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# COVID-19 UPDATE

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*In an effort to keep Delaware's medical community current on the latest information regarding the coronavirus crisis, the Medical Society of Delaware is sharing the following:*

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### **DPH Announces 120 New Positive Cases / Nine Additional Deaths**

According to the Delaware Division of Public Health (DPH) **120** new Delawareans have been diagnosed with COVID-19, taking the total number of lab-confirmed cases to **5,038**, including **300** who are hospitalized, **64** of whom are critically ill.

**One hundred sixty-eight** individuals have died due to COVID-19 in Delaware with ages ranging from 26 to 103 years old. The most recent deaths announced today ranged in age from 30 to 98. Six were New Castle County residents, two were Kent County residents, and one was a Sussex County resident. All nine individuals had underlying health conditions. Eight individuals were residents of long-term care facilities.

Latest statistics on positive cases:

- New Castle County cases: 1,864
- Kent County cases: 793
- Sussex County cases: 2,359
- Unknown County: 22
- Age range: 0 to 103

[Read more.](#)

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### **Next DPH Conference Call Scheduled**

The next Division of Public Health (DPH) conference call for physicians and practice managers will be **Tuesday, May 5th at 6:00 p.m.** This call is to help answer new questions about COVID-19. If you have a question that hasn't

already been answered in previous calls, please submit it before noon on Tuesday. Please read our updated Frequently Asked Question (FAQ) information sheet to see if your question has already been answered. To participate dial **866-506-5180**.

[Read FAQ.](#)

[Submit question.](#)

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*For more information and resources regarding COVID-19, MSD has created a coronavirus resource page on our website. [View resource page.](#)*

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