



Mason County COVID-19 Response

Daily Information Release

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"Stay Home, Limit Travel, Save Lives"

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COVID-19 KNOWN AS NOVEL CORONAVIRUS:

Mason County has twenty-three (23) confirmed cases of COVID-19 at the time of this release. Saturday, April 25, 2020 we had our first COVID-19 related death from Mason County.

100 days

A grim milestone

Yesterday marked 100 days since the first COVID-19 case in the United States was diagnosed in Washington, and the Washington State Department of Health, with our many partners, began our response to this global pandemic. This milestone got us thinking about other milestones related to this pandemic.

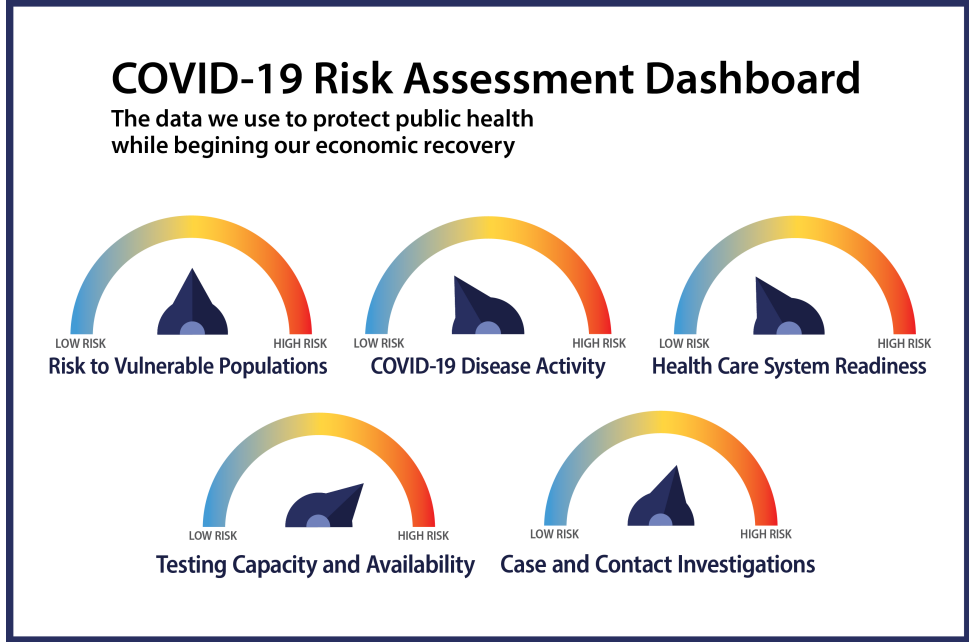
GOVERNOR JAY INSLEE:

Inslee issues guidance to clarify limits on elective surgeries

- Gov. Jay Inslee announced yesterday [additional guidance](#) for the existing order on limiting non-urgent medical procedures.
- Last month, the governor issued [Proclamation 20-24](#) to ensure appropriate surge capacity and personal protective equipment (PPE) in hospitals and other health care facilities to manage an influx of COVID-19 patients.

Inslee rolls out COVID-19 risk assessment dashboard with data

- The Governor's Office wants to keep Washingtonians healthy as we begin our recovery from COVID-19. To do that, we need to follow the science. Yesterday, the Governor's Office launched a dashboard of risk-assessment metrics that will be used to guide how and when parts of our economy are reopened. These dials will be updated weekly so we can see our progress as a state.



For access to this tool visit:

https://www.governor.wa.gov/sites/default/files/4_29_DataVisualizations.pdf

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT:

- Mason County’s website <http://www.co.mason.wa.us/COVID-19/index.php>
- WA State Department of Health’s website www.doh.wa.gov
- CDC’s website www.cdc.gov
- Mason County Public Health Information line 360-427-9670 ext. 599
- State Coronavirus Website: <https://coronavirus.wa.gov/>
- Governor Inslee’s Proclamations: <https://www.governor.wa.gov/office-governor/official-actions/proclamations>