

WEEKLY INCIDENT BRIEF - COVID-19

06/29/2020 – 07/06/20

Purpose of Weekly Incident Brief This Weekly Incident Brief provides resources for businesses seeking economic relief, information for workplaces, and guidance for donating services or supplies. In comparison, the Daily Brief provides more detailed information about the evolving COVID-19 situation, including travel and transit impacts and the number of COVID-19 cases in the City by borough.

Incident Summary

NYC Emergency Management continues to coordinate with our partners at the City, State, and Federal levels as well as the private sector in response to COVID-19. As of June 28, 2020, there are 208,763 COVID-19 positive cases in New York City. Additionally:

- Per [CDC guidance](#), employers should not require a positive COVID-19 test result or a healthcare provider's note for employees who are sick to validate their illness, qualify for sick leave, or to return to work.
- Governor Cuomo [released a guide](#) to the state's "NY Forward Reopening" Plan, along with the state's [regional monitoring dashboard](#).
- Information about reopening New York can be found [here](#).
- Governor Cuomo announced the implementation of a new [early warning dashboard](#) to monitor and review how the virus is being contained on an ongoing basis.

There are no specific vaccines or treatments available for this novel coronavirus, or any other coronavirus. However, medication and vaccine research continues.

Overview

Situational Overview	
NYCEM Operations Center Activation Level	I
Declaration in Effect	Governor Cuomo Announces Five Regions Will Enter Phase Three of Reopening
Alternate Side Parking & Street Cleaning	Alternate Side Parking (ASP) regulations are back in effect beginning on June 29th

Stakeholder Calls

Organizer	Date and Time	Details
NYCEM & DOHMH	Wednesday July 1 1:00PM	Weekly Private Sector COVID-19 Webex [REDACTED]
SBS	Wednesday July 8 12:00PM	Guidelines for Reopening Phase I and II Businesses Register here
CDC	Wednesday June 24 12:00PM	Is Your Business Prepared for Events and Gatherings? Register here

Weather Outlook

Daily Temperature Forecast For Central Park (10028) as of Mon 6/29 06:00 AM								
	Mon (06/29)	Tue (06/30)	Wed (07/01)	Thu (07/02)	Fri (07/03)	Sat (07/04)	Sun (07/05)	Mon (07/06)
Heat Index (F)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Max Temp (F)	87	82	79	83	88	79	87	90
Min Temp (F)	70	69	69	72	67	68	68	72
Weather	Chance of Storms	Thunder Storms	Chance of Thunder Storms	Sunny, Chance of Storms	Partly Sunny	Partly Cloudy	Chance of Thunder Storms	Mostly Sunny

FEMA Exercise Starter Kit for COVID-19 Reconstitution Plans

- As organizations across the country plan for when and how to resume full operations while protecting the well-being and safety of their employees and communities, FEMA has created an [Exercise Starter Kit](#) to help organizations facilitate their own internal workshops based on reconstitution planning principles and a FEMA fact sheet on ["Planning Considerations for Organizations in Reconstituting Operations During the COVID-19 Pandemic."](#)

Relief For Small Businesses

- The City will provide relief for small businesses across the City seeing a reduction in revenue because of COVID-19. Visit this [link](#) to learn more about financial assistance for businesses impacted by COVID-19, fill out an interest [form](#) and much more.
- The **Small Business Administration (SBA)** will offer Small Businesses impacted by Coronavirus (COVID-19) **up to \$2 million in Economic Injury Disaster Loan Assistance (EIDL)**. Please click [here](#) to check your eligibility and apply.
- The **Small Business Administration (SBA)** will offer loans up to \$10 million to small businesses with less than 500 employees affected by COVID-19 through the **Paycheck Protection Program**. SBA will forgive loans if all employees are kept on the payroll for eight weeks and the money is used for payroll, rent, mortgage interest, or utilities. For eligibility and application information, please click [here](#).
- The \$100M [New York Forward Loan Fund](#) will provide loans to small businesses, focusing on minority and women owned small businesses that did not receive federal COVID-19 assistance.

NYC Employee Retention Grant Program

- The City is offering small businesses with fewer than 5 employees a grant to cover 40% of payroll costs for two months to help retain employees. Visit the Department of Small Business Services website [here](#).

Federal Service Offerings

- If you have **medical supplies or equipment to donate**, please provide us details on what you are offering through our online medical supplies and equipment form at <https://www.fema.gov/covid19offers>.
- If you are interested in **doing business with FEMA** and supporting the response to COVID-19 with your company's **non-medical** goods and/or services, please submit your inquiry to the Department of Homeland Security's Procurement Action Innovative Response (PAIR) team at DHSIndustryLiaison@hq.dhs.gov.

Test and Trace: Mayor de Blasio Builds Out Tracing and Isolation Operation

- The FDA has approved New York State to authorize the state's 28 public and private labs to begin manual, semi-automated and automated testing for novel coronavirus, or COVID-19. For more information, [click here](#).

Resources

- [DOHMH - Coronavirus Updates](#)
 - [DOHMH - Stop the Spread of Coronavirus Flyer \(PDF\)](#)
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- o [New York State: Phase One Industries](#)
- o [DOHMH – Emergency Preparedness for Communities and Businesses](#)
- o [DOT- Special Traffic Advisory](#)
- o [FDNY -Guidance for Opening Businesses Safely](#)
- o [NYCEM – Business Plan Templates](#)
- o [NYCEM – Business Resources and Programs](#)
- o [NYC Nonprofits – Business Continuity During COVID-19](#)
- o [SBS – Guidance for Business Owners](#)
- o [SBA – COVID-19 Resources](#)
- o [CDC – Interim Guidance for Businesses and Employers](#)
- o [CDC – Information for Communities, Schools, and Businesses](#)
- o [CDC – Environmental Cleaning and Disinfection Recommendations – Community Facilities](#)
- o [DOL – Guidance for Preparing Workplaces for Coronavirus](#)
- o [DOL – OSHA Resources for Workers and Employers on COVID-19](#)
- o [WHO – Get Your Workplace Ready for COVID-19](#)
- o [CISA – Risk Management for COVID-19](#)
- o [EPA – Disinfectants for Use Against COVID-19](#)
- o [FEMA - COVID-19 Response](#)
- o [FEMA - COVID-19 Rumor Control](#)

Transportation Outlook

Local transportation updates are available in the Daily Brief.

Transportation Outlook	
International Alerts	See the CDC's current risk assessment levels by country

