

Situation Report #72: COVID-19

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Situation:

Case count as of 8:00 a.m. April 6, 2020				
Area	Case count	Change from yesterday	Deaths	Change from yesterday
Worldwide total	1,286,649	+59,350	70,333	+3,136
Europe	654,740	+25,669	49,948	+1,909
China	83,535	+112	3,331	+02
Middle East	107,911	+9,746	4,537	+377
Asia & Oceania	46,718	+3,737	1,018	+116
Africa	9,201	+815	428	+46
Latin America and Caribbean	33,229	+2,673	1,193	+124
North America	351,315	+16,598	9,878	+562
United States	335,803	+15,089	9,598	+515
Canada	15,512	+1,509	280	+47

- 309 new cases were reported today in Ontario, bringing the cumulative total to 4,347 (this includes 1,624 resolved cases and 132 deaths).
- In Ontario, a total of 78,796 people have been tested, with tests performed at Public Health Ontario Laboratories and non-Public Health Laboratories. There are currently 329 tests under investigation.
- 589 patients are currently hospitalized with COVID-19; 216 are in ICU; and 160 are in ICU on a ventilator.

Actions Taken:

- The Government of Ontario [announced](#) today a one-time financial assistance during school and child care closures.
- Public Health Ontario issued a [technical brief](#) today: IPAC Recommendations for Use of Personal Protective Equipment for Care of Individuals with Suspect or Confirmed COVID-19.
- All previously issued directives have now been uploaded to the ministry's [website](#).