

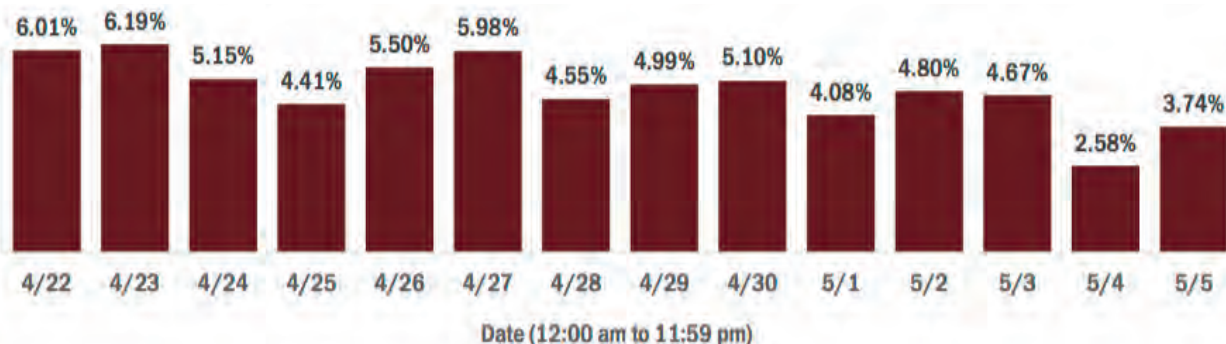
# COVID-19 SITUATION REPORT #12

MAY 7, 2020

## Percent positivity for new cases

The percent of positive results ranged from 3% to 6% over the past 2 weeks and was 4% yesterday.

This percent is the number of people who test positive for the first time divided by all the people tested that day, excluding people who have previously tested positive.



## CDC REOPENING AMERICA GUIDANCE

Guidance for Cleaning and Disinfecting

Cleaning and Disinfecting Decision Tool

INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL FOR YOUR WORKPLACE

RETURN TO WORK CONSIDERATIONS

REEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE RESOURCE GUIDE – COVID 19

RURAL DEVELOPMENT COVID-19 RESPONSE



## CURRENT\* COVID-19 CASES IN BIG BEND REGION

\*updated as of 5.7.2020 at 2:00pm

COUNTY	TOTAL CASES	HOSPITALIZATIONS
Calhoun	19	3
Franklin	2	0
Gadsden	120	22
Gulf	1	0
Jackson	23	1
Jefferson	28	7
Liberty	70	0
Leon	243	40
Madison	61	4
Taylor	3	0
Wakulla	29	5



One Blood is asking for individuals who have recovered from COVID-19 to donate plasma. For more information, click [here](#).

STATE & FEDERAL RESOURCES

BIG BEND  
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# Big Bend Health Care Coalition

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## CORONAVIRUS: CHARACTERISTICS OF 37,020 FLORIDA RESIDENT CASES

Data verified as of May 6, 2020 at 10am; Data in this report are provisional and subject to change.

Age group	Cases	Hospitalizations	Deaths
0-4 years	205   1%	13   0%	0   0%
5-14 years	443   1%	10   0%	0   0%
15-24 years	2,812   8%	90   1%	0   0%
25-34 years	5,461   15%	312   5%	12   1%
35-44 years	5,567   15%	550   8%	28   2%
45-54 years	6,631   18%	845   13%	65   4%
55-64 years	6,285   17%	1,140   17%	159   10%
65-74 years	4,612   12%	1,423   22%	347   23%
75-84 years	3,033   8%	1,310   20%	464   30%
85+ years	1,961   5%	864   13%	464   30%
Unknown	10   0%	0   0%	0   0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>37,020</b>	<b>6,557</b>	<b>1,539</b>

Gender	Cases
Male	18,448   50%
Female	18,550   50%
Unknown	22   0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>37,020</b>



EXPANDED EXPLANATION  
FOR COVID ANTIBODY  
TESTING PROBLEMS

GOVERNOR DESANTIS' EXECUTIVE ORDERS



For resource requests in  
your county please contact  
your local emergency  
management office.

## AHCA Nursing Home Transfers

To prevent the spread of COVID-19 at long-term care and residential facilities, ACHA has issued Emergency Rule 59AER20-1 which requires COVID-19 testing by hospitals of all patients, regardless of symptoms, prior to discharge.

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## PROBLEMS WITH COVID-19 ANTIBODY TESTING – EXPANDED EXPLANATION

By Daniel Van Durme, MD, MPH

This week there was a major roll-out at both LabCorp and Quest to directly market to patients their ability to get antibody testing for COVID-19. This included "QuestDirect" where patients can order their own testing (for \$119) without a doctor's order. Patients will be requesting and may get the testing themselves and ask for an interpretation from their physician. The following will hopefully help clinicians to help patients navigate the complexities of these tests and the results.

## CORE CONCEPTS - REMINDERS

- We still do not know **WHAT LEVEL** of antibodies will provide protection from re-infection.

- We also do not know **HOW LONG** any protection will last.

- Some of these tests show **CROSS REACTIVITY** (or positive results) from other benign coronaviruses that cause mild upper respiratory illnesses.

Bottom line – we risk causing very real harm to our patients and the population if we simply order the test and then tell patients they are or are not immune. We need to proceed thoughtfully and communicate clearly. If a patient presents with results. We **MUST** learn more about their specific scenario (and pre-test likelihood or probability) before we attempt to explain and interpret the results for them. **CONTINUE READING...**

## ESS INFORMATION FOR REPORTING FACILITIES

- ESS is critically important for the State to anticipate demand in the hospital & sub-acute care setting. This data influences decisions on the need for additional support and equipment requests from federal government.
- Facilities **MUST** verify and update data 2x daily.
- ESS is adding more fields daily. Instructions on these new fields available on the AHCA ESS website.
- Hospitals should estimate the number of med surge beds that can be converted to ICU beds. Do not duplicate bed numbers in different categories. Start with highest acuity beds.
- Corporate Representatives can be established to monitor data entry at individual facilities. Contact AHCA for assistance

## SURGEON GENERAL'S PRIORITIES

### Florida's 5 STEPS to Prevent COVID-19

#### 1 STOP INTRODUCTION

Stop Introduction into Florida from out of state.

#### 2 TEST, TEST, TEST

Leverage testing capabilities & work to expand capacity.

#### 3 ELDERLY & VULNERABLE PROTECTION

Protect the elderly by increased mitigation and messaging at assisted living centers, nursing homes, and other special facilities.

#### 4 PREPARE HOSPITALS

Assess the potential impacts and course of action for hospitals and bed capacity.

#### 5 SOCIAL DISTANCING

Continue to message social distancing.

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