

### Military Department Estimated State and Military Staffing Cost (as of 03/13/20)

3/16/20	Estimated Daily Rate	\$15,545
3/3 to 3/16/20	Estimated Accumulative	\$202,082
3/3 to 3/16/20	Estimated Staff Hours	3,546

### WA Department of Health Costs through 3/16/20

Activation Totals	Measure
Total Staff Involvement	633
Staff Worked Past 24 Hrs.	287
Staff in Travel Status	57
Hours Worked	48483
Total DOH Effort	\$3,680,300
Non-budgeted Expenditures	\$1,173,700
Average Daily Cost	\$67,000

Note: Numbers from 3/10 and 3/11 were corrected in this report.

### FEMA Integration Team

- FEMA Region X RRCC is activated to level 3 in support of HHS
- FEMA WA IMAT-A is activated as a result of the National Emergency Declaration with a staffing of 4 persons.
- FEMA WA IMAT-A has processed 6 Resource Requests from the state, all accepted, 2 completed, 3 awaiting assignment, 1 approved for ordering.
- FEMA WA IMAT-A continues reporting along state and federal CIRs and EEIs.
- FEMA IMAT-A: Planning for drive through testing sites

## Weather Forecasts and Impacts

### Seattle, WA 72-Hour Detailed Forecast

#### Tonight

Clear, with a low around 36. North wind 5 to 8 mph becoming east northeast in the evening.

#### Tuesday

Increasing clouds, with a high near 53. Light and variable wind.

#### Tuesday Night

Partly cloudy, with a low around 38. Light and variable wind becoming south around 5 mph after midnight.

#### Wednesday

Mostly sunny, with a high near 55. South southeast wind around 6 mph becoming light and variable in the morning.

#### Wednesday Night

Mostly clear, with a low around 38.

#### Thursday

Partly sunny, with a high near 57.

#### Thursday Night

Mostly cloudy, with a low around 41.

**Yakima, WA 72-Hour Detailed Forecast**

**Tonight**

Clear, with a low around 24. North wind 3 to 5 mph.

**Tuesday**

Increasing clouds, with a high near 54. Light and variable wind.

**Tuesday Night**

Partly cloudy, with a low around 27. Calm wind becoming northwest around 5 mph after midnight.

**Wednesday**

Mostly sunny, with a high near 57. Light and variable wind.

**Wednesday Night**

Mostly clear, with a low around 30.

**Thursday**

Mostly sunny, with a high near 59.

**Thursday Night**

Mostly cloudy, with a low around 33.

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