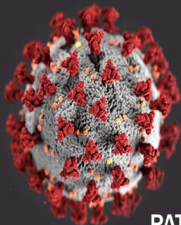


COVID-19:

STATE RESPONSE UPDATE FROM THE
ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



CUMULATIVE CASES 1,569

HOSPITALIZED 83

RECOVERIES 487

DEATHS 33

PATIENTS USING VENTILATORS 26

➡ **PROJECTED PEAK IN ARKANSAS
NOW EXPECTED MAY 2.**

➡ **FEDERAL GOVERNMENT APPROVES
MEDICAID WAIVER TO GIVE DIRECT
CARE WORKERS WEEKLY BONUS PAY.**

➡ **GOVERNOR DIRECTS DHS TO
DEVELOP SIMILAR PACKAGE FOR
NON-PHYSICIAN DIRECT CARE
WORKERS IN HOSPITAL SETTINGS TO
PRESENT TO TASK FORCE.**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2020