

Situation Report #114: COVID-19

Ministry of Health | Health System Emergency Management Branch

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Situation:

Case count as of 8:00 a.m. May 18, 2020				
Area	Case count	Change from yesterday	Deaths	Change from yesterday
Worldwide total	4,827,371	+81,382	317,178	+3,409
Europe	1,792,541	+17,072	163,064	+1,075
China	82,954	+07	4,634	+01
Middle East	444,062	+9,883	12,483	+141
Asia & Oceania	291,914	+10,556	7,940	+264
Africa	86,922	+3,318	2,786	+55
Latin America and Caribbean	523,797	+19,376	29,501	+906
North America	1,605,181	+21,170	96,770	+967
United States	1,528,179	+20,032	90,988	+864
Canada	77,002	+1,138	5,782	+103

- 304 new cases were reported in Ontario today, bringing the cumulative case count to 22,957 (this includes 17,638 resolved cases and 1,904 deaths).
- In Ontario, a total of 553,981 tests have been completed, with tests performed at Public Health Ontario Laboratories and non-Public Health Laboratories. There are currently 2,189 tests under investigation.
- 972 patients are currently hospitalized with COVID-19; 174 are in ICU; and 133 are in ICU on a ventilator.

Actions Taken:

- The ministry continues to work on the revision of Directive #2 and related requirements to support the gradual restoration of health services. Please note that CMOH Directive #2 is still in effect. Providers are encouraged to continue planning and further details will be provided once confirmed.