

+ Information from the ISDH regarding CoronaVirus **below**. Links should be active.
[Interim Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations](#)

2019 Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV)

The Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH) is closely monitoring an outbreak of the 2019 novel (new) coronavirus or 2019-nCoV. This new respiratory virus was first identified in the city of Wuhan in China's Hubei Province and continues to infect people in China and around the world, including the United States.

ISDH is working with federal and local partners to respond to this evolving public health situation. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) reports that the risk of infection in the United States is low, as the virus has had limited person-to-person spread in the United States at this time.

Please consult this page for updated news and guidance on the 2019 n-CoV outbreak. Updates will be made as new information becomes available. Please call the ISDH Epidemiology Resource Center at **317-233-7125 [317-233-1325 after hours]** or e-mail epiresource@isdh.in.gov if you experience symptoms such as fever, cough and shortness of breath and have a recent history of travel to China or contact with someone suspected of having 2019-nCoV.

General novel coronavirus (2019-nCoV) information and resources

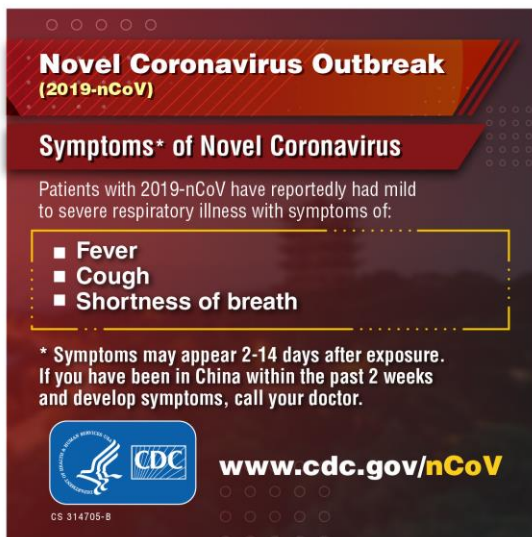
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- **What you need to know**
 - [Coronavirus Infographic](#) (English)
 - [Coronavirus Infographic](#) (Spanish)
 - [Coronavirus Infographic](#) (Chinese)
- [2019 Novel Coronavirus \(2019-nCoV\) in the U.S.](#)
- [Novel Coronavirus: Prevention steps for close contacts \(infographic\)](#)
- [How 2019-nCoV spreads](#)
 - [Symptoms](#)
 - [Prevention & Treatment](#)
 - [What to do if you are sick with 2019 Novel Coronavirus](#)
- [Information for Travelers](#)
 - [Communication resources for travelers](#)
 - [Travelers from China arriving in the US](#)
- [Preventing 2019 Novel Coronavirus \(2019-nCoV\) from Spreading to Others in Homes and Communities](#)
- [Interim Guidance for Businesses and Employers to Plan and Respond to 2019 Novel Coronavirus, February 2020](#)

Information for healthcare professionals

- [Novel Coronavirus Case Definition](#) (revised)
- [Caring for patients with Confirmed or Possible 2019-nCoV Infection](#) (new)
- [Guideline for Isolation Precautions: Preventing Transmission of Infectious Agents in Health Care Settings](#)
- [Interim Guidance for Implementing Home Care of People Not Requiring Hospitalization for 2019 Novel Coronavirus \(2019-nCoV\) or as infographic](#) (updated)
- [2019 Novel Coronavirus Specimen Authorization for Health Care Workers](#)

- [Novel Coronavirus \(2019 n-CoV\) Specimen Authorization Algorithm](#)
 - [Patient Travel Poster](#) (English and Chinese)
 - [Flowchart to Identify and Assess 2019 Novel Coronavirus](#)
 - [Healthcare Supply of Personal Protective Equipment](#)
 - [Interim Considerations for Disposition of Hospitalized Patients with 2019-nCoV Infection](#)
 - [Frequently Asked Questions about Respirators and Their Use](#)
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Information for laboratories

- [2019 Novel Coronavirus Specimen Authorization for Health Care Workers](#)
 - [Interim Guidelines for Collecting, Handling, and Testing Clinical Specimens from Patients Under Investigation \(PUIs\) for 2019 Novel Coronavirus \(2019-nCoV\)](#)
 - [Interim Laboratory Biosafety Guidelines for Handling and Processing Specimens Associated with 2019 Novel Coronavirus \(2019-nCoV\)](#)
 - [LIMSNET Sample Submission](#)
 - [ISDH Virology Paper Submission](#)
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Guidance for healthcare workers and emergency responders

- [Interim Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations for Patients Under Investigation for 2019 Novel Coronavirus](#)
 - [Guideline for Isolation Precautions: Preventing Transmission of Infectious Agents in Health Care Settings](#)
 - [Interim Guidance of Emergency Medical Services and 911 Public Safety Answering Points for 2019-nCoV in the US](#)
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Frequently asked questions and answers

- [CDC novel coronavirus FAQs](#)

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