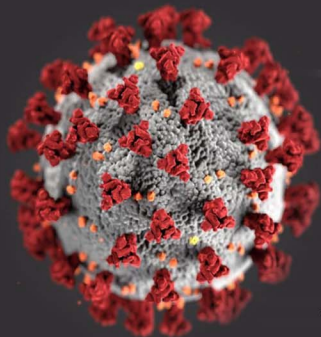


COVID-19:

STATE RESPONSE UPDATE FROM THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



CONFIRMED CASES OF COVID-19 IN ARKANSAS **62**

PERSONS UNDER INVESTIGATION (PUI) **146**

PAST PUIs WITH NEGATIVE TEST RESULTS **351**

PEOPLE BEING MONITORED BY ADH WITH DAILY CHECK-IN & GUIDANCE BECAUSE OF AN IDENTIFIED RISK **509**

➔ EVIDENCE OF INCREASING COMMUNITY SPREAD.

➔ GOVERNOR DIRECTS ON-SITE INSTRUCTION FOR K-12 SCHOOLS TO REMAIN CLOSED THROUGH APRIL 17.

➔ STATE GOVERNMENT TO INCREASE TELECOMMUTING. BUSINESSES ENCOURAGED TO TELECOMMUTE.

➔ HOSPITALS & CLINICS NOW REQUIRED TO SCREEN STAFF AND VISITORS INCLUDING TAKING TEMPERATURE.

➔ BARS & RESTAURANTS IN STATE LIMITED TO DRIVE THRU AND CARRY OUT SERVICES.

➔ INDOOR FACILITIES INCLUDING GYMS TO CLOSE FOR NON-ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS.

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