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.
Significant Incidents or Threats:
• COVID-19
• Enhanced risk of severe thunderstorms – Texas and the Mississippi, Ohio, and Tennessee valleys
• Heavy rain and Flash Flooding possible – southern California

Declaration Activity:
• Request: Major Disaster Declaration – Idaho
• Approval: Major Disaster – FEMA-DR-4531-Minnesota
COVID-19 Update

**Situation:** FEMA, HHS, and federal partners are working with state, local, tribe, and territorial governments to execute a whole-of-America response to the COVID-19 pandemic. The federal government is coordinating the deployment of PPE and ventilators from multiple sources including SNS, donations, and vendor procurements. These shipments are being sent nationwide with prioritization given to areas in greatest need.

**State / Local Response:** (COVID-19 SLB, 5:00 pm ET Apr 7)
- All State / Territory EOCs activated
- 42 (+2) states, D.C., 4 territories and 24 tribes issued shelter-in-place orders
- National Guard Bureau
  - Title 32 Status approved: 24
  - Title 32 Status requested: 24 (+1)

**FEMA / Federal Response:** (COVID-19 SLB, 5:00 p.m. ET Apr 7)
- NRCC: Level I in unified effort with HHS SOC; all RRCCs activated
- IMAT-A teams deployed to 26 states; 37 LNOs deployed to state, territories, and tribes
- NYC: Javits Center currently with 57/665 beds filled; 1/41 beds with ventilators filled; 4/48 ICU beds filled; 70 patients seen
- USNS Comfort 41(+26) /920 beds filled; 18 (+4) /80 ICU beds filled; 61 (+23) patients seen
- USNS Mercy 9/920 beds filled; 3/80 (+1) ICU beds filled; 25 (+3) patients seen
- 51 (+1) Major Disaster Declarations approved and 3 Disaster Declarations in process
- Eight task forces, jointly led by HHS and FEMA, continue work on assigned focus areas

**COVID-19 Cases**

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<td>United States</td>
<td>397,573 (+29,138)</td>
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<td>1,279,722 (+68,766)</td>
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*(COVID-19 Response update, as of 3:00 a.m. ET, Apr 8)*
National Weather Forecast
Severe Weather Outlook
Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall

Wed - Fri
Hazards Outlook – Apr 10-14
Declaration Request

**Declaration:** Major Disaster – Idaho  
**Requested:** Apr 6

**Incident:** COVID-19 Pandemic  
**Incident Period:** Jan 20 and continuing

**Includes:**  
- **IA:** Crisis Counseling, Disaster Unemployment Assistance, Disaster Legal Services, and Disaster Case Management  
- **PA:** Emergency protective measures (Category B), including direct Federal assistance, statewide  
- **Hazard Mitigation:** Statewide
Declaration Approved

Declaration: Major Disaster Declaration FEMA - 4531-DR-MN for Minnesota
Requested: Apr 4

Approved: Apr 7
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, under the Public Assistance program at 75 percent federal funding for all areas in the State of Minnesota
• Hazard Mitigation: Under review

FCO: James K. Joseph
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**Declaration Requests in Process – 4**

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IM cadre availability summary

Cadres with 25% or less availability

ADR 12% (5/43); EHP 17% (106/618); FL 12% (19/160); FM 23% (60/264); HM 22% (268/1,219); OPS 18% (51/283); PA 25% (768/3,046); PLAN 22% (93/422); SAF 19% (10/54)

**N-MRAT**
- **Red**
- **Blue**
- **Gold**

**R-MRATs**
- **4 – 6 teams**
- **I**
- **II**
- **NY**
- **III**
- **RRCC**
- **IV-1**
- **IV-2**
- **TN**
- **V**
- **RRCC**
- **VI-1**
- **VI-2**
- **RRCC**
- **VII**
- **RRCC**
- **IX**
- **RRCC**
- **X**
- **RRCC**
- **FMC**
- **PMC**
- **NMC**
- **Deployed**

**FEMA Common Operating Picture**

**Notes:**
- COVID-19
- NRCC w/ESFs (Days)
- All RRCCs (Days)
- All EOCs activated for COVID-19

**Team:**
- US&R: 33 – 65%
- MERS: >66%
- FCOs ≤1 Type I
- FDRCs =2

**IM WORKFORCE**
- 13,460
- 3,169
- 5,579
- 4,712 / 35%
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