

# COVID-19 Update

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What has changed since March 3?

# US COVID-19 Cases

- Total cases: 33,404
- Total deaths: 400
- Jurisdictions reporting cases: 54 (50 states, District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, and US Virgin Islands)

# Sources of Transmission

Travel-related	449
Close contact	539
Under investigation	32,416
<b>Total cases</b>	<b>33,404</b>

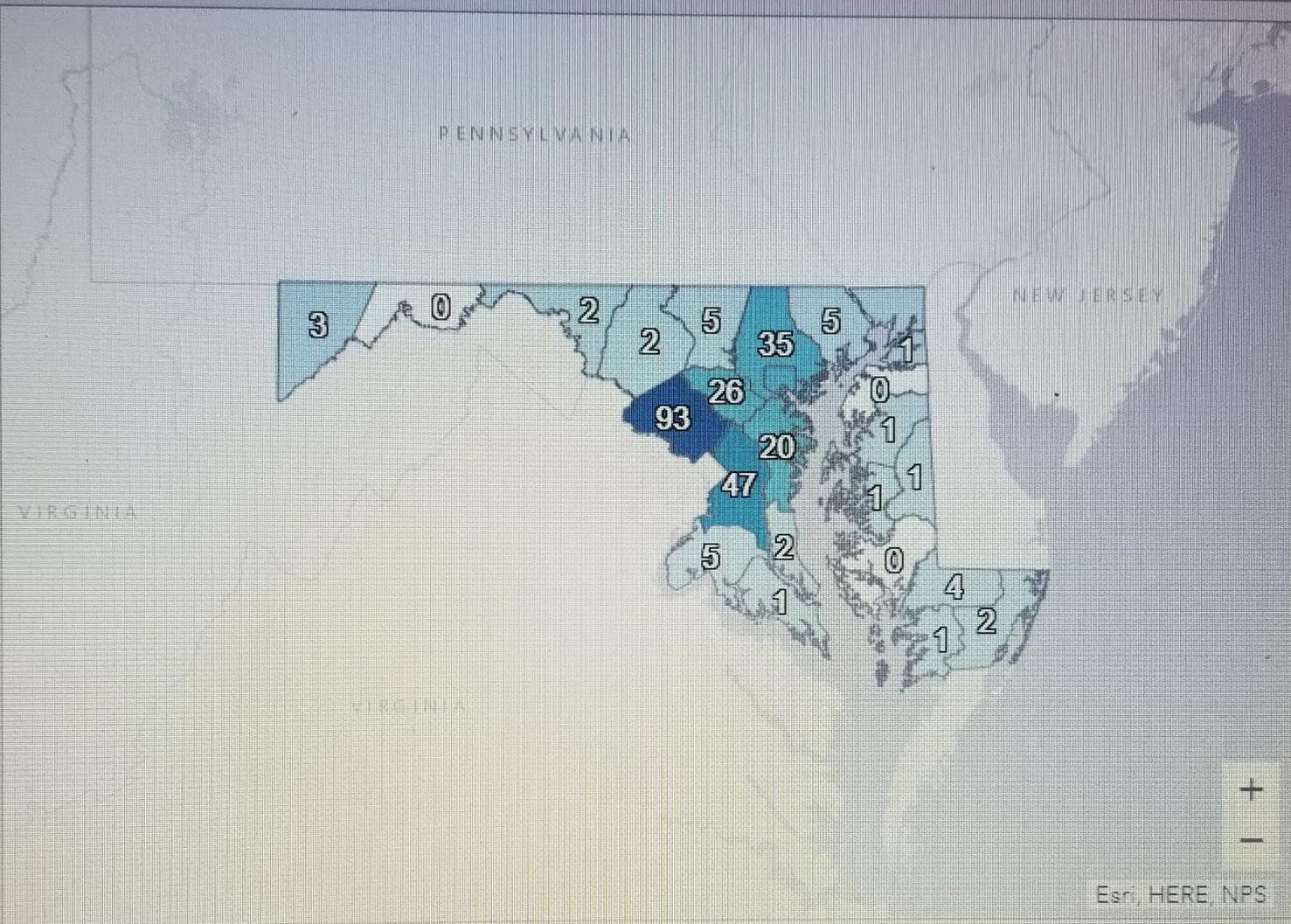
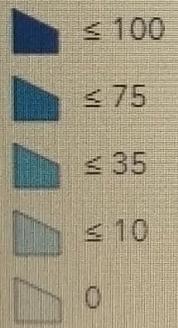
# Maryland COVID-19 Case Map Dashboard

Confirmed Cases

# 288

Maryland COVID-19 Cases

Total Confirmed



Affected Counties

- Montgomery - 93
- Prince George's - 47
- Baltimore - 35
- Baltimore City - 31
- Howard - 26
- Anne Arundel - 20
- Carroll - 5
- Charles - 5
- Harford - 5

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# Testing prioritization

Clinicians should use their judgment to determine if a patient has signs and symptoms compatible with COVID-19 and whether the patient should be tested. Most patients with confirmed COVID-19 have developed fever<sup>1</sup> and/or symptoms of acute respiratory illness (e.g., cough, difficulty breathing). Priorities for testing may include:

- Hospitalized patients who have signs and symptoms compatible with COVID-19 in order to inform decisions related to infection control.
- Other symptomatic individuals such as, older adults and individuals with chronic medical conditions and/or an immunocompromised state that may put them at higher risk for poor outcomes (e.g., diabetes, heart disease, receiving immunosuppressive medications, chronic lung disease, chronic kidney disease).
- Any persons including healthcare personnel<sup>2</sup>, who within 14 days of symptom onset had close contact<sup>3</sup> with a suspect or laboratory-confirmed<sup>4</sup> COVID-19 patient, or who have a history of [travel from affected geographic areas](#)<sup>5</sup> (see below) within 14 days of their symptom onset.

# Logistical updates

## Call center

- Operational 8a-8p
- On-call coverage overnight

## Contact tracing/investigation process

## Testing capacity

## Mitigation strategies

- Screen, triage
- Service, business closures
- Social distancing

## Geomapping, modeling

# Collaborative spirit

- Congressional delegation
- MCPS
- DOCR
- First responders
  - Fire and Rescue
  - MCPD
- SEPH
- Safety net programs

# Surge planning

Hospital	Total Bed Capacity	ICU Capacity	Ventilator Capacity
Adventist- Shady Grove	561	28	28
Adventist- White Oak	213	48	29
Holy Cross Silver Spring	277	46	70
Holy Cross Germantown	75	15	8
Medstar Montgomery	110	12	10
Suburban JH	228	24	22
Total	1464	173	167