Seattle King County NAACP Health Committee Coronavirus Watch
7/31/20

Coronavirus remains a serious threat!

CURRENT OVERVIEW
▲ = increase compared to 7/24/20 update

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<th>Location</th>
<th>Confirmed Cases</th>
<th>Total Deaths</th>
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<td>Global</td>
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<td>Washington</td>
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<td>King County</td>
<td>15,025 ▲ 999</td>
<td>649 ▲ 6</td>
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Data source: Johns Hopkins University Coronavirus Resource Center & WA State Department of Health (DOH)
Data reflects the most accurate figures available as of 7pm PST on Fridays
▲ = increase in cases/deaths

New Updates from the Office of the Governor (Washington State):
• Several updates were made to the Safe Start plan (additional details in “Important Reminders”) in response to the growing number of COVID-19 cases we continue to experience:
  o Service in restaurants, taverns, breweries, wineries, and distilleries has been modified effective 7/30/20 in order to maximize safety for patrons and staff (full list in link)
  o All live entertainment is prohibited as of 7/20/20, with the exception of members of the same household maintaining a social distance minimum of 10 feet (outdoors and wearing masks)
  o For more information, visit: https://www.governor.wa.gov/news-media/inslee-releases-updated-reopening-guidance

Seattle Public Schools Update:
• Superintendent Juneau is recommending to the School Board that Seattle Public Schools start the 2020-21 school year remotely; the School Board will vote on this recommendation as well as an associated plan for Fall 2020 on August 12th – STAY TUNED FOR UPDATES! [7/24/20]
  o For more information, visit: https://www.seattleschools.org/district/calendars/news/what_s_new/planning_for_re-entry

Important Reminders:
• Per the WA State Department of Health, face masks/coverings are required for indoor public settings and/or when outdoors and unable to maintain 6 feet of physical distance from others, in order to help prevent the spread of the coronavirus. Gatherings are limited to 5 individuals [https://coronavirus.wa.gov/information-for/you-and-your-family/face-masks-or-cloth-face-covering, effective 6/26/20 until further notice]
• Recent changes to the Safe Start plan (including updated timelines):
  o Gatherings for Phase 2 counties (such as King) remains limited to 5 people; the Phase 3 gathering limit is 10 people [effective 7/20/20]
- Face coverings/masks are required in all common spaces [effective 7/25/20]
- Restaurants and bars will require indoor diners to be members of the same household, in addition to other restrictions [effective 7/30/20]
- Gyms/fitness centers will be limited to 5 people for Phase 2 counties, and 25% capacity (Phase 3 counties) [effective 7/30/20]
- Indoor family entertainment/recreation centers and indoor card rooms are prohibited from opening. Indoor movie theater occupancy will be 25% (Phase 3 counties) [7/30/20]
- New Safe Start guidance regarding weddings and funerals will go into effect on 8/10: occupancy will be limited to 20% capacity or 30 people with 6ft distances maintained. Receptions will be prohibited, though the ceremonies themselves will continue to be permitted.
- For more information, visit: https://medium.com/wagovernor/inslee-announces-rollbacks-to-some-activities-to-slow-covid-19-exposure-19003e510127

- The eviction moratorium for WA will be extended to 10/15/20, and Governor’s Office staff will work with landlords and tenants in workgroups to discuss additional support [https://www.governor.wa.gov/news-media/inslee-extends-safe-start-proclamation-eviction-moratorium, 7/25/20]
- Businesses statewide will not be able to serve visitors who are not wearing face masks, and are directed to require and enforce the use of face coverings, per Gov. Jay Inslee’s extension of the Safe Start proclamation. Businesses risk closure and potential business license revocation. [https://www.governor.wa.gov/news-media/inslee-extends-safe-start-proclamation-issues-facial-coverings-guidance, effective 7/7/20]
- Gov. Jay Inslee issued a proclamation related to the DSHS Family Emergency Assistance Program (FEAP). DSHS is authorized to expand eligibility for the FEAP to include individuals and families without children. This proclamation is effective immediately and will expire at the end of the state of emergency. [https://www.governor.wa.gov/news-media/inslee-issues-proclamation-related-family-emergency-assistance-program, effective 7/9/20]
- The U.S. Small Business Administration’s Paycheck Protection Program has resumed accepting applications with a deadline of 8/8/20, to provide small businesses with funding to keep workers on payroll. [https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/paycheck-protection-program, effective 7/6/20]

Additional Resources:
- COVID-19 testing locations: in addition to testing through your health care provider, free and low-cost testing is available at several King county locations. Call the King County COVID-19 Call Center at 206-477-3977 (7 days/week, 8am-7pm PST) or visit the King County Public Health website. [https://www.kingcounty.gov/depts/health/covid-19/care/testing/locations.aspx]
- Need internet access to keep up with important updates? Use the Washington State Department of Commerce’s Drive-In WIFI hotspots Location Finder for FREE emergency internet access, provided as a response to the impacts of COVID-19. [https://www.commerce.wa.gov/building-infrastructure/washington-state-drive-in-wifi-hotspots-location-finder/]
• **Mental and emotional support – Washington Listens** is offering FREE support specialists to help with managing stress due to COVID-19. **Call 1-833-681-0211** (TTY and language access services are available). [https://coronavirus.wa.gov/information-for/you-and-your-family/mental-and-emotional-well-being]

• **The Washington State COVID-19 Assistance hotline** is available to provide information about COVID-19: **call 1-800-525-0127 or text “Coronavirus” to 211-211**. They are available Monday-Friday from 6am-10pm PST, and Saturday-Sunday (+state holidays) from 8am-6pm PST.

• **For a full list of city, community, county, state, and federal resources** call the **City of Seattle Customer Service Bureau** (Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5pm PST) at **206-684-CITY** (206-684-2489), or visit Mayor Durkan’s COVID-19 Resources for Community webpage. [https://www.seattle.gov/mayor/covid-19]