

Charles County COVID-19



Incident Action Plan



From
5/23/20
8:00

To
5/27/20
8:00

OPERATIONAL PERIOD



Retailers selling essential items, such as pharmacies, may still be open, as well as restaurants and eateries providing take-out and delivery options.

Please check the [Stores and Dining](#) sections of the center's website for contact numbers, and information on opening hours.

INCIDENT OBJECTIVES (ICS 202)

1. Incident Name Charles County COVID-19	2. Operational Period	Date From: 5/23/20 Date To: 5/27/20 Time From: 8:00 Time To: 8:00			
3. Objectives					
<p>A. Maximize the safety and overall health and well-being, including mental health of the residents, county employees, and responders, throughout this incident. Minimize the effects resulting from this incident on all personnel.</p> <p>B. Conduct surveillance of COVID-19 cases in collaboration with the health department, hospital, physicians, and other health care providers.</p> <p>C. Maintain timely, accurate and uniform communications with residents, employees and first responders as well as partners in the tri-County and National Capital Region and the state of Maryland.</p> <p>D. Prepare for and handle the human reaction crisis contingencies in long terms.</p> <p>E. Prepare for long term order maintenance.</p> <p>F. Prepare for and sustain our communities' hierarchy of needs throughout this incident.</p> <p>G. Ensure all practical steps to "Slow the Spread" of transmission of COVID-19.</p> <p>H. Determine trigger points for Continuity of Operations for all agencies, including government, public safety, schools, hospital, and other critical infrastructure systems.</p> <p>I. Prepare for the New Normal.</p>					
4. Operational Period Command Emphasis					
ALWAYS Remember and Honor those who have made it, and keep making it, Safe for U.S. to be here. Memorial Day 2020					
General Situational Awareness <p>Take it off. Take it all off. Shower and redress at the end of your shift. Protect your loved ones.</p>					
5. Site Safety Plan Required? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Approved Site Safety Plan(s) Located at:					
6. Attachments (check if attached) <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%; padding: 5px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 203 <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 207 <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 204 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 208 <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 205 <input type="checkbox"/> Map/Chart <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 205A <input type="checkbox"/> Weather <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 206 <input type="checkbox"/> Forcast/Tides/Currents </td> <td style="width: 33%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> </td> <td style="width: 33%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> ICS 214 <hr/><hr/><hr/><hr/><hr/> </td> </tr> </table>			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 203 <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 207 <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 204 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 208 <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 205 <input type="checkbox"/> Map/Chart <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 205A <input type="checkbox"/> Weather <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 206 <input type="checkbox"/> Forcast/Tides/Currents	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	ICS 214 <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
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7. Prepared by: Name: <u>Joe Hoffmaster</u> Position/Title: <u>PSC</u> Signature: _____					
8. Approved by Incident Commander: Name: <u>Michelle Lilly</u> Signature: _____					
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ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 203)

1. Incident Name Charles County COVID-19		2. Operational Period Date From: 5/23/20 Date to: 5/27/20 Time From: 8:00 Time to: 8:00		
3. Incident Commander and Staff		7. Operations Section		
UC	Dr. Howard Haft	Chief		
UC	Michelle Lilly	Deputy		
Deputy	Melanie Gardiner			
Deputy	Tony Rose			
Safety Officer	John Filer	a. Branch I	Public Health	
Public Information Office	Jennifer Harris	Branch Director	Ranston Harvey	
Intell Officer	Donna Fuqua			
	Linda Warner	Deputy	Mary Lilly	
4. Agency Representative		DSS		
		Liaison Officer	Tom Brown	Robbie Jones
Agency	Name	Hospital	Bill Grimes	John Filer
Intell officer Deputy	Mike Meiser	Nursing Homes	Tiffany Brown	
Lifestyles	Sandy Washington	Health Care Providers	Melanie Gardiner	
Public Schools	Mike Meiser	Rehab Centers	Eddie Kratzer	
		Assisted Living	Rosalinda Horton	
		Funeral Services	Cataria Patterson	
		b. Branch II	Public Safety	
		Branch Director	Mark Kaufmann Jr.	
		Deputy	Scott Herbert	D J Mills
		DES EMS	Steve Finch	
		Vol EMS	Andrew Spalding	Mitchell Lewis
		Vol Fire	Scott Herbert	
		Logistics	Scott Herbert	
5. Planning Section		c. Branch III	Law Enforcement	
Chief	Joe Hoffmaster	Branch Director, CCSO	Chris Schmidt	
Deputy	Bill Smith	Deputy, CCSO	Cari Baker	
Resource Unit		La Plata Police	Chris Becker	
Situation Unit	Jen Adams	MD State Police	Thomas Quade	
Documentation Unit	Bill Smith	DNR	Catherine Meddelin	
Demobilization Unit		MdTA	Brian Lawrence	
Human Resources				
Technical Specialists	(name / specialty)	d. Branch IV	Infrastructure	
		Branch Director		
		Deputy		
		SMECO	Jennifer Raley	
		Grocery		
6. Logistics Section		Propane		
Chief	Nick Ellis	Natural Gas		
Deputy	need to fill			
Support Branch				
Donations	Ed Tucker			
Supply Unit				
Facilities Unit	Nick Ellis	10. Finance Section		
Ground Support Unit		Chief	Jennifer Adams	
Service Branch		Deputy		
Service Branch Dir.		Time Unit		
Communications Unit	Jeffrey Clements	Procurement Unit		
Medical Unit		Comp/Claims Unit		
Security Unit		Cost Unit		
Food Unit				
9. Prepared by: Name: <u>Joe Hoffmaster</u>		Position>Title: <u>PSC</u>	Signature _____	
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Deputy	Tony Rose		
Safety Officer	John Filer	a. Branch V	Governence
Public Information Office	Jennifer Harris	Donna Fuqua	Linda Warner
Intell Officer	Jason Stoddard		
4. Agency Representative		Charles County Govern.	Michele Lilly
Agency	Name	Town of LaPlata	Chris Becker
Intell officer Deputy	Mike Meiser	Town of Indian Head	Ryan Hicks
Lifestyles	Sandy Washington		
CC Public Schools	Michael Meiser		
		b. Branch VI	Business
		Branch Director	Darre'll Brown
		Deputy	Marcia Keeth
		Economic Development	Darre'll Brown
		Chamber of Commerce	Bonnie Grady
5. Planning Section		c. Group	Peer Support
Chief	Joe Hoffmaster	Group Supervisor	Courtney Shannon
Deputy	Bill Smith	Deputy	Pam Gantt
Resource Unit			Debbie Gianinni
Situation Unit	Jen Adams		
Documentation Unit	Bill Smith		
Demobilization Unit			
Human Resources			
Technical Specialists	(name / specialty)	d. Branch VIII	
		Branch Director	
		Deputy	
6. Logistics Section			
Chief	Nick Ellis		
Deputy	need to fill	e. Branch IX	
Support Branch			
Donations	Ed Tucker		
Supply Unit			
Facilities Unit	Nick Ellis	10. Finance Section	
Ground Support Unit		Chief	Jen Adams
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9. Prepared by: Name: Joe Hoffmaster		Position/Title: PSC Signature	
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COMMUNICATIONS LIST (ICS 205A)

1. Incident Name Charles County	2. Operational Period: COVID-19	Date From: Time From:	5/23/20 8:00	Date to: Time to:	5/27/2020 8:00
3. Basic Local Communications Information:					
Name - Last	Name-First	Representing	Email	Phone	
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Baker	Cari	CCSO	bakerce@ccso.us		
Becker	Chris	La Plata Police	cbecker@townoflaplata.org		
Brown	Darrell	Business Director Econ Dev	Brownd@charlescountymd.gov		
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Ellis	Nick	DES- Logistics	DESLogistics@charlescountymd.gov		
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Mills	D.J.	Vol Fire- Special Operations Chief	djm31_9@hotmail.com		
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Smith	Bill	CCVFA/CCAEMS	Smithb@ccvfireems.org		
Spalding	Andrew	Volunteer EMS Chief	chiefems@ccvfireems.org		
6. Prepared by: Name: <u>Joe Hoffmaster</u> Title: <u>PSC</u> Signature: _____					
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3. Basic Local Communications Information:					
Name - Last	Name-First	Representing	Email	Phone	
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EOC- CC		CCEOCC	DESEOC@charlescountymd.gov		
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Haft	Howard	CCDH	Howard.haft@maryland.gov		
Raley	Jennifer	SMECO	Jennifer.Raley@SMECO.Coop		
Farr	Courtney	SMECO	Courtney.Farr@SMECO.Coop		
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Teleconference #			1-872-240-3212		
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Barnes	Raena	DH-Liaison	raena.barnes@maryland.gov		
Wolf	Theresa	PH-DSS	Therese.Wolf@maryland.gov		
Higgins	David	Safety Officer-Assistant	HigginsD@charlescountymd.gov		
Jones	Robbie	HD-Liaison	JonesRob@Charlescountymd.gov		
Hicks	Ryan	Indian Head	ryan@townofindianhead.org		
Lewis	Mitchell	Volunteer EMS Chief, Assistant	mlewis@WaldorfVFD.com		
Mott	Robert (Bob)	VEIP Manager Document Facil.	capt302a@gmail.com		
Rands	Ray	VEIP Manager	raymond.rands@maryland.gov		
Edge	Bill	CCSO-Safety			
Peer	Support	Peer Support Team	DESPeersupport@charlescountymd.gov		
Courtney	Shannon	Peer Support Team Leader	Shannonc@charlescountymd.gov		

SAFETY MESSAGE/PLAN (ICS 208)

1. Incident Name Charles County COVID-19	2. Operational Period	Date From: 5/23/20 Time From: 8:00	Date To: 5/27/20 Time To: 8:00
3. Safety Message/Expanded Safety Message, Safety Plan, Site Safety Plan: "Take it off, Take it all off. Shower and redress after your shift! Don't take it home. Protect the home front."			
<p>1. Total identified PUI's transported as of 5/22: 757 Total # of patients testing positive : 129</p> <p>2. PPE stockpiles remain stable with an estimated supply range of 10+ days based on current call volumes.</p> <p>3. EMSOP Special Order 2020-01 Version 4.1 has been updated to include new travel guidance from MIEMSS as well as out of County decon best practices.</p> <p>4. As this is a rapidly changing landscape, leaders should review any changes with their personnel each morning.</p> <p>5. Speical Order 2020-04 Version 1.1 was released on 05-05-2020. New guidelines for personnel at the beginning of their shift, end of their shift and at the station.</p> <p>6. Personnel who report having a fever, sore throat, cough or other respiratory related symptoms should stay at home and self-isolate until they are symptom free for a period of 72 hours.</p> <p>7. The County's Peer Support Team has been activated and will make weekly wellness checks with our County's first responders.</p> <p>8. Please remember that PPE caches are for EVERYONE. We are all in this TOGETHER so there is NO career and volunteer PPE caches.</p> <p>9. Special Order 2020-03 V2.1 was updated on 05-06-20. New guidelines added on employee return to work procedures.</p> <p>10. Collection bins for PPE are NOT TRASH BINS! Please do not dump trash in, next to, or on the collection bins. Trash includes rubbish, gloves, suits, gowns, towels, and linens. If it is not an N95 or eye protection it is trash to this system.</p>			
<p>Site Safety Plan(s) Located At: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>5. Prepared by: Name: <u>John Filer</u> Title: <u>Safety Officer</u> Signature: _____</p>			
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ACTIVITY LOG (ICS 214)

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Take It Off, Take It All Off...

Change your uniform at the end of
your shift and be sure to shower
when you get home. Protect
yourself and your loved ones.





PUBLIC HEALTH BRANCH BRIEFING

COVID-19 PANDEMIC RESPONSE

May 24, 2020

GENERAL REPORTING INFORMATION

INFECTIOUS DISEASE

CASE COUNT—CHARLES COUNTY

As of 5/24/2020, total case count for Charles County is 989.

- *The line list with confirmed case counts for Charles County is continuously updated as lab reports are received from MDH, hospitals, and commercial laboratories.*
- *Contact tracing efforts are continuous with a focus on healthcare workers, EMS, and police.*

CALL CENTER UPDATE

- Operation time: 0800 to 2200.
- The numbers to call remain the same: 301.609.6717 or 301.609.6777
- Call Center volume is approximately 30 to 60 call per day.

MEDIA, SOCIAL MEDIA AND WEBSITE

- PIO working on Phase I re-opening multimedia campaign.

PARTNER/STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH

LTC/AL

- The Long-Term Care and Assisted Living call will be held May 28 at 3 p.m. by CCDOH nurse liaisons.

ALL-PARTNER

- Dr. Haft will host a Phase I reopening coalition webinar May 28 from 4-6 p.m. by Dr. Haft.

EPI SURVEILLANCE PROFILE FOR STATE

Case Investigation, Surveillance, and Infectious Disease Response (D, Blythe)

- 1) Latest case counts – total: 46,313 (194,049 negative)
- 2) New cases: 818
 - a) Age distribution:
 - i) under 18 years - 2 %
 - ii) in 19-64 age range 74%
 - iii) in 65+ age range 24%
 - b) Geographic distribution:
 - i) National Capital 53%
 - ii) Baltimore Metro area 41%
 - iii) Eastern Shore 3%
 - iv) Southern 2%
 - v) Western 1%
 - c) Of cases, 53% female; 47% male
 - d) Hospitalizations (-30 last 24 hours); total current 1,290; total ever 7,939
 - e) Deaths -- Total 2,162 (38 last 24 hours)
 - f) Release from isolation – 3,319

CONFIDENTIAL – (INFORMATION BELOW IS FOR CORE PLANNING GROUP ONLY)

RESOURCE DISTRIBUTION

- Nothing new to report.

VOLUNTEERS

MARYLAND MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS

- No new responders were accepted into MMRC today

CAREGIVER SERVICE CORPS

- Nothing new to report.

TESTING

VEIP TESTING SITE UPDATE

- Tested to Date: 1250
- Next test date is Tuesday, May 26.

EPIDEMIOLOGY AND SURVEILLANCE

Charles County

Epidemiologist's Note: All data presented in the Charles County profile is a snapshot of the COVID-19 situation at one specific time period. Please be cognizant that data may differ from numbers presented later in the day since new positive lab results are being received by the state and local health department and entered into NEDSS electronic surveillance system throughout the work day. This explains any discrepancies in the total count or denominator being used to calculate each data measure; therefore, the date and time of data extraction for each data source is provided for your reference.

As of 5/24 at 10 a.m., total case count for Charles County was 989 cases.

There have been 67 confirmed deaths associated with COVID-19. This equates to 6.8% of total confirmed cases. The Charles County death rate of 6.8% is higher than the MD state average death rate of 4.7%. However, it should be noted that the majority of deaths in Charles County are associated with outbreaks in skilled nursing facilities. There are 2 probable COVID-19 deaths. COVID-19 is listed as the cause of death, but laboratory testing has not yet confirmed. (New Charles County COVID-19 data will be pulled on May 26.)

Average age of fatalities: 76.7 years

Age Distribution of Fatalities:

- 0-39 years: 0
- 40-69 years: 14 (20.9%)
- 70-79 years: 28 (41.8%)
- 80+ years: 25 (37.3%)

Gender breakdown among fatalities: 44 or 65.7% Female, 23 or 34.3% Male

Racial breakdown among fatalities:

- 43.3% Non-Hispanic White
- 46.3% Non-Hispanic Black
- 4.5% Non-Hispanic Asian
- 4.5% Hispanic
- 1.4% Unknown

Location of deaths:

- Hospital Inpatient: 61.2%
- Nursing Homes: 25.4%
- Other/Home/Emergency Room/Outpatient: 13.4%
- Positivity Rate: 16.1% (State positivity rate: 19.5%)
- 178 or 18.6% required hospitalization.
- Among confirmed cases, 541 (56.4%) Female; 418 (43.6%) Male
- 13% Healthcare Workers

- 1.6% First Responders: EMS, Fire, Law Enforcement
- 27% have underlying health conditions
- Age range of positive COVID-19 cases: 0-100 years

Age Distribution for Charles County cases:

- Under 18 years: 28 (2.9%)
- 18-64 years: 743 (77.5%)
- 65+ years: 174 (19.6%)

Surveillance of EMS call data and alerts

The epidemiologist monitors the Charles County DES First Watch trigger alerts. The number of daily trigger alerts for COVID-19 cases or COVID-19 persons under investigation was 12 for 5/21. PUI EMS call volume has some fluctuation but remains low.

- 5/20: 10
- 5/21: 12

Epidemiologist's Note Concerning Race breakdown: *The data is now being captured in the MDH line lists of confirmed cases in REDCap. Data was accessed on 5/15 at 8 a.m. Please be cognizant that data may differ from numbers pulled later in the morning since new positive lab results are being received by the health department and entered into NEDSS throughout the work day. This explains any discrepancies in the total count or denominator being used to calculate each data measure.*

Total: 989 cases on 5/24 at 10 a.m. MDH line list assessed through REDCap:

Data on race and ethnicity changes daily as case investigations are completed and more information on demographics is updated in the electronic reporting disease system. Additionally, when there is an influx of new cases in electronic reporting disease system, data on race and ethnicity may not be available immediately for new cases since race information is not typically captured on a lab report and must be obtained during the investigation.

Race Breakdown

- Black/African American: 385 (40.1%)
- White: 226 (23.6%)
- Other or 2+ races: 76 (7.9%)
- Data not available/Declined to Answer: 257 (26.8%)

Ethnicity Breakdown

- Hispanic 44 (6.4%)
- Non-Hispanic 557 (64.6%)
- Data not available/Declined to Answer: 257 (26.8%)

Nursing Home Outbreak Data: (*Confidential: Not for public dissemination*)

- Positive resident cases in Skilled Nursing Facilities/Assisted Living Facilities: 144
- Positive staff cases in Skilled Nursing Facilities/Assisted Living Facilities: 56

- Among those 144 resident cases, 109 are in skilled nursing facilities and 35 are in assisted living facilities.
- Current residents or staff who are Persons Under Investigation (PUI) in Skilled Nursing Facilities/Assisted Living Facilities: 3
- Total currently hospitalized: 3
- Deaths: 48
- Pending tests for residents or staff at Skilled Nursing Facilities/Assisted Living Facilities: 6

Charles County Efforts to Address the Governor's Executive Order regarding testing in Skilled Nursing Facilities:

- All 4 skilled nursing facilities in Charles County completed resident testing by Friday, 5/1. Lab results have been received for each facility. *A total of 371 residents in skilled nursing facilities were tested. 35 or 9.4% of those tests have come back positive for COVID-19.* Health department staff is looking at previous line lists to determine which of those cases are previously positive cases and which are new positives for the facilities.
- Awaiting staff testing results for Restore.

Epidemiologist Note: Please use caution when drawing any conclusions regarding race or ethnicity. There is still a percentage where race data is not available, and information regarding this missing population cannot be assumed. Additionally, it should be noted that the greatest number of cases (60.9%) are the Waldorf zip codes of 20601, 20602, and 20603. Over half of the county population lives in those zip codes. Additionally, those zip codes have a very diverse population with minority populations comprising the majority of the zip code level population and with African Americans being the largest racial group in those zip codes.

Zip Code level data was also analyzed using the MDH line lists of confirmed cases in REDCap. Data was accessed on 5/22 at 9 a.m. (*Zip code level data with counts less than 7 cases cannot be shared publicly and must remain confidential.*)

Confirmed cases by zip code:

Zip code:	Total number of positive cases	Number of new positive cases in the last 24 hours	Number of new negative lab results in the last 24 hours	Case Rate per 1000 residents
20601	160	2	22	6.541
20602	184	2	11	7.534
20603	240	4	12	8.320
20604	3	0	1	NA
20611	5	1	1	3.711
20613	23	0	0	.675
20616	32	1	2	5.464
20617	1	0	2	NA
20622	6	0	0	2.041
20625	0	0	1	0
20632	2	0	0	NA
20637	22	1	7	4.241
20640	36	0	2	3.545
20645	2	0	0	0
20646	117	1	10	6.141
20658	5	0	1	NA
20662	14	0	0	4.772
20664	17	0	7	6.026
20675	8	0	0	4.788
20677	11	0	2	4.737
20693	3	0	1	NA
20695	57	1	7	8.831

- **Charles County Cases Rates by Date**

Case rates are only calculated for zip codes with 4 or more confirmed COVID-19 Cases.

COVID-19 Positive Case Rate per 1000 residents for each zip code with 5 or more confirmed cases:	5/18	5/19	5/20	5/21	5/22
20601	5.796	6.044	6.375	6.458	6.541
20602	6.652	6.932	7.213	7.453	7.534
20603	7.422	7.767	7.940	8.182	8.320
20611	2.783	2.783	2.783	2.783	3.711
20616	4.951	5.122	5.293	5.293	5.464
20622	2.041	2.041	2.041	2.041	2.041
20637	3.872	3.872	3.872	4.057	4.241
20640	3.257	3.449	3.449	3.545	3.545
20646	5.453	5.506	5.714	6.088	6.141
20662	4.431	4.722	4.772	4.772	4.772
20664	5.022	5.691	5.691	6.026	6.026
20675	4.788	4.788	4.788	4.788	4.788
20677	4.737	4.737	4.737	4.737	4.737
20695	8.537	8.537	8.537	8.684	8.831

MISCELLANEOUS

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: *This includes the following:*

Respectfully submitted by Charles County PHEP

HOSPITAL BRIEF 5-24-2020

- The Emergency Department surge tents have been taken down due to the low patient census. The surge tents will be put back up if patient census indicates the need for surge tents in the future.
- Hospital Bed Capacity = 166. Census = 68
- Hospital ICU Census = 9
- Hospital ICU in now a dedicated COVID-19 Unit, and 3 East is for ICU overflow.
- Isolation Room Capacity = 12
- Isolation Rooms Occupied = 6
- Confirmed positive cases of COVID-19 patient admissions = 13
 - Of the total thirteen (13) COVID-19 positive patients, four 4 (4) of the patients are located in the ICU. Nine (9) are located in the 3 South dedicated COVID-19 unit.
- PUI admissions = 17
- Ventilated COVID-19 positive patients = 6
- Ventilators not in use = 14
- COVID-19 related deaths = 37 (Total to Date)
- CRMC has implemented a policy that requires ALL staff, visitors (which would be very limited), and contractors of any kind to wear a mask while in the hospital at all times.
- The 3 South patient unit at CRMC is dedicated to COVID-19 positive patients only.
- EMS staff transport to CRMC on Saturday, 5/23/2020: No report available today.
- CMCR total Lab tests to date = No report available at this time.
- Total COVID-19 positive Lab results to date = No Report available at this time.



Charles County Volunteer Firemen's Association, Inc.

Post Office Box #21, La Plata, Maryland 20646

May 24th, 2020

Re: Volunteer Fire/EMS Brief

Items Being Worked On:

- Reduction of Force Policy – *Information gathering occurring.*

Stations/Apparatus:

- No Station's with contamination issues.
- No Apparatus with any contamination issues.
- Currently have 3 Ladder Trucks O.O.S. – Non-COVID Related

Personnel Exposure – None:

Incidents/Call Volume:

- No Major Incidents to Report related to COVID-19
- Increase in Motor Vehicle Accidents to include Motorcycle Accidents
- Friday's EMS Call Volume was slightly above average, and Fire Call Volume was average
64 EMS Related Incidents ---- 20 Fire Related Incidents
- Saturday's EMS Call Volume was average, and Fire Call Volume was average
57 EMS Related Incidents ---- 22 Fire Related Incidents

Other Information:

- Continue to push out information about Social Distancing in the Stations.
- Continue to push out Peer Support Information.

Respectfully Submitted,

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