

# Situation Report #78: COVID-19

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## Situation:

| Case count as of 8:00 a.m. April 12, 2020 |                  |                       |                |                       |
|---|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Area                                      | Case count       | Change from yesterday | Deaths         | Change from yesterday |
| <b>Worldwide total</b>                    | <b>1,786,599</b> | <b>+81,811</b>        | <b>109,179</b> | <b>+6,224</b>         |
| Europe                                    | 857,917          | +33,685               | 73,952         | +3,654                |
| China                                     | 84,176           | +148                  | 3,339          | 0                     |
| Middle East                               | 151,854          | +8,950                | 5,794          | +242                  |
| Asia & Oceania                            | 62,612           | +3,432                | 1,627          | +185                  |
| Africa                                    | 13,639           | +694                  | 744            | +51                   |
| Latin America and Caribbean               | 59,581           | +2,626                | 2,522          | +163                  |
| North America                             | 556,820          | +32,276               | 21,201         | +1,929                |
| <b>United States</b>                      | 533,502          | +31,106               | 20,548         | +1,845                |
| <b>Canada</b>                             | 23,318           | +1,170                | 653            | +84                   |

- 401 new cases were reported today in Ontario, bringing the cumulative total to 7,049 (this includes 3,121 resolved cases and 274 deaths).
- In Ontario, a total of 103,165 people have been tested, with tests performed at Public Health Ontario Laboratories and non-Public Health Laboratories. There are currently 1,619 tests under investigation.
- 738 patients are currently hospitalized with COVID-19; 261 are in ICU; and 196 are in ICU on a ventilator.

## Actions Taken:

- The Ministry has updated the [guidance document](#) for Consumption and Treatment Services sites.
- Thousands of businesses and private citizens have [stepped up](#) and offered to help the Ontario government defeat COVID-19. More than 7,500 emergency supply submissions have generated nearly \$90 million in purchases of critical equipment and supplies.