

COVID-19 Update



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COVID-19 Update: March 24, 2020

This is a daily joint communication from the Logan County Department of Public Health and Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital updating you on the status of coronavirus (COVID-19) in Logan County. This communication will come at approximately 6 p.m. each day as necessary.

At the time of this press release, the total number of confirmed cases in Logan County is zero.

Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital Inpatients

These numbers indicate current inpatient numbers at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.			
Date: March 24 as of 3pm			
	COVID-19 Positive NEW TODAY	COVID-19 Persons Under Investigation (PUI)	COVID-19 Deaths
Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital	0	1	0

A person under investigation (PUI) is an ALMH inpatient who has been tested and is awaiting the results of their COVID-19 test. ALMH outpatient patients and hospital inpatients who have been discharged or transferred to another healthcare facility are not included in these numbers.

Logan County Data

The table below represents Logan County residents. This information is updated regularly by the Logan County Department of Public Health and is available at www.lcdph.org. The discrepancy between the number of in patients at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital in the table above and the LCDPH table below is because ALMH may be caring for patients from outside of Logan Counties and because some of the tests are being done by independent labs rather than by the Illinois Department of Public Health/LCDPH.

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Statewide Data

A continually updated map of statewide data is maintained by the Illinois Department of Public Health and available online at: <https://www.dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/diseases-and-conditions/diseases-a-z-list/coronavirus>

Donations Accepted at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital

We are very thankful to the community for being so supportive of our efforts to combat COVID-19 in Logan County and reaching to help with the national shortage during the COVID-19 outbreak. Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital welcomes donations of the following items:

- Protective Eyewear
- Bleach Wipes

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- Hand Sanitizer
- Unused Surgical Type Masks
- Clean, Handmade Sewn Masks
- Unused, Wrapped Gowns
- Unused Exam Gloves (no latex please)
- Alcohol Wipes

For those who wish to make masks, please use this [link](#) (which includes instructions for elastic ties) or this [link](#) (which includes instructions using cotton ties) as a guide.

Items may be dropped off Monday – Friday, between 7am-3pm at the Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital vendor entrance located at the rear of the hospital on the back loading dock. To drop off donations, please ring the door bell and either leave the items on the dock or wait for assistance. The community should be assured that these donations will be received in accordance with CDC guidelines. Questions? Call ALMH at 217-605-5008.

Business Support Services

The Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity can assist local businesses determine whether or not they are considered essential at this time. Business are encouraged to call DCEO at 1-800-252-2923 or e-mail ceo.support@illinois.gov.

The Logan County Department of Public Health is available by phone for local businesses concerned with keeping a safe environment for their employees. Individuals with questions can contact LCDPH by calling 217-732-2317 during their regular business hours of Monday – Friday, between 7:30am – 4:30pm.