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MICHIGAN

Weekly Cases: 2,088
Total Cases: 63,497
Weekly Deaths: 62
Total Deaths: 5,915

OHIO

Weekly Cases: 5,270
Total Cases: 47,524
Weekly Deaths: 108
Total Deaths: 2,575

INDIANA

Weekly Cases: 2,595
Total Cases: 45,228
Weekly Deaths: 69
Total Deaths: 2,432

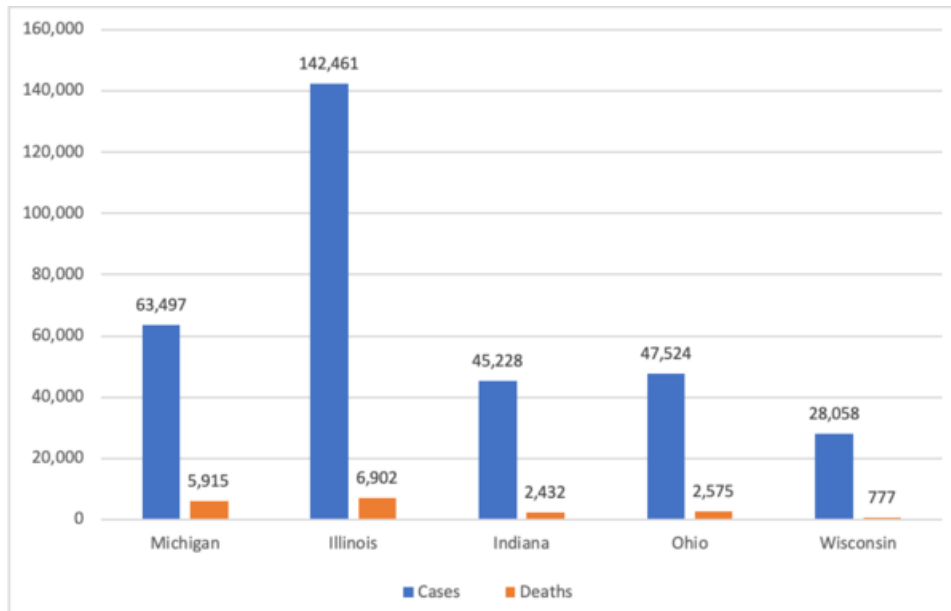
ILLINOIS

Weekly Cases: 5,237
Total Cases: 142,461
Weekly Deaths: 231
Total Deaths: 6,902

WISCONSIN

Weekly Cases: 2,990
Total Cases: 28,058
Weekly Deaths: 32
Total Deaths: 777

Statistics updated 06/29/2020



Governor Gretchen Whitmer issued six new Executive Orders (hyperlinks below with recent EOs):

- **Executive Order 2020-131** - Extends a previous order temporarily allowing e-signatures on official documents.

- **Executive Order 2020-132** - Continues to allow administrative hearings to be held by video conference or phone.
- **Executive Order 2020-133** - Allows professional sports to begin, without a live audience.
- **Executive Order 2020-134** - Extends the temporary suspension of evictions until July 15.
- **Executive Order 2020-135** - Creates the bipartisan Michigan Nursing Homes COVID-19 Preparedness Task Force.
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Governor Creates Task Force

Through executive order, Governor Whitmer created the Michigan Nursing Homes COVID-19 Preparedness Task Force. It has been charged with several tasks, including analyzing relevant data on the threat of COVID-19 in nursing homes, and making recommendations to the governor on improving data quality, and releasing periodic reports to the governor on its findings and recommendations. The task force must produce a recommendation to the governor for an action plan on how to prepare nursing homes for any future wave of COVID-19 cases by August 31, 2020.

MICHIGAN ARTICLES

As of this weekend, **85 positive cases** are directly linked to a single bar in East Lansing. [Click here to read more.](#)

A recent study out of **Norway** suggests that gyms are safe during the outbreak. [Click here to read more.](#)

Michigan Health officials are urging caution as the state continues to reopen and the possibility of another surge in cases increases. [Click here to read more.](#)

NATIONAL ARTICLES

The former director of the **Center for Disease Control** and the former director of the **U.S. Food and Drug Administration** said the spike in cases the country is experiencing is a result of the U.S. reopening too quickly. [Click here to read more.](#)

Dr. Fauci voiced concern over the weekend that if 30% of Americans refuse a COVID-19 vaccine, as a recent survey suggests, that the country would not reach the necessary herd immunity level. [Click here to read more.](#)

Companies are looking to find ways to make **elevators** safer during the pandemic. [Click here to read more.](#)

Description and Links to Governor Whitmer's Executive Orders Related to COVID-19:

We are sharing executive orders with you as they are announced. A complete list with links to each of the Executive Orders is [available here.](#)

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Additionally, the following website is a source for updated information from the administration: <https://www.michigan.gov/coronavirus/>

While these are very uncertain times, please know that the MLC Team is available to answer your questions. Additionally, we will provide regular updates as more information becomes available.

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