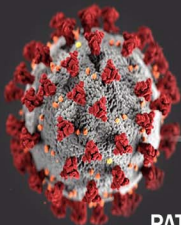


# COVID-19:

## STATE RESPONSE UPDATE FROM THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



<u>CUMULATIVE CASES</u>	584
<u>HOSPITALIZED</u>	56
<u>RECOVERIES</u>	42
<u>DEATHS</u>	10
<u>PATIENTS USING VENTILATORS</u>	25

- ➔ GOVERNOR ANNOUNCES PARTNERSHIP WITH WALMART & QUEST LABORATORIES FOR DRIVE-THROUGH TESTING IN BENTONVILLE FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS & FIRST RESPONDERS.
- ➔ ARKANSAS STATE PARKS ELIMINATES ALL OVERNIGHT USE, CLOSES CEDAR FALLS TRAILS & EAST & WEST SUMMIT TRAILS OF PINNACLE MOUNTAIN.
- ➔ DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AWAITING FEDERAL GUIDANCE FOR SELF-EMPLOYED, CONTRACTORS, GIG ECONOMY WORKERS CONCERNING UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIMS. THE DEPARTMENT CANNOT PROCESS THOSE CLAIMS UNTIL GUIDANCE IS GIVEN.
- ➔ DHS IS NOW CONDUCTING SNAP INTERVIEWS BY PHONE RATHER THAN IN PERSON AS WAS REQUIRED.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2020**