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Situation Report – Novel Coronavirus – 1/31/2020

Incident Name: novel Coronavirus   **Sit-Rep #5**

Start Date: 1/31/2020   End Date: 2/3/2020

Start Time: 3:00 PM   End Time: 3:00 PM

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The information in this report is current as of: ***1/31/2020 @ 3:00 PM***

Current Situation:

> Public Health – Dayton & Montgomery County, the Ohio Department of Health (ODH) Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and World Health Organization are closely monitoring an outbreak of respiratory illness caused by a novel (new) coronavirus (termed "2019-nCoV") first identified in Wuhan City, Hubei Province, China in December 2019 and which continues to expand.

Current Public Health-Dayton & Montgomery County Updates:

- Public Health will continue to coordinate efforts with ODH and CDC.
- **Public Health is reminding everyone that currently 99% (7,736) of all cases are in China and the remaining 1% (82 cases) is spread over 18 other countries.**
- Public Health has now formed their Incident Management Team (IMT) and is following an ICS structure.
- The IMT will release their first Incident Action Plan (IAP) by the close of business today.
- Public Health will continue to respond to all media requests.
- Public Health and County officials provided an overview of preparedness measures being taken for the coronavirus on January 30, 2020.
- Public Health facilitated a conference call with all local health departments' in the West Central Ohio (WCO) region on January 30, 2020 to review concerns and issues regarding coronavirus.
- Public Health continues to monitor the need for opening an informational hotline if the needed.
- Public Health is developing letter to share with chamber of commerce to answer basic questions on employees who have returned from infected areas within China.
- Public Health will be developing educational information to share with schools K through 12.
- Public Health will continue to share the situational report with other local health departments, Montgomery County Emergency Management, Greater Dayton Area Hospital Association and Dayton Metropolitan Medical Response System partners.

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<mark>CDC Update</mark> (Situation in the US):

Imported cases of 2019-nCoV infection in people have been detected in the U.S.
No person-to-person spread has been detected with this virus at the time,
and this virus is NOT currently spreading in the community in the United States.

People Under Investigation (PUI) in the United States*†

As of 1/31/2020

Positive	6
Negative	114
Pending	121
Total	2415

*Cumulative since January 21, 2020.

†-Numbers closed out at 7 p.m. the night before reporting.

Includes specimens received and awaiting testing, as well as specimens in route to CDC.

Number of states with PUI: 36

<mark>CDC Response Updates:</mark>

- The goal of the ongoing U.S. public health response is to contain this outbreak and prevent sustained spread of 2019-nCov in this country.
- Going forward, CBP officials will monitor for travelers with symptoms compatible with 2019-nCoV infection and a travel connection with China and will refer them to CDC staff for evaluation at all 20 U.S. quarantine stations.
- At the same time, ALL travelers from China will be given CDC's Travel Health Alert Notice, educating those travelers about what to do if they get sick with certain symptoms within 14 days after arriving in the United States.

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==World Health Organization Update:==

Situation In Numbers	
Globally	
7818	**Confirmed**
China	
7736	**Confirmed**
12167	**Suspected**
1370	**Severe**
170	**Deaths**
Outside of China	
82	**Confirmed**
18	**Countries**
WHO Risk Assessment	
China	**Very High**
Regional Level	**High**
Global Level	**High**

• The Emergency Committee on the novel coronavirus (2019-nCoV) under the International Health Regulations (IHR 2005) met on January 30, 2020 to declare a public health emergency of international concern.

• First confirmed cases of 2019-nCoV acute respiratory disease in Finland, India and Philippines; all had travel history to Wuhan City.

• On 29 January, WHO held its third press briefing to provide update on the situation. The audio can be found here.

• WHO recommends that the interim name of the disease causing the current outbreak should be "2019-nCoV acute respiratory disease" (where 'n' is for novel and 'CoV' is for coronavirus). This name complies with the WHO Best Practices for Naming of New Human Infectious Diseases, which were developed through a consultative process among partner agencies. Endorsement for the interim name is being sought from WHO's partner agencies, World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) and Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO). The final name of the disease will be provided by the International Classification of Diseases (ICD). WHO is also proposing '2019-nCoV' as an interim name of the virus. The final decision on the official name of the virus will be made by the International Committee on Taxonomy of Viruses.

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SURVEILLANCE

Table 1. Countries, territories or areas with reported confirmed cases of 2019-nCoV, 30 January 2020

WHO Regional Office	Country/Territory/Area	Confirmed Cases
Western Pacific	China*	7736
	Japan	11
	Republic of Korea	4
	Viet Nam	2
	Singapore	10
	Australia	7
	Malaysia	7
	Cambodia	1
	Philippines	1
South-East Asia	Thailand	14
	Nepal	1
	Sri Lanka	1
	India	1
Region of the Americas	United States of America	5
	Canada	3
European Region	France	5
	Finland	1
	Germany	4
Eastern Mediterranean	United Arab Emirates	4
Total Confirmed cases	Total	7818

*Confirmed cases in China include cases confirmed in Hong Kong SAR (10 confirmed cases), Macau SAR (7 confirmed cases) and Taipei (8 confirmed cases).

Ohio Department of Health Update:

- ODH continues to hold state-wide calls to share information with local health departments and other response organizations.
- ODH continues to stress that the US is considered a low-risk environment.

- ODH acknowledged that they expect CDC will provide and updated HAN concerning expansion of
- ODH explained that there was no concern and ruled out any issues with the sixth case that had visited Cleveland.
- Specimens for Patient Under Investigation (PUI) from Butler County is still pending.
- Provide essential information and updates to reduce racism and poor treatment of PUI's.
- There will be another call with the state tomorrow at 11 AM.

Current Threat Status:

Warning Level 3, Avoid Nonessential Travel.
CDC recommends that travelers avoid all nonessential travel to China.

Current Objectives:

1. Continue surveillance efforts of any possible cases.

2. Continue to monitor the situation in conjunction with the Ohio Department of Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

3. Continue information sharing with partners.

4. Continue to provide information to the media and the public through interviews, social media and our website.

Long-term Planning Considerations:

Continued monitoring and maintaining surveillance locally.

Epidemiology Syndromic Surveillance Summary:

Below are links to both the CDC and WHO regarding the latest information.

- https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html

- https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports

Public Information and Risk Communications:

- Public Information has provided 3 media interviews regarding the virus.

- Public Information has provided links to its website with updated information to Montgomery County and the City of Dayton.
  https://www.phdmc.org/features/311-coronavirus

- Public Health has provided links to our website to the West Central Ohio region.

- Created a flyer with general coronavirus information.