



Charles County  
Department  
of  
Health



## OPERATIONAL PERIOD

# INCIDENT OBJECTIVES (ICS 202)

<b>1. Incident Name</b>  Charles County      COVID-19	<b>2. Operational Period</b>	<b>Date From:</b> 6/8/20  <b>Time From:</b> 8:00	<b>Date To:</b> 6/15/20  <b>Time To:</b> 8:00			
<b>3. Objectives</b>  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. <hr/> B. Conduct surveillance of COVID-19 cases in collaboration with the health department, hospital, physicians, and other health care providers. <hr/> 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. <hr/> D. Prepare for and handle the human reaction crisis contingencies in long terms. <hr/> E. Prepare for long term order maintenance. <hr/> F. Prepare for and sustain our communities' hierarchy of needs throughout this incident. <hr/> G. Ensure all practical steps to "Slow the Spread" of transmission of COVID-19. <hr/> H. Prepare for the New Normal. <hr/> I. Conduct an After Action Analysis including all divisions and functions of the COVID-19 response.						
<b>4. Operational Period Command Emphasis</b> <div style="background-color: #f0f0f0; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>After Action Analysis- Send in your 5 Ups and 5 Downs to          DESPlanning@CharlesCountyMD.gov</b> </div>						
<b>General Situational Awareness</b> <div style="background-color: yellow; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <b>"6 Feet of social distancing is still the magic number!"</b> </div>						
<b>5. Site Safety Plan Required?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>Approved Site Safety Plan(s) Located at:</b>						
<b>6. Attachments (check if attached)</b>  <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 203  <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 204  <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 205  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 205A  <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 206         </td> <td style="width: 33%;"> <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 207  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 208  <input type="checkbox"/> Map/Chart  <input type="checkbox"/> Weather  <input type="checkbox"/> Forecast/Tides/Currents         </td> <td style="width: 33%;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>ICS 214</b>  <hr/> <input type="checkbox"/> <hr/> <input type="checkbox"/> <hr/> <input type="checkbox"/> <hr/> </td> </tr> </table>				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 203 <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 204 <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 205 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 205A <input type="checkbox"/> ICS 206	<input type="checkbox"/> ICS 207 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICS 208 <input type="checkbox"/> Map/Chart <input type="checkbox"/> Weather <input type="checkbox"/> Forecast/Tides/Currents	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>ICS 214</b> <hr/> <input type="checkbox"/> <hr/> <input type="checkbox"/> <hr/> <input type="checkbox"/> <hr/>
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<b>7. Prepared by: Name:</b> <u>Joe Hoffmaster</u> <b>Position/Title:</b> <u>PSC</u> <b>Signature:</b> _____						
<b>8. Approved by Incident Commander: Name:</b> <u>Michelle Lilly</u> <b>Signature:</b> _____						
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## ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 203)

<b>1. Incident Name</b> Charles County      COVID-19		<b>2. Operational Period</b> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>Date From: 6/8/20 Time From: 8:00</div> <div>Date to: 6/15/20 Time to: 8:00</div> </div>	
<b>3. Incident Commander and Staff</b>		<b>7. Operations Section</b>	
UC	Dr. Howard Haft	Chief	
UC	Michelle Lilly	Deputy	
Deputy	Melanie Gardiner		
Deputy	Tony Rose		
Safety Officer	John Filer	<b>a. Branch I</b>	<b>Public Health</b>
Public Information Office	Jennifer Harris   Donna Fuqua   Linda Warner	Branch Director	Ranston Harvey
Intell Officer	Jason Stoddard	Deputy	Mary Lilly
<b>4. Agency Representative</b>		DSS	
		Liaison Officer	Tom Brown   Robbie Jones
<b>Agency</b>	<b>Name</b>	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	Catarina Patterson
		<b>b. Branch II</b>	<b>Public Safety</b>
		Branch Director	Mark Kaufmann Jr.
		Deputy	Scott Herbert
		DES EMS	Steve Finch
		Vol EMS	Andrew Spalding   Mitchell Lewis
		Vol Fire	Scott Herbert
		Logistics	
<b>5. Planning Section</b>		<b>c. Branch III</b>	<b>Law Enforcement</b>
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			
<b>Technical Specialists</b>	<b>(name / specialty)</b>	<b>d. Branch IV</b>	<b>Infrastructure</b>
		Branch Director	
		Deputy	
		SMECO	Jennifer Raley
		Grocery	
<b>6. Logistics Section</b>		Propane	
Chief	Nick Ellis	Natural Gas	
Deputy			
<b>Support Branch</b>			
Donations	Ed Tucker		
Supply Unit			
Facilities Unit	Nick Ellis	<b>10. Finance Section</b>	
Ground Support Unit		Chief	Jennifer Adams
<b>Service Branch</b>		Deputy	
Service Branch Dir.		Time Unit	
Communications Unit	Jeffrey Clements	Procurement Unit	
Medical Unit		Comp/Claims Unit	
Security Unit		Cost Unit	
Food Unit			
<b>9. Prepared by: Name: Joe Hoffmaster      Position/Title: PSC      Signature</b>			
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<b>3. Incident Commander and Staff</b>		<b>7. Operations Section</b>	
UC	Dr. Howard Haft	Chief	
UC	Michelle Lilly	Deputy	
Deputy	Melanie Gardiner		
Deputy	Tony Rose		
Safety Officer	John Filer	<b>a. Branch V</b>	<b>Governance</b>
Public Information Office	Jennifer Harris    Donna Fuqua    Linda Warner		
Intell Officer	Jason Stoddard		
<b>4. Agency Representative</b>		Charles County Govern.	Michele Lilly
<b>Agency</b>	<b>Name</b>	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>b. Branch VI</b>	<b>Business</b>
		Branch Director	Darre'll Brown
		Deputy	Marcia Keeth
		Economic Development	Darre'll Brown
		Chamber of Commerce	Bonnie Grady
<b>5. Planning Section</b>		<b>c. Group</b>	<b>Peer Support</b>
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			
<b>Technical Specialists</b>	<b>(name / specialty)</b>	<b>d. Branch VIII</b>	
		Branch Director	
		Deputy	
<b>6. Logistics Section</b>			
Chief	Nick Ellis		
Deputy		<b>e. Branch IX</b>	
<b>Support Branch</b>			
Donations	Ed Tucker		
Supply Unit			
Facilities Unit	Nick Ellis	<b>10. Finance Section</b>	
Ground Support Unit		Chief	Jen Adams
<b>Service Branch</b>		Deputy	
Service Branch Dir.		Time Unit	
Communications Unit	Jeffrey Clements	Procurement Unit	
Medical Unit		Comp/Claims Unit	
Security Unit		Cost Unit	
Food Unit			
<b>9. Prepared by:</b> Name: <u>Joe Hoffmaster</u> Position/Title: <u>PSC</u> Signature: _____			
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# COMMUNICATIONS LIST (ICS 205A)

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				<b>Time From:</b> 8:00	<b>Time to:</b> 8:00
<b>3. Basic Local Communications Information:</b>					
Name - Last	Name-First	Representing	Email	Phone	
Adams	Jennifer	DES FSC	<a href="mailto:AdamsJen@Charlescountymd.gov">AdamsJen@Charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Baker	Cari	CCSO	<a href="mailto:bakerce@ccso.us">bakerce@ccso.us</a>		
Becker	Chris	La Plata Police	<a href="mailto:cbecker@townoflaplata.org">cbecker@townoflaplata.org</a>		
Brown	Darrell	Business Director Econ Dev	<a href="mailto:Brownd@charlescountymd.gov">Brownd@charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Cress	Lauri	Charles Regional Medical Center	<a href="mailto:lauri.cress@umm.edu">lauri.cress@umm.edu</a>		
Ellis	Nick	DES- Logistics	<a href="mailto:DESLogistics@charlescountymd.gov">DESLogistics@charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Filer	John	DES- Liaison	<a href="mailto:FilerJ@charlescountymd.gov">FilerJ@charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Finch	Stephen	DES	<a href="mailto:FinchS@charlescountymd.gov">FinchS@charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Fuqua	Donna	PIO	<a href="mailto:Fuquad@CharlesCountyMD.gov">Fuquad@CharlesCountyMD.gov</a>		
Harris	Jennifer	PIO	<a href="mailto:HarrisJ@CharlesCountyMD.gov">HarrisJ@CharlesCountyMD.gov</a>		
Hoffmaster	Joe	Planning Section	<a href="mailto:DESPlanning@charlescountymd.gov">DESPlanning@charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Kaufmann	Mark Jr	PS Branch Dir. Vol Fire Chief	<a href="mailto:markeng1trk@hotmail.com">markeng1trk@hotmail.com</a>		
Konschak	Matt	NSWC IHD	<a href="mailto:matthew.konschak@navy.mil">matthew.konschak@navy.mil</a>		
Lilly	Michelle	CCDES Director, Unified Command	<a href="mailto:LillyM@charlescountymd.gov">LillyM@charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Lilly	Mary	C C Dept. of Health	<a href="mailto:Mary.Lilly@maryland.gov">Mary.Lilly@maryland.gov</a>		
Lowry	Susan	MDH	<a href="mailto:suzan.lowry@maryland.gov">suzan.lowry@maryland.gov</a>		
Mills	D.J.	Vol Fire- Special Operations Chief	<a href="mailto:djm31_9@hotmail.com">djm31_9@hotmail.com</a>		
O'Malley Simpson	Katie	CCBOE PIO	<a href="mailto:Komalley@ccboe.com">Komalley@ccboe.com</a>		
Proctor	Destiny	DES	<a href="mailto:proctord@charlescountymd.gov">proctord@charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Quade	Thomas	MSP	<a href="mailto:Thomas.Quade@maryland.gov">Thomas.Quade@maryland.gov</a>		
Rose	Tony	DES Deputy Director, Unified	<a href="mailto:RoseT@charlescountymd.gov">RoseT@charlescountymd.gov</a>		
Russell	Cindy	DSS	<a href="mailto:cindy.russell@maryland.gov">cindy.russell@maryland.gov</a>		
Schmidt	Louis Chris III	CCSO	<a href="mailto:schmidtlo@ccso.us">schmidtlo@ccso.us</a>		
Seaman	Kevin	CCEMS	<a href="mailto:seamank@chairescountymd.gov">seamank@chairescountymd.gov</a>		
Smith	Bill	CCVFA/CCAEMS	<a href="mailto:Smithb@ccvfireems.org">Smithb@ccvfireems.org</a>		
Spalding	Andrew	Volunteer EMS Chief	<a href="mailto:chiefems@ccvfireems.org">chiefems@ccvfireems.org</a>		
<b>6. Prepared by:</b> Name: _____ Joe Hoffmaster _____ Title: _____ PSC _____ Signature _____					
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<b>3. Basic Local Communications Information:</b>							
Name - Last	Name-First	Representing	Email	Phone			
Stoddard	Jason	Intell	<a href="mailto:jestoddard@ccboe.com">jestoddard@ccboe.com</a>				
Ranston	Harvey	CCDOH	<a href="mailto:Ranston.harvey@maryland.gov">Ranston.harvey@maryland.gov</a>				
Laschatt	Lisa	CCDOH	<a href="mailto:lisa.laschatt@maryland.gov">lisa.laschatt@maryland.gov</a>				
Meiser	Michael	CCPS	<a href="mailto:mlmeiser@ccboe.com">mlmeiser@ccboe.com</a>				
EOC- CC		CCEOC	<a href="mailto:DESEOC@charlescountymd.gov">DESEOC@charlescountymd.gov</a>				
Cherry	Lori	LOGS- Deputy	<a href="mailto:CherryL@charlescountymd.gov">CherryL@charlescountymd.gov</a>				
Herbert	Scott	PS LOGS	<a href="mailto:sherbert@hvfdeems.org">sherbert@hvfdeems.org</a>				
Haft	Howard	CCDH	<a href="mailto:Howard.haft@maryland.gov">Howard.haft@maryland.gov</a>				
Raley	Jennifer	SMECO	<a href="mailto:Jennifer.Raley@SMECO.Coop">Jennifer.Raley@SMECO.Coop</a>				
Farr	Courtney	SMECO	<a href="mailto:Courtney.Farr@SMECO.Coop">Courtney.Farr@SMECO.Coop</a>				
Law	Natasha	SMECO	<a href="mailto:Natsha.Law@SMECO.Coop">Natsha.Law@SMECO.Coop</a>				
Teleconfernce #			1-872-240-3212				
Tucker	Ed	Donations	<a href="mailto:DESDonations@Charlescountymd.gov">DESDonations@Charlescountymd.gov</a> <a href="mailto:Etucker@Charlescountymd.gov">Etucker@Charlescountymd.gov</a>				
Barnes	Raena	DH-Liaison	<a href="mailto:raena.barnes@maryland.gov">raena.barnes@maryland.gov</a>				
Wolf	Theresa	PH-DSS	<a href="mailto:Therese.Wolf@maryland.gov">Therese.Wolf@maryland.gov</a>				
Higgins	David	Safety Officer- Assistant	<a href="mailto:HigginsD@chalrescountymd.gov">HigginsD@chalrescountymd.gov</a>				
Jones	Robbie	HD-Liaison	<a href="mailto:JonesRob@Charlescountymd.gov">JonesRob@Charlescountymd.gov</a>				
Hicks	Ryan	Indian Head	<a href="mailto:ryan@townofindianhead.org">ryan@townofindianhead.org</a>				
Lewis	Mitchell	Volunteer EMS Chief, Assistant	<a href="mailto:mlewis@WaldorfVFD.com">mlewis@WaldorfVFD.com</a>				
Mott	Robert (Bob)	VEIP Manager Document Facil.	<a href="mailto:capt302a@gmail.com">capt302a@gmail.com</a>				
Rands	Ray	VEIP Manager	<a href="mailto:raymond.rands@maryland.gov">raymond.rands@maryland.gov</a>				
Edge	Bill	CCSO-Safety					
Peer	Support	Peer Support Team	<a href="mailto:DESPeersupport@charlescountymd.gov">DESPeersupport@charlescountymd.gov</a>				
Courtney	Shannon	Peer Support Team Leader	<a href="mailto:Shannonc@charlescountymd.gov">Shannonc@charlescountymd.gov</a>				

## SAFETY MESSAGE/PLAN (ICS 208)

<b>1. Incident Name</b> Charles County      COVID-19	<b>2. Operational Period</b>	<b>Date From:</b> 6/8/20 <b>Time From:</b> 8:00	<b>Date To:</b> 6/15/20 <b>Time To:</b> 8:00
<b>3. Safety Message/Expanded Safety Message, Safety Plan, Site Safety Plan:</b>			
<b>"6 Feet of social distancing is still the magic number!"</b>			
1. Total identified PUI's transported as of 6/5: 957 Total # of patients testing positive : 151			
2. PPE stockpiles remain stable with an estimated supply range of 10+ days based on current call volumes.			
3. 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.			
4. PPE is for EVERYONE. Share, we have plenty.			
5. Special Order 2020-04 Version 2.1 was updated on 05-06-20-2020. New guidelines added on employee return to work procedures.			
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.			
7. Special Order 2020-03 Version 2.1 was updated on 05-06-20-2020. New guidelines added on employee return to work procedures.			
8. Instructional video for self decon process of apparatus is located at the link below.			
<a href="https://youtu.be/QYMLHwkQNVY">https://youtu.be/QYMLHwkQNVY</a>			
<b>Site Safety Plan(s) Located At:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
<b>5. Prepared by:</b> Name: <u>John Filer</u> Title: <u>Safety Officer</u> Signature: _____			
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## ACTIVITY LOG (ICS 214)

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				Time From:	8:00	Time To:	8:00
3. Name:		4. ICS Position		5. Home Agency (and Unit):			
6. Resources Assigned							
Name		ICS Position		Home Agency (and Unit)			
7. Activity Log							
Date/Time		Notable Activities					
8. Prepared by: Name: _____ Position/Title: _____ Signature: _____							
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## ACTIVITY LOG (ICS 214)

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# Safety Officer's Report Charles County EOC

06-12-20

John Filer  
Chief of EMS and SOD  
Charles County Department of  
Emergency Services

**Today's Safety Message:** "6 feet of social distancing is still the magic number."

Total number of PUI's transported to date: 957

Total number of patients transported by EMS testing + for COVID: 151

Total number of first responders on self-isolation: 0

Total number of first responders on quarantine: 4

Total number of first responders + for COVID-19: 10

Total number of first responders out for COVID related mental health: 0

Total number of fire stations sanitized: 6

Daily Estimated PPE Burn Rate: 16 sets/day



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La Plata, MD 20646



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Charles County DES - All Incidents



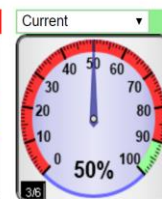
Charles County - Coronavirus PUI nCoV (CAD)



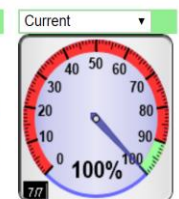
(DRAFT) Charles County EMS - HTSD



Charles County EMS - Low ALS Resource



Charles County EMS - Hospital Drop Time (30 Min)

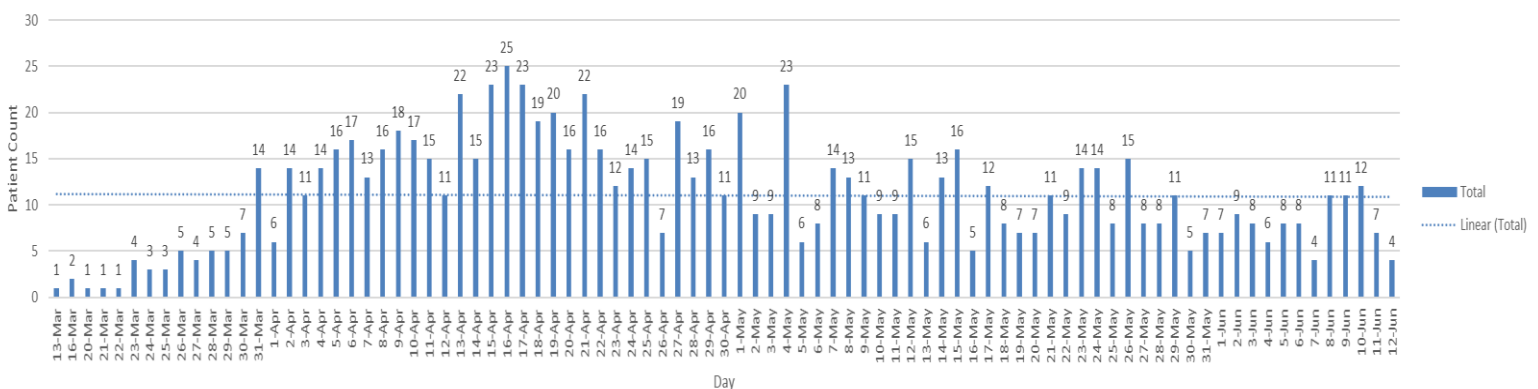


Charles County EMS - EMTALA

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Count of Incident Number

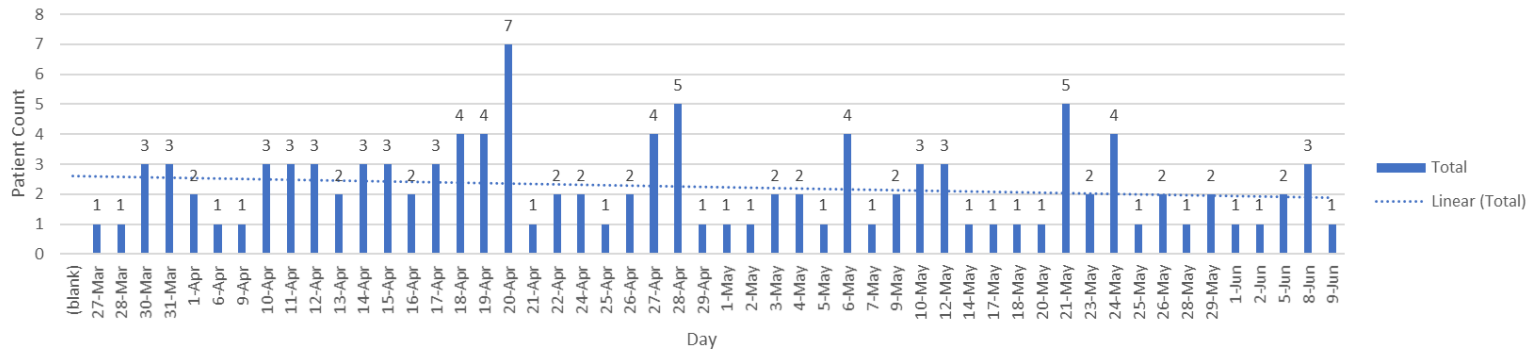
PUI Incidents - 03-13-20 thru 06-12-20 @ 1010



Sent to Queue

Count of Patient Name

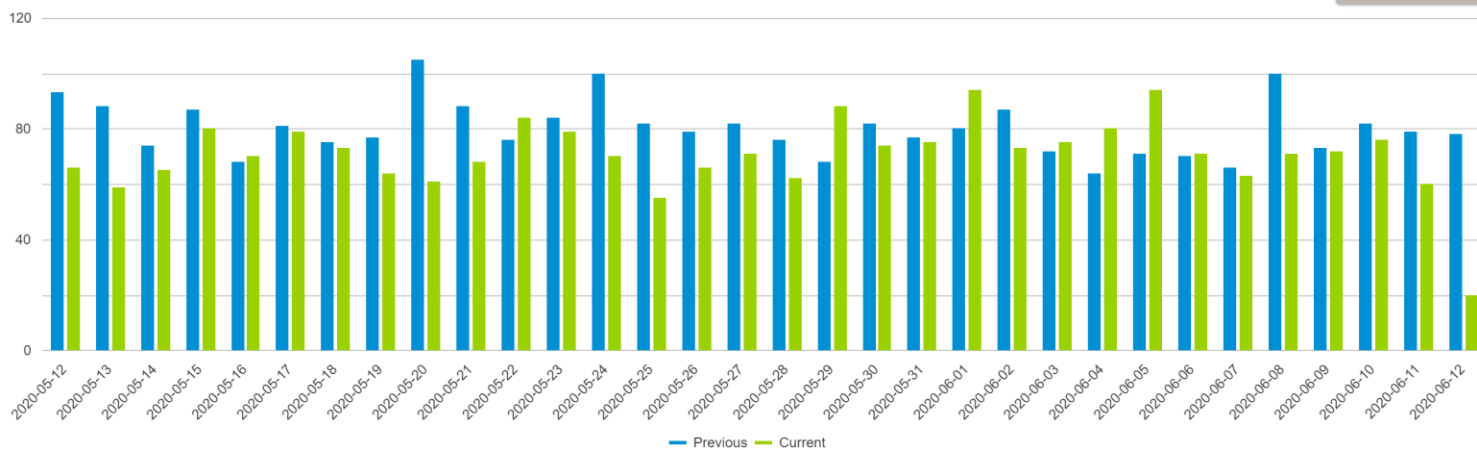
### YTD COVID+ Patients Transported by EMS



Date of EMS Transport

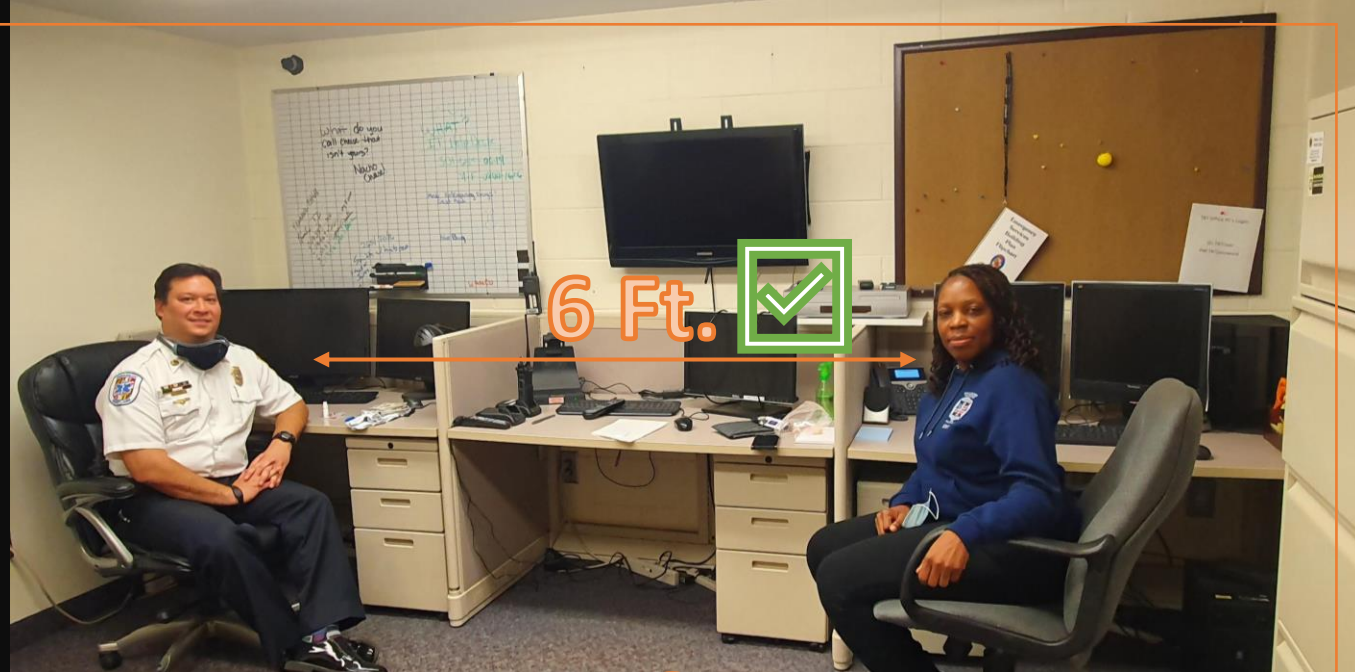
Count of Incident Reported

Compare To: One Year



# Know The Good Social Distancing Guidelines...

6 feet of separation = mask free



Less than 6 feet of separation = masks on



**HOSPITAL BRIEF 6-12-2020**

- 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 = 87
- Hospital ICU Census = 10
- Hospital ICU is now a dedicated COVID-19 Unit, and 3 East is for ICU overflow.
- Isolation Room Capacity = 12
- Isolation Rooms Occupied = 7
- Confirmed positive cases of COVID-19 patient admissions = 6
  - Of the total six (6) COVID-19 positive patients all are located in the ICU Dedicated COVID-19 Unit.
  -
- PUI admissions = 5
- Ventilated COVID-19 positive patients = 2
- Ventilators not in use = 18
- COVID-19 related deaths = 42 (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 by half to COVID-19 positive patients only, and the other half of the unit is dedicated to PUI patients.
- EMS staff transport to CRMC on Thursday, 6/11/2020 = No Report Available at this time.
- CMCR total Lab tests to date = 2086. COVID-19 positive tests = 329.

Intelligence Briefing 6-12-2020  
COVID Charles County  
Week 13

**Updated Infection Numbers:** As of 0933hrs.

Total worldwide: 7,547,702 **+288,860 since the 6-10-20 brief.**

**Worldwide increase of confirmed cases by 24-hour period over the last 20 days**

5-24/26*	5-26/27	5-27/28	5-28/29	5-29/6-1	6-1/3	6-3/5	6-5/8	6-8/10	6-10/12
267,426	87,047	120,704	112,740	354,112	216,515	253,885	374,034	219,900	288,860

Total fatalities worldwide: 422,062 **+10,183 since the 6-10-20 brief**

Total confirmed cases in the US: 2,023,690 **+43,719 since the 6-10-20 brief**

**US increase of confirmed cases by 24-hours period over the last 20 days**

5-24/26*	5-26/27	5-27/28	5-28/29	5-29/6-1	6-1/3	6-3/5	6-5/8	6-8/10	6-10/12
57,889	18,650	21,482	19,015	68,265	42,221	40,248	69,703	107,311	43,719

Total fatalities in US: 113,822 **+1,816 since 6-10-2020**

**Maryland Numbers:** As of 1000 hrs. via <https://coronavirus.maryland.gov/>

Total confirmed cases in State in of MD: 60,613 **+1709 since the 6-10-20 brief**

Total tested in the State of MD: 473,271 **+19,783 over 6-10-20**

Percent of those test that test positive: **6.93%**

Total Fatalities in State of MD: 2,773 **+120 change since the 6-10-20 brief**

Number of probable deaths: 127

Total Ever Hospitalized: 9,993

Persons currently hospitalized: **836 -119 since 6-10-2020**

5-21/22	5-22/23	5-23/26*	5-26/27	5-27/28	5-28/29	5-29/6-1	6-1/3	6-3/5	6-5/8	6-8/10	6-10/12
-36	-9	-5	+23	-4	-38	-122	-65	-33	-97	-24	-119

**First Responder Numbers in Charles County: NUMBERS AS OF 6-12-2020 @1230**

4 Quarantine: means exposed and they can't come to work: **No change since the last report.**

0 Self Isolation: means sick or tested positive



**Weather:**

Sat 78-57 sun, Sunday 75-58 sun, Monday 73-58 clouds

**Local:**

No stores visited this am.

**Maryland Update:**

Nothing to report

**Region:**

Over 72,389 cases in the NCR as of 0700 6-12-2020.

**National:**

AP infection map: <https://apnews.com/7b5a2994d351e5c1697e2c7478e2969c>

**Local critical infrastructure:**

No outages or disruptions are reported or are appear to be likely as of today.

**Predications/ Analysis:**

- The cascading effects of the prolonged closures, along with community fear and anxiety have led to unintended consequences that we likely have not explored. The recent reports of increasing measles outbreaks due to children not being inoculated likely due to fear and limited availability is a terrific example. It would be wise if task forces or committees were established to better identify, develop proactive frameworks for future responses, and potential solutions prior to full reopening.
- Pediatric Multi-system Inflammatory Syndrome is receiving increasing media coverage (100+ cases in NY, 3 at WDC Children's). We are likely to see increased reports from fearful parents who have limited knowledge but high fear. Factual information spread is needed, ongoing and open channel communication with local pediatricians must start now, redistribution of PPE may be needed, and we should likely begin adding them to EOC operations.
- We appear to be on the downward side or at least seeing a leveling of this crisis. Commander should take this time to review and collect documents needed to begin the AAR process of the tactical portion of this event. Logistics should begin placing orders to build stockpiles for the next round.
- The change at the Gov. Office re: to releasing nursing home case counts and fatalities this week is likely to create more questions than answers. In addition, it is likely to create a public uproar and increase anger.

- The length and scope of this situation have exposed large cracks in food supply chains, medical supply chains, fossil fuel industries, and other major portions of everyday life. Local leaders should begin a gap analysis and start the after-action process so they can create and modernize resiliency plans, local stockpiles, and coming up with other forward leaning solutions so when the next disaster occurs they are more self-sufficient and better prepared.
- While we have concentrated our efforts on peer support and helping our responders, a proactive approach to including families of first responders is quickly emerging. The command structure should consider a Family Support liaison or expand the Peer support branch.
- The increased discussions about opening the economy, added with the on-going conversation about health care in-equity and racial disproportionality of infections is causing increased polarization, angry, and hate. Social media is rampant with spirited discussions. It is only a matter of time before we begin to see emotions spill over into the public. The small protest we have witnessed thus far could pale in comparison to what is to come. LE should be reviewing plans, manpower, and boosting intelligence gathering to better prepare for potential situations.
- Protests over the continuing of stay at home orders, and business closures are becoming more prevalent and boisterous. Law enforcement should begin to make plans on how to track these groups and respond to events.
- First responder staffing and exposure issues will likely continue to increase. Priority messaging about PPE, manpower reduction strategies, and outside the box thinking should be continued and solutions expedited.
- FOIA and PIA requests for detailed records on infections in assisted living and nursing homes will increase as investigative reporting on this issue increases.
- Grocery stores could become a hotbed of fear and anxiety due to limiting numbers of patrons, assigning shopping days, mask requirements, and now limited meat supplies.
- As critical case in Charles County remain low (outside of nursing homes and assisted living homes), needs in other local jurisdictions are growing. Resources should be prioritized and plans should be made to share/deploy critical resources, personnel, and/or facility space to meet the needs regionally.
- The longer this crisis continues the more likely we are to experience critical events that may not be related to the COVID crisis (incidents within the incident). Those in leadership positions need to be prepared to step into dual leadership/managerial roles at a moment's notice. This requires taking care of yourself and staying up on the latest tactics, strategies and knowledge.
- Planning for crisis recovery starts as soon as the crisis begins. Monday marks the 8<sup>th</sup> weeks of this crisis, 6<sup>th</sup> week of schools being closed. Partners and stakeholders should begin planning for what the return to the "new normal" looks like in their organization. Sharing of these plans will help each organization build more comprehensive processes.
- Over the weekend the US will likely eclipse 500,000 cases and 15,000 deaths. Md numbers will likely pass 5000 and 150 fatalities by Friday. These numbers will cause



increased pressure to ratchet up rhetoric re: “stay at home orders” and could result in further sanctions and restrictions.

- As the confirmed case numbers continue to rapidly ascend the likelihood of jurisdictions issuing “travel bans” increases. Law enforcement should begin researching the constitutionality of these potential edicts and have plans in place for implantation and begin to develop a public communication strategy. Standardizing local “travel authorization documentation” should be explored by the lead jurisdiction having authority.
- Due to diverted attention, the international and domestic terrorism threat is rapidly increasing. Responders should be reminded to remain vigilant and of the DHS guidelines for spotting suspicion activities and terrorism indicators.
- As we enter into the reported peak of this situation communication, along with sharing of individual branch capability and capacity is more important now than ever. “We don’t know what we are going to need to know until we need to know it.”
- First responder organizations should begin surveying members for pre-existing conditions and other complicating medical conditions. Responders found to have pre-existing conditions should be placed in limited citizen contact roles.
- A review of the 179 countries that report COVID-19 cases, only two (South Korea and China) have somewhat “flattened the curve” of NEW infections. Both showed flattening roughly 30 to 45 days after the initial spikes. The initial spike in the US began around 3-18-2020.
- Reduced stability in the supply chain along with increased fear and anxiety can be expected with today’s “stay at home order.”
- After 3 weeks of social distancing and schools being closed non-english speaking communities within Charles County are likely feeling further isolated due to a lack of language specific communications. Direct and increased messaging to Spanish speakers is likely necessary.
- As mass transit continues to shrink in availability, plans should be made to ensure those who rely on it for essential supplies and trips have delivery resources.
- LE and EMS screening protocols should include questions about recent travel to NY, NJ, CT, and FL.
- Immediate attention is needed to direct companies and organization on the proper processes and appropriate contact to use (Donation Manager at the EOC) to donate PPE and cleaning materials to essential personnel
- The next 7 days will likely see a stabilization of a majority of the grocery supply chain. However, the potential for disruption moving forward continues to remain high.
- FOIA and PIA request from media and citizens groups will likely begin to increase the longer this event lasts. “New normal” processes need to be established as soon as possible.
- Lack of child care options will likely add to family stress. Additional resources, activity and options are needed.
- JIC staff should substantially amplify community resource communications

- As we enter the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of social distancing stress, anxiety, and fear will likely increase. Continuous reminders of patience and focusing on kindness will become increasingly important.
- Many stores restock overnight. Seniors and the vulnerable populations should be strongly encouraged to shop during the early morning hours when supplies are likely to be at their highest.
- As testing increased the confirmed cases in MD will increase. This will likely cause additional life restrictions.
- Supply chain issues will continue and likely increase as further life interruptions and travel restrictions are ordered. The possibility of violence increases as stress increases, especially at grocery stores.
- Commanders of responders and essential staff should have robust plans for potential quarantines and updated continuity of operations including plans for diminished manpower. Further, responder organizations should begin reviewing existing integration plans with the National Guard.
- Obtaining medical supplies and PPE will continue to be an issue for the foreseeable future. All services should use the command ordering process so orders can be tracked.
- The community of Charles County is showing increased signs of pulling together and assisting one another. The JIC should continue to encourage civility and increase positive press of good news stories occurring throughout our community.

“The most effective leaders in crises ensure that someone else is managing the present well, while focusing their attention on leading beyond the crisis toward a more promising future” (Nutley and Marcus, 2019, Harvard Business Review)

Respectfully submitted by Jason Stoddard

# Law Enforcement Branch Briefing

## COVID-19 Charles County IMT

June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### **Buildings:**

Charles County Sheriff's Office: District 1 Lobby is closed for scheduled remodeling. The District 1 clerks have moved to the CCDC Annex building in the same parking area and that lobby is open as normal.

Maryland State Police: Restricted to public

Maryland Transportation Authority: Closed to Public

La Plata Police Department: Closed to the public

Natural Resources Police: Building Closed

### **Operations:**

Charles County Sheriff's Office: Operations have gone to emergency scheduling in accordance with a CCSO level 3 All-Hazards activation. Patrol operational periods are 12 hours from 0700-1900 and 1900-0700. All other operations sections running with normal services being provided from modified locations. Services provided have not been reduced or augmented.

Maryland State Police: Operations as normal.

Maryland Transportation Authority: Operations as normal.

La Plata Police Department: Operations as normal; Doing screening in and screening out.

Natural Resources Police: Operations as normal.

### **Internal COVID-19:**

Charles County Sheriff's Office:

- 0 Sworn Officer quarantined
- 0 Sworn Officers isolated
- 0 Correctional Officer quarantined
- 0 Correctional Officers isolated
- 0 civilians quarantined
- 0 civilians isolated.

Charles County Detention Center Population:

- 101 inmates
- 0 COVID positive inmates
- 0 Inmates with symptoms

Maryland State Police: None local  
Maryland Transportation Authority: None local  
La Plata Police Department: None  
Natural Resources Police: None local

### **Definitions**

*Quarantine:* Quarantine is the process of keeping an asymptomatic (no symptoms) person who had a reported exposure away from other people.

*Isolation:* Isolation is the process of keeping a symptomatic or positive person away from all other people.

### **Crime Stats:**

Crime continues to be down in all aspects.

### **TRU:**

Charles County Sheriff's Office: Open and working; triage site for COVID-19 calls for service.  
Maryland State Police: Open and working.  
Maryland Transportation Authority: Open and working.  
La Plata Police Department: Open and working.  
Natural Resources Police: Open and working.

### **Call Restrictions:**

Charles County Sheriff's Office: None  
Maryland State Police: None  
Maryland Transportation Authority: None  
La Plata Police Department: None  
Natural Resources Police: None

### **Governor's Order Violations since Emergency Orders Issued:**

Violation sustained calls for service: 66  
Warnings: 63  
Charges later: 2  
On-scene arrest: 1

**Health Department Order Violations (Between 04/16/20 and 04/18/20):**

***Calls for Service***

Founded: 5

Unfounded: 10

***Dispositions***

Warnings: 5 issued

**Items of Note: (Not for redistribution)**

Changes denoted in red.

Charles County Public Schools Briefing 6-12-2020  
COVID Charles County

**48-hour Priorities:**

- Maintaining instructional continuity
- Expanding and maintaining food service
- Expanding and maintaining WiFi service
- Develop a plan for closing SY 19-20

**Meals:**

Thursday, 6/11/20 CCPS served 3618 meals at the 11 meal distribution sites. The total was -552 from the meals served on Wednesday, 6/10/20.

NO MEAL DISTRIBUTION SATURDAY and SUNDAY.

**The Summer Meals Program** is a free meals program for all children and youth ages 18 and younger who live in Charles County.

Due to the COVID-19 social distancing requirements, Charles County Public Schools (CCPS) will continue to serve Grab and Go meals at our eleven existing meal sites beginning Friday, June 12 through Tuesday, June 30 between the hours of 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. CCPS will serve Summer Meals throughout the summer months until August 14; however, we are awaiting direction from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) regarding our Summer Meals Program beyond **June 30. More information will follow.**

CCPS meal distribution sites can provide parents food without their child being present. However, the pick-up person must be a child's parent or guardian. Parents/guardians must show staff their child's CCPS student identification (ID) badge or report card copy showing their student ID number.

Parents with children not yet enrolled in school should attempt to bring some type of age verification to show to site staff, such as a copy of a birth certificate.

There will be no need for parents to exit their vehicles to obtain the meals. Parents and guardians need only show their child's ID badge or report card to a staff member on site. The 11 meal sites operate 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday. Curbside meals are provided at the following schools:

- Henry E. Lackey High School;
- Maurice J. McDonough High School;
- St. Charles High School;
- Westlake High School;
- Milton M. Somers Middle School;
- Dr. Thomas L. Higdon Elementary;
- Indian Head Elementary School;

- Mt. Hope/Nanjemoy Elementary School;
- Dr. Samuel A. Mudd Elementary School;
- J.C. Parks Elementary School; and
- J.P. Ryon Elementary School.

Parents can pick up the following for their child daily: one breakfast, one lunch, one dinner and a snack. Any requests from parents asking for additional meals on the same service day at other sites will not be honored. Visit the CCPS website at [www.ccboe.com](http://www.ccboe.com) for the latest information.

#### **Closure:**

Nothing new to report.

State Superintendent of Schools Karen Salmon announced all Maryland public schools will remain closed until the end of the 2019-20 school year. Distance learning will continue for Charles County Public Schools students. All schools, buildings and centers will remain closed to the public.

#### **Instruction:**

Nothing new to report.

The final round of learning packets for elementary school students will be at meal sites starting May 28. There are no additional packets for secondary students. Starting on June 1, middle and high school teachers will use Teams for the final two weeks of instruction. Teams lessons are canceled for high school students on the day of their school's in-person graduation event.

As Charles County Public Schools (CCPS) moves into the fifth and sixth weeks of distance learning, new assignments are now available for students online at [www.ccboe.com](http://www.ccboe.com). Paper packets with the new material are available at our 11 meal distribution sites. New paper packets are being distributed May 18-29.

#### **Community Wifi:**

Nothing new to report.

Access point equipment has not arrived in shipping as of yet. No construction on this project has begun.

All four sites are up and running and seeing use. CCPS in process of 3 other additional WiFi sites, will enable students and staff to access CCPS network not just the internet. Installation will begin once equipment arrives at Dr. Mudd Elementary, Somers Middle School, and Gail Bailey Elementary School, adding to the other four hot spots of Piccowaxen Middle School, Henson Middle School, TC Martin Elementary School, and Mt. Hope Nanjemoy Elementary School.

#### **Misc:**

Respectfully submitted by Michael Meiser





# ***Charles County Volunteer Firemen's Association, Inc.***

Post Office Box #21, La Plata, Maryland 20646

June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Re: Volunteer Fire/EMS Brief - June 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>

**Items Being Worked On:**

- Reduction of Force Policy – *Information gathering occurring.*
- Non COVID Related – Civil Disturbance Response Policy

**Stations/Apparatus:**

- No Station's with contamination issues.
- No Apparatus with any contamination issues.

**Personnel Exposure:**

None

**Incidents/Call Volume:**

- No Major Incidents to Report related to COVID-19
- Wednesday June 10<sup>th</sup> - EMS Call Volume was average, and Fire Call Volume was average  
55 EMS Related Incidents ----- 20 Fire Related Incidents
- Thursday June 11<sup>th</sup> - EMS Call Volume was average, and Fire Call Volume was above below  
average  
47 EMS Related Incidents ----- 14 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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