



Seneca County EMA Situation Report #95
COVID-19 Response
October 19th, 2020
County EOC Status: Monitoring
State EOC: Activated

Distribution List: Villages, Townships, Seneca County Elected Officials, City of Tiffin Elected Officials, City of Fostoria Elected Officials, Fire Chiefs, Law Enforcement, Seneca County Education Contacts and LEPC/HS and Mental Health Recovery Services

Ohio

Confirmed Cases: 165,627 (+7,370 in the last 72 hours)
Probable: 10,627
Confirmed Deaths: 4,767
Probable Deaths: 308

Seneca County: LEVEL 2 PUBLIC EMERGENCY [Ohio's Public Health Advisory System](#) NEW

Metrics (as of 10/19)

Total Cases: 605 (+35)
Active Cases: 70 (+17)
Deaths: 17 (+/-0)
Recovered: 518 (+18)
Hospitalized: 6 (-1)

Resources:

Ohio ODH: coronavirus.ohio.gov

CDC: [CDC.gov](https://www.cdc.gov)

Seneca County General Health District: senecahealthdistrict.org

Executive Summary

GOVERNOR: There was no press conference today.

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER: The Department of Health has published an amended order for adult day services and senior centers. The new order makes two changes—it lifts the requirement for facilities to test all participants and staff, and clarifies that all participants must wear facial coverings.

Seneca County Commissioners: www.senecacountyohio.gov

Seneca County General Health District: www.senecahealthdept.org

Seneca County Health Commissioner will produce Facebook Live videos with updates from the Health District. This will occur at 10:30 on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month. Videos will

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be archived on Facebook and can be viewed live on the Health Department's and Commissioner's FB pages.

Emergency Management Agency

The EMA will continue to update our partners on the numbers twice a week on Mondays and Thursdays. Please continue to send your information to be shared with our partners to jspahr@senecacountyohio.gov.

Seneca County Regional Planning: senecarpc.org

Blood Collection: www.redcross.org

For a limited time, your blood donation will include an antibody test with results returned to you through your Red Cross Donor App. Go to redcrossblood.org for more information.

Blood Collection Screeners Needed: COVID-19 has disrupted our daily lives, but the need for lifesaving blood hasn't changed. To help protect everyone's safety, we have a need for Donor Screener volunteers (ages 18+) to take the temperatures of blood donors entering American Red Cross blood drives or donation centers.

In this volunteer position you can volunteer just once or multiple times, the choice is yours!

Apply now at www.redcross.org/volunteer

For more information or questions, please contact Melanie Collins at Melanie.Collins4@redcross.org or 330-204-6615.

Mental Health and Recovery Board of Seneca, Sandusky and Wyandot Counties: www.mhrsbsw.org

City of Tiffin: www.tiffinohio.gov

Job and Family Services: <https://djfs.co.seneca.oh.us/>

UNEMPLOYMENT: Ohioans filed 20,090 initial applications for unemployment compensation last week, according to the Department of Job and Family Services. The total represented an 8% increase from the prior week, when residents filed 18,592 new jobless claims.

Last week marked the fourth consecutive week initial unemployment applications have increased in the state. ODJFS reported Ohioans filed 287,049 continued jobless claims last week, down from 299,030 the previous week.

The agency said it has sent more than \$6.9 billion in unemployment compensation payments to more than 821,000 residents over the past 30 weeks.

The U.S. Department of Labor reported 898,000 new jobless claims were filed nationwide last week, up 53,000 from the previous week's revised total.

Education: <http://www.ncoesc.org/>

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Tiffin-Seneca Public Library: <http://tiffinsenecalibrary.org>

OSS Solid Waste District: <https://recycleoss.org/>

Economic Recovery (Seneca County): <https://www.tiffinchamber.com/coronavirus-resources>

This situational report will be sent around 4 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays and as needed on other weekdays and weekends.

If you wish to update or add information to this report, please send it to the EMA at jspahr@senecacountyohio.gov by 2:30 p.m. each publishing day.

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