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## Public Health Officials Announce 488 New Cases of Coronavirus Disease

**SPRINGFIELD** – The Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) today announced 488 new cases of coronavirus disease (COVID-19) in Illinois, including eight deaths. Approximately 86% of fatalities are among patients 60 years of age and older.

Bureau, Henry, and Iroquois counties are now reporting cases. Currently, IDPH is reporting a total of 3,026 cases, including 34 deaths, in 40 counties in Illinois. The age of cases ranges from younger than one to 99 years.

### Confirmed Cases by Race

- White – 39%
- Black – 28%
- Left blank – 20%
- Other – 9%
- Asian – 4%

### Confirmed Cases by Ethnicity

- Not Hispanic or Latino – 60%
- Left blank – 33%
- Hispanic or Latino – 7%

For all personal protective equipment (PPE) donations, email [PPE.donations@illinois.gov](mailto:PPE.donations@illinois.gov). For health questions about COVID-19, call the hotline at 1-800-889-3931 or email [dph.sick@illinois.gov](mailto:dph.sick@illinois.gov).

\*All data is provisional and will change.

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