**COVID.SD.GOV**
*(9/14/2020)*

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<td>Deaths</td>
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<td>16,638</td>
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<td>163,956</td>
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**% Progress**

- July Goal: 44,233 Tests: 106%
- August Goal: 44,233 Tests: 122%
- September Goal: 44,233 Tests: 60%

**14-Day Trend of Positive Cases by Date Reported to SD-DOH**

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Date Reported to SD-DOH

- Positive Cases
- 14-Day Trend Line
Mass and Sentinel COVID-19 Testing for First Responders

West River—nearing completion
259 completed tests | 8.1% positive

East River testing—through September
SD Emergency Medical Services
Health

Professionalism during a pandemic

• Temperature Checks
  • For on call staff; if symptomatic, contact your PCP
  • HCP are high priority for testing
• Masking on every call
• Protect yourself and your patients as if they have COVID-19
EMT Student Ride Time

Waiver current through September 30, 2020
• We’ll look to extend this closer to mid-September
SD Emergency Medical Services
Health

Workforce Health:
• Handling COVID-19 Anxiety and Stress
• SD 211 Call Center and SDML work
• Self Isolation Guidance (for self and family)
NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) UPDATES AND INFORMATION

Updates | COVID-19 in South Dakota | Trend Data
Precautions to Avoid Illness | If You Develop Symptoms
Community Guidance | Resources in Multiple Languages
For Medical Providers | SD Healthcare Provider Guidance
Hydroxychloroquine Distribution | PEPCOH
SD Registries & Data Collection
CDC Healthcare Provider Guidance | CDC Website
Emergency Medical Services Preparedness

PPE Requests:

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Infection Control in EMS

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COVID-19 Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for Healthcare Personnel

**Preferred PPE – Use N95 or Higher Respirator**
- Face shield or goggles
- N95 or higher respirator
- When respirators are not available, use the best available alternative, like a facemask.
- One pair of clean, non-sterile gloves
- Isolation gown

**Acceptable Alternative PPE – Use Facemask**
- Face shield or goggles
- Facemask
- N95 or higher respirators are preferred but facemasks are an acceptable alternative.
- One pair of clean, non-sterile gloves
- Isolation gown

Recent CDC COVID-19 Publications or Updates

- Interim Guidance for Rapid Antigen Testing for SARS-CoV-2 (8/29/20)
- Guidance for Dental Settings (8/28/20)
- Considerations for Use of SARS-CoV-2 Antigen Testing in Nursing Homes (8/27/20)
- IPC Recommendations in Outpatient Hemodialysis Facilities (8/24/20)
- Discontinuation of Transmission-Based Precautions and Disposition of Patients with COVID-19 in Healthcare Settings (8/10/20)
- Criteria for Return to Work for Healthcare Personnel with SARS-CoV-2 Infection (8/10/20)
CMS Memorandums

- LTC Testing Requirements for Staff and Residents and Revised COVID-19 Focused Survey Tool (8/26/20)
- CLIA Updating Requirements for Reporting of SARS-CoV-2 Test Results (8/26/20)