The Disaster Center is dedicated to the idea that disaster mitigation is cost effective and individuals pursuing their own interest are the greatest potential force for disaster reduction.

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When disaster mitigation is cost effective, we are on the road to bringing disasters to an end.



FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Wednesday, April 1, 2020

8:30 a.m. ET

National Current Operations & Monitoring



Significant Incidents or Threats:

- COVID-19
- Mixed Winter Precipitation Northwest to Upper Midwest

Declaration Activity:

- Requests: Major Disaster Declaration VA, IN, WI, AR
- Approval: Major Disaster Declaration OH, MT

COVID-19 Update



<u>Situation:</u> FEMA and HHS continue to work requirements supporting state, tribal, and territorial requests.

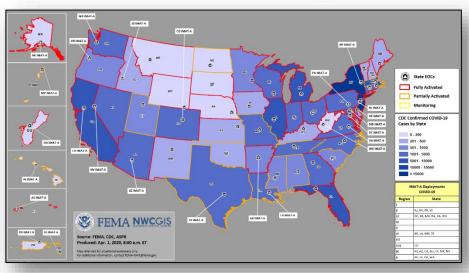
- All 50 states, the District of Columbia, 5 territories, and 16 tribal nations are working directly with FEMA under the nationwide emergency declaration (HHS/FEMA COVID-19 SLB, as of 5:00 p.m. ET Mar 29)
- FEMA is surging support to states seeing a steady increase of cases by using its
 Logistics Supply Chain Management System and working with HHS to deliver and track
 supplies and ventilators and expediting critical supplies from overseas to various U.S.
 locations
- FEMA is continuing to work with industry partners on distributing PPE; prioritizing sending ventilators and Federal Medical stations to areas in greatest need
- 30 (+6) states and 12 tribes have issued shelter-in-place orders (HHS/FEMA COVID-19 SLB, as
 of 5:00 p.m. ET Mar 31)

State / Local Response:

- · All State / Territories EOCs activated
- 4 additional Major Disaster Declaration requests were submitted (VA, IN, WI, and AR)
- National Guard Bureau: Title 32 Status Approved 14; Title 32 Status Requested 20 (HHS/FEMA COVID-19 SLB, as of 5:00 p.m. ET Mar 31)

FEMA / Federal Response:

- NRCC: Level I in unified effort with HHS SOC; All RRCCs activated
- 26 (+2) IMAT-As and 36 LNOs deployed
- USNS Comfort arrived in NYC Mar 30; USNS Mercy hospital ship is in Port of Long Beach, CA (HHS/FEMA COVID-19 SLB, as of 5:00 p.m. ET Mar 31)
- Dept. State posted Global Level 4 Health Advisory: Do Not Travel
- 29 (+2) Major Disaster Declarations approved and 11 (+2) Declarations in process
- · Eight task forces, jointly led by HHS and FEMA, continue work on assigned focus areas
- DoD will deploy two Navy Expeditionary Medical facilities; one each to TX and LA with approximately 200 medical personnel at each location (US Northern Command Update, as of 2:59 p.m. ET Mar 30)

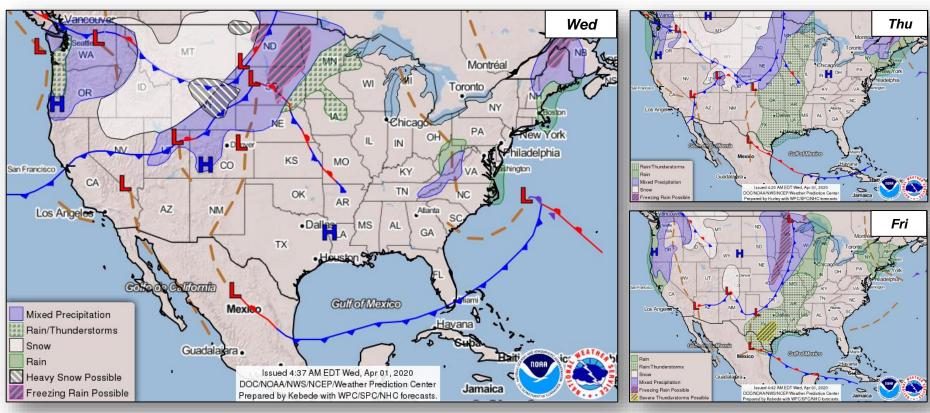


COVID-19 Cases	Confirmed	Deaths			
United States	188,142 (+24,618)	3,661 (+768)			
Worldwide	750,890 (+57,610)	36,405 (+3,301)			

(CDC Morning Report, as of 3:00 a.m. ET, Apr 1)

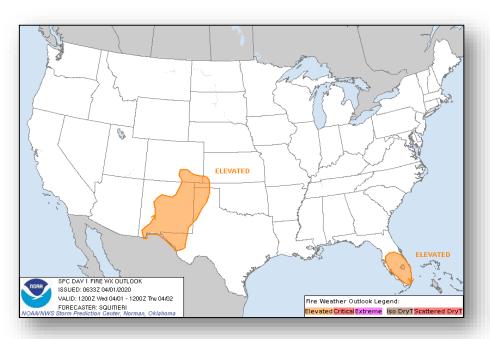
National Weather Forecast

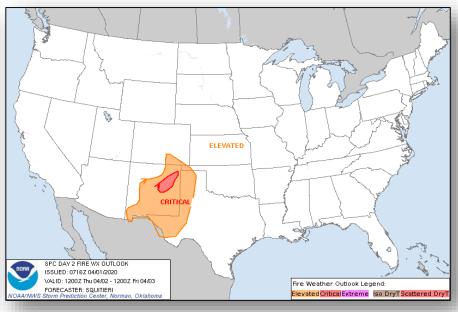




Fire Weather Outlook



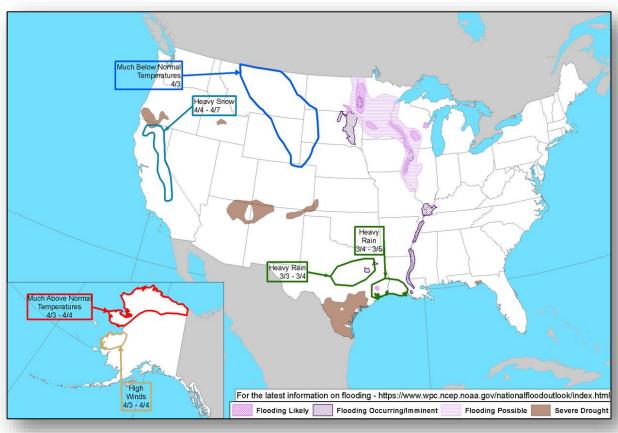




Today Tomorrow

Hazards Outlook – Apr 3-7





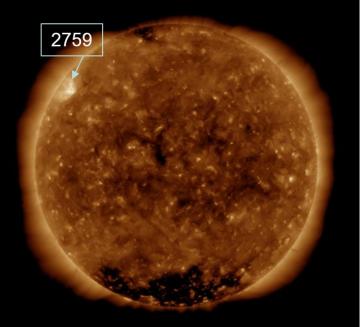


Space Weather Summary/Outlook



Space Weath	er Type	Past 48 Hours	Forecast: Apr 2	Forecast: Apr 3
Solar Flare Radio Blackout	(R Scale)	None	R1-R2: 1% R3-R5: 1%	R1-R2: 1% R3-R5: 1%
Solar Radiation Storms	(S Scale)	None	S1 or > 1%	S1 or > 1%
Geomagnetic Storms	(G Scale)	None	None	None

- Quiet across the R, S, and G scales
- Sunspot Region 2759; weak and very low solar activity expected
- Severe or extreme activity very unlikely at this time



Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Dogion	State /	Event		Number of Counties		Start – End	
Region Location	Event	IA/PA	Requested	Completed	Start – End		
		Severe weather, flooding, tornadoes and	IA	0	0	N/A	
IV GA	straight-line winds Mar 3-5	PA	34	29 (+9)	3/23 – TBD		

Declaration Approved

Declaration: Major Disaster FEMA-4507-DR-OH

Requested: Mar 28

Approved: Mar 31

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: Jan 20, 2020 and continuing

Provides:

IA: Under review

PA: Emergency protective measures (Category B)
not authorized under other Federal statutes, including
direct federal assistance at 75 percent federal funding
statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Under review

FCO: James K. Joseph







Declaration Approved

Declaration: Major Disaster FEMA-4508-DR-MT

Requested: Mar 27

Approved: Mar 31

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: Jan 20 and continuing

Provides:

IA: Under review

PA: Emergency protective measures (Category B)
not authorized under other Federal statutes, including
direct federal assistance at 75 percent federal funding
statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Under review

FCO: Lee K. dePalo





PA

Declaration: Major Disaster – Commonwealth of Virginia

Requested: Mar 26

Incident: COVID-19

Incident Period: Jan 20 and continuing

Includes:

• IA: (All programs) statewide

 PA: Emergency protective measures (Category B), including direct Federal assistance, and Transitional Sheltering Assistance statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide





📕 IA & PA

Declaration: Major Disaster – Arkansas

Requested: Mar 30

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: Jan 20 and continuing

Includes:

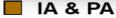
• IA: (Crisis Counseling Program) statewide

 PA: Emergency protective measures (Category B), including direct Federal assistance, statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide







Declaration: Major Disaster – Indiana

Requested: Mar 29

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: Mar 30 and continuing

Includes:

• IA: (All programs) statewide

 PA: Emergency protective measures (Category B), including direct Federal assistance, statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide





IA & PA

Declaration: Major Disaster – Wisconsin

Requested: Mar 31

Incident: COVID-19 Pandemic

Incident Period: Mar 20 and continuing

Includes:

IA: (Crisis Counseling Program) statewide

 PA: Emergency protective measures (Category B), including direct Federal assistance, statewide

Hazard Mitigation: Statewide







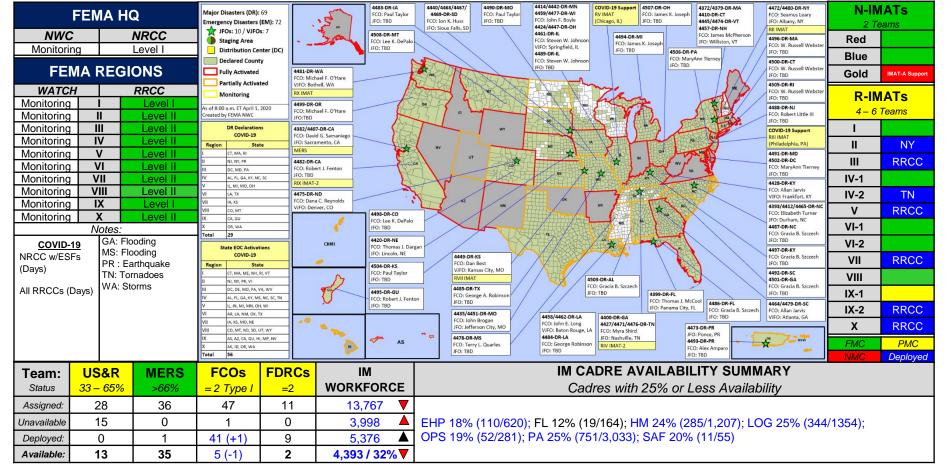
Declaration Requests in Process – 17



State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	НМ	Requested
TX – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes	DR		Х	Х	Jan 13
AR – Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, and Tornadoes (Appeal)	DR		Х	Х	Feb 20
OR – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	Χ	Х	Х	Mar 9
MS – Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR		Х	Х	Mar 17
KY - Severe Storms, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	Χ	Х	Х	Mar 26
WA – Severe Winter Storms, Straight-line Winds, Flooding, Landslides, and Mudslides	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 25
CNMI – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 23
OH – COVID-19 Pandemic - APPROVED (Mar 31)	DR		Х		Mar 28
MT - COVID-19 Pandemic - APPROVED (Mar 31)	DR		Х		Mar 27
ND – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 27
TN - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 29
HI – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 30
WV - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 30
NH – COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 30
USVI - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Х	Х	Х	Mar 30
VA - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Χ	Χ	X	Mar 30
AR - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	Х	X	Mar 30
IN - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	X	Х	Х	Mar 30
WI - COVID-19 Pandemic	DR	Χ	X	Χ	Mar 31

FEMA Common Operating Picture







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