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### Situation Report

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### Current Situation

- Cumulative daily count: cases – 187; hospitalizations – 52; deaths – 8 (current status. Definitive cause of death can take weeks to determine.)

Due to limitations with data available in the Ohio Disease Reporting System, which is used by local health departments, infection preventionists, healthcare facilities, laboratories, and the Ohio Department of Health (ODH) for capturing and reporting information regarding infectious diseases, the Lake County General Health District is only able to report a cumulative number of COVID-19 cases at this time. While there are some variables that could be used to indicate when individuals have recovered, the sources for this data differ for each case depending on at what stage of their illness they were diagnosed and the extent of their interaction with health care providers. The data are often incomplete or may not apply to all cases (e.g. hospital discharge information, which does not apply to the majority of cases and may indicate improvement, but not necessarily full recovery). Due to these inconsistencies, available data is not reliable for reporting currently active infections with accuracy.

### Health District Updates

- LCGHD continues to enforce the amended stay at home order, operate the Lake County COVID-19 hotline (440-350-2188) and covid19@lcghd.org email inbox, and perform seven day per week contact tracing activities.
- LCGHD has received 1,006 complaints to date regarding local business compliance to the stay at home order, with 722 complaints being received since March 30, 2020.
- Business owners may submit their questions about reopening to LCGHD at https://www.lcghd.org/2019-novel-coronavirus-ncov/. Business owners may expect a response within 48 hours of submission.
- LCGHD issued guidance documents for church services and farmer markets.
- LCGHD issued the news release entitled *Lake County General Health District Releases Guidance for Faith-based Organizations.*
- LCGHD received additional test kits for distribution to agencies that focus on the three priority areas (See Ohio COVID-19 Testing Priorities under “Additional Information” below). If your agency would like to obtain test kits for use with individuals comprising the three priority areas, or would like more information, please call Tara Perkins at (440) 488-0673.

Governor DeWine’s press conference on May 7, 2020 relayed the following information:

**Our Mission:** *Working to prevent disease, promote health, and protect our community*
• Reopening of the economy
  o Hospitals have expanded services as of May 1
  o Manufacturing and distribution businesses have reopened as of May 4
  o By May 12, virtually all retail facilities will open
    ▪ At this time, 89% of the Ohio economy will be reopened
  o Barbershops, hair salons, and day spas
    ▪ Scheduled reopening date of May 15
      • Appointment waiting periods may be limited to an individual’s car
      • Physical spacing recommendations will be documented
      • Masks will be recommended for customers, due to the close proximity necessary
  o Restaurants and bars
    ▪ Scheduled reopening date for outside dining is May 15, and inside dining is May 21
      • Parties of ten or less will be seated together
      • Distance between parties and/or barriers will be utilized
      • COVID-19 symptoms will be posted at establishment entryways
      • Some mask wearing exemptions will be made based on functionality (such as those employees working over a grill)
      • Emphasis on physical spacing of customers
  o To those less than 60 years of age without medical complications
    o Death rate is low, and the risk is not as high as those whom are older
    o Be careful for others who are more susceptible to serious COVID-19 complications
• Testing
  o More than 8,000 tests administered across the state of Ohio yesterday (5/6)
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