The following is an information update from the Lincoln County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) provided by the Lincoln County Public Information Officer (PIO). Lincoln County will update this report regularly and will repost to the County Website, share on social media and share with local media, public safety and government partners.

**Coronavirus Cases Update**

March 20, 4:00pm

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<td>114</td>
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**Safety Message:**

- Check on neighbors, friends, family, and outdoor animals to make sure they have the resources they need to be safe during this public health emergency. Calling or texting is better than in person updates.
- Follow social distancing practices.
- Self-care is important. Take walks, listen to music, talk on the phone with a loved one.
- Continue to use proper handwashing and cleaning practices.

**Testing Update**

- Testing kits remain in short supply across the state.
- If you are sick and normally wouldn’t go to the doctor, stay home and take care of yourself.
- If you are sick and normally wouldn’t go to the hospital, but are concerned about symptoms, call your doctor.
- If you are very sick and think you need be in the hospital, call the hospital first. They will talk to you and help you decide what to do. If you can’t drive yourself, call 911 let them know what your symptoms are.
Welfare Checks:

- Any emergency or threat to life should go directly to 911.
- Call friends, neighbors or family to check on them. Avoid going to their home and practice physical distancing of six feet if you do visit them.

Shelters and Warming Centers:

Motel Voucher Program for Unsheltered Homeless

Business Resources:

- Oregon Coast Community College Small Business Development Center
  - Oregon Rapid Response and Layoff Aversion Information and Contacts
  - Temporary Rules for Unemployment Insurance Benefits Flexibility
  - Tax Relief
  - Special Programming to Address the Coronavirus
  - Small Business Administration Declaration
- CDC
- County Media Release - March 13, 2020 Business Resources:
  https://www.co.lincoln.or.us/hhs/page/covid-19-resources-business-and-employees
- County Media Release - March 12, 2020 Guidance for Employers:
  https://www.co.lincoln.or.us/hhs/page/oha-releases-business-guidance-regarding-covid-19

Health and Medical Resources:

- If you have a non-emergency medical supply need (meds, oxygen, supplies) contact your primary care provider/supplier first. If this is a medical emergency call 911.

Food and Water Resources:

- Lincoln County School District is Closed to Students from Monday, March 16 through Tuesday, April 28. Students can find meals provided at no charge during this closure. Food delivery will continue through Spring Break on Tuesday and Thursday.
- El Distrito Escolar del Condado de Lincoln está cerrado para los estudiantes desde el lunes 16 de marzo hasta el martes 28 de abril. Los estudiantes pueden encontrar comidas proporcionadas sin cargo durante este cierre. Food delivery will continue through Spring Break on Tuesday and Thursday.

Animal Resources:

Lincoln County Animal Shelter is not open for volunteers, adoptions, or animal intake.
How can I get updated information from Lincoln County:

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Where can I go to get information from other Agencies:

The following information is copied directly from federal, state websites and share as links to go directly to that information resource.

**FEDERAL**

**Whitehouse**

- 15 Days to Slow the Spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19)
- 15 Días para desacelerar la propagación

**Department of State**

Global Health Advisory of Level 4 – Do Not Travel

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)**


3/19/2020

- Cases & Latest Updates
- Caring for someone at home

3/18/2020

- Prepare to Care for COVID-19: Get Your Practice Ready
- COVID-19 in a Long-Term Care Facility — King County, Washington, February 27–March 9, 2020
- Severe Outcomes Among Patients with Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) — United States, February 12–March 16, 2020
3/17/2020 (posted after 8 AM)

- Strategies for Optimizing Supply of N95 Respirators
- Strategies for Optimizing the Supply of PPE
- Schools, Workplaces & Community Locations
- People with Asthma and COVID-19
- Strategies for Optimizing the Supply of Facemasks
- Strategies for Optimizing the Supply of Eye Protection
- Strategies for Optimizing the Supply of Isolation Gowns
- Environmental Cleaning and Disinfection Recommendations

Prior Updates

- Get Your Mass Gatherings or Large Community Events Ready Sunday, March 15, 2020
- Testing for COVID-19 Saturday, March 14, 2020
- Symptoms & Testing Saturday, March 14, 2020
- Protect your home Saturday, March 14, 2020
- If You Are Sick Saturday, March 14, 2020
- Caring for Someone Who Is Sick Saturday, March 14, 2020
- Cases & Latest Updates Saturday, March 14, 2020
- Protect Your Family Saturday, March 14, 2020
- How to Prepare Saturday, March 14, 2020

U.S. Department of Education


- Fact Sheet: Addressing the Risk of COVID-19 in Schools While Protecting the Civil Rights of Students
- OCR Short Webinar on Online Education and Physical Accessibility  Webinar
- CDC guidance on Considerations for School Closures (March 13, 2020)

U.S. Department of Labor (OSHA)

Main page: https://www.dol.gov/coronavirus

Small Business Administration


- SBA to Provide Disaster Assistance Loans for Small Businesses Impacted by Coronavirus (COVID-19)

TRIBE

Main Page: http://www.ctsi.nsn.us/umpqua-contact-siletz-indian-tribe/

- Chinook Winds Casino closed through March 3-18-20
- Siletz Tribal Administrative Offices closed to walk-ins clients 3-17-20

STATE

Governor’s Office

Main Page: https://www.oregon.gov/newsroom/Pages/Agency.aspx?page=0&pageSize=10&agency=GOV

- Governor Kate Brown Announces New Order to Preserve Surgical Masks, Gowns, and Gloves 3-18-20
- Governor Kate Brown Announces New Executive Order For Higher Education Institutions 3-18-20
- Governor Kate Brown Announces New Statewide Actions on COVID-19 3-16-20
- Governor Kate Brown Extends Statewide School Closure Until April 28, Releases Executive Orders 3-17-20
- Governor Kate Brown Statement on First Oregon COVID-19 Fatality
- Press Release: Governor Kate Brown Issues Orders on COVID-19, March 12, 2020
- Updated Mitigation Measures on Coronavirus Response, March 12, 2020
- Executive Order 20-05: Prohibiting Large Gatherings Due to Coronavirus Outbreak in Oregon

Oregon Health Authority

Main Page: http://www.healthoregon.org/coronavirus/

- Daily OHA Update 3-19-2020
- There are 88 confirmed positive cases in Oregon in 14 counties. At this time there are 0 confirmed in Lincoln County.
- 1,854 tests have been completed at the State lab, 1,329 were negative, 437 are pending.
Oregon Secretary of State

- Small Business applications – need to be applied through County.
- Executive Order No. 20-05 Prohibiting Large Gatherings due to Coronavirus [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ikBiqI-OM_mllxdITdkWU7OglJJK3XpU/view](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ikBiqI-OM_mllxdITdkWU7OglJJK3XpU/view)

Oregon Department of Human Services

Self-Sufficiency Programs office remains open. Please call for more information – 541-265-2248

Oregon Department of Education


- Impact of COVID-19 on ELPA Assessments
- FAQ for Oregon’s School District Leaders Responding to COVID-19 (Updated March 15, 2020)
- Governor Kate Brown Announces Statewide School Closure for Students in Oregon from Monday, March 16 through Tuesday, March 31 [https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/ORED/bulletins/280e897](https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/ORED/bulletins/280e897)

Oregon Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC)

Main Page: [https://www.oregon.gov/highered/about/Pages/COVID19.aspx](https://www.oregon.gov/highered/about/Pages/COVID19.aspx)

- HECC COVID-19 Guidance to Private Oregon-based Degree-granting Colleges Authorized by HECC
- Key Information for Oregon College and University Campus Communities about the 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19) [updated March 13, 2020](https://www.oregon.gov/highered/about/Resources/COVID19Resources.aspx)
- ECC COVID-19 Guidance to Private Career Schools, March 13, 2020
- ACUE Online/Remote Teaching Toolkit: The Association of College and University Educators has published a free toolkit for helping to make a quick transition into an online environment.

State Courts

- State Courts’ schedules and directives are set by the Presiding Judge and can be found on the state court website at [Lincoln County Circuit Court](https://www.court.gov/)

State Parks

- Temporary Camping closures announced for Oregon state parks, forests and wildlife areas
COUNTY

Main Page: https://www.co.lincoln.or.us/covid

- Lincoln County Parks status
- Media Release 3-17-2020 Public Access Closures announced for some County departments
- Media Release 3-13-2020 County Operations and Emergency Declaration
- Media Release 3-13-2020 Resources for Business and Employees
- Media Release 3-12-2020 OHA Releases business guidance regarding COVID-19

CITY

Lincoln City
Emergency Declaration through April 8, 2020

Newport
City updates online

Siletz
City offices closed through Friday March 20, 2020.

Toledo
City Updates online

- City of Newport declares State of Emergency 3-16-2020
- The City of Newport has closed its Library, 60+ Activity Center, Recreation Center, and Aquatic Center. The Newport Fire Department is fully operational, but closed to the public. There is limited access to the Newport City Hall. The Newport Municipal Court is canceled until April 29.

Waldport
City Updates online

- Community Center events cancelled for 30 days: 3-13-2020
- Meals on Wheels still open – delivery only 800-282-6194

Yachats
Main website

- City closures announced 3-17-2020
HOSPITAL AND HEALTHCARE

Samaritan Health Updates:

- Testing centers begin in Linn, Benton and Lincoln County 3-19-20
- General https://www.samhealth.org/health-services/coronavirus-information
- Visitor Restrictions https://www.samhealth.org/about-samaritan/news-search/2020/03/14/samaritan-issues-visitors-restrictions

OTHER

Mortuary Services – Local services Facebook Live describing preparations