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# **FEMA Daily Operations Briefing**Thursday, April 30, 2020 8:30 a.m. ET

# National Current Operations & Monitoring



### Significant Incidents or Threats:

- COVID-19
- Heavy Rain Eastern US
- Possible Flash Flooding Mid Atlantic

Declaration Activity: None

# COVID-19 Update



<u>Situation:</u> FEMA, HHS, and federal partners are working with our state, local, tribal, and territorial governments to execute a whole-of-America response to the COVID-19 pandemic. The President released Guidelines for Opening American Up Again and the Federal Government is continuing to work with governors across the country to ensure they have the equipment, supplies, and testing resources they need to reopen safely and responsibly. The HHS Secretary issued a renewal of the January 31 COVID-19 Public Health Emergency Declaration for 90 days.

- · FEMA NRCC remains at Level I in unified effort with HHS SOC; all FEMA RRCCs activated
- · FEMA IMAT-A teams deployed to 27 states/territories; LNOs deployed to 37 states/territories
- · 56 major disaster declarations approved; All State / Territory EOCs activated
- 47,211 FEMA, DOD, HHS, VA and CDC personnel deployed/activated in support of COVID-19 response
   3,153 (+5) FEMA Employees deployed in support of COVID-19 response
- Testing: 5,883,403 (+253,991) cumulative as of Apr 29

### **Operational Task Forces**

### Community Based Testing Sites (CBTS)

- Continuing development of COVID Responder to further support supply chain for all test sites
- Messaging on CBTS 2.0 pending White House approval

### Supply Chain Stabilization

- Three flights carrying 2.4M FEMA procured N95s arrived in New York City, NY, Chicago, IL, and Washington, D.C.; this will bring the total received masks to 27.1M of the 55M currently scheduled for shipment
- Briefed White House representatives and leadership from SCTF, Joint Acquisition Task Force (JAFT), and HHS on 90 day Comprehensive Demand Estimates for five key PPE items (gloves, face mask, face shield/goggles, N95, and gowns); in support of JAFT / HHS acquisition efforts, SCTF will model projections over the next 12 months that includes additional SNS supplies

### Community Mitigation Measures

Met with EPA on sewage surveillance activities and release of Cleaning and Disinfection Guidance on April 29

### Data and Analysis

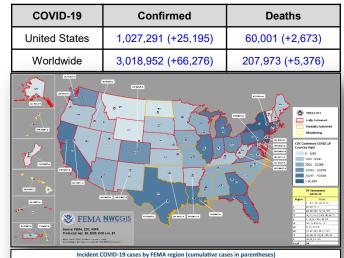
 Integrating lab data from the Indian Health Service (IHS); data will be available on HHS Protect for analysis and visualization; expected April 30

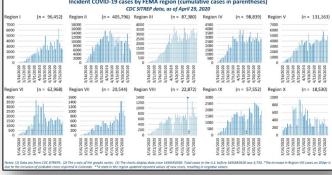
### Health and Medical Lifelines

### Public Health

• FEMA Region I: Diagnostic nasal swabs are now required for all pregnant patients admitted for delivery at state maternity care facilities throughout the region

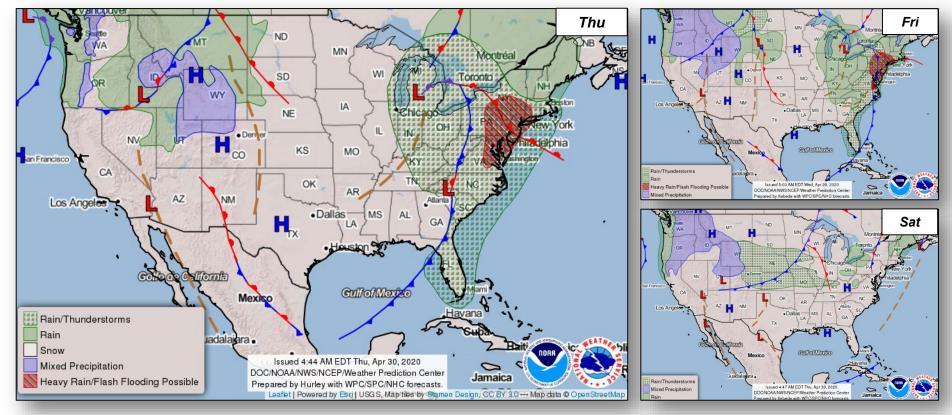
(FEMA SLB COVID-19, Apr 29)





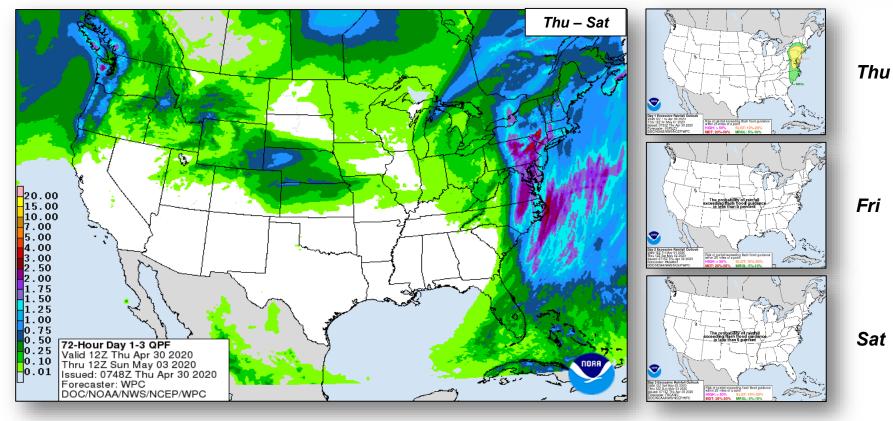
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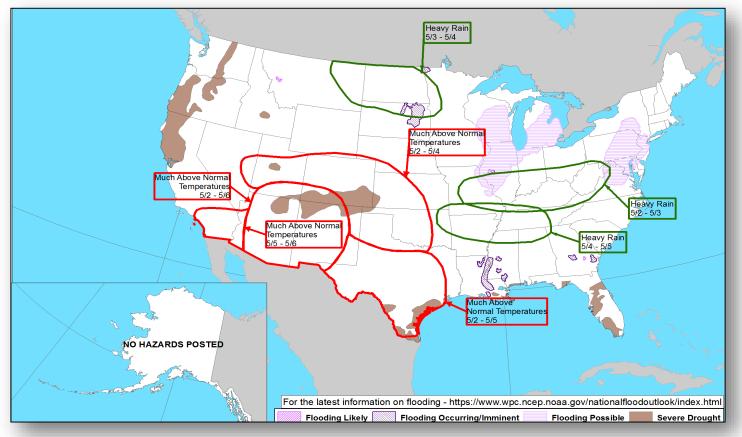
# Precipitation & Excessive Rainfall





# Hazards Outlook – May 2-6

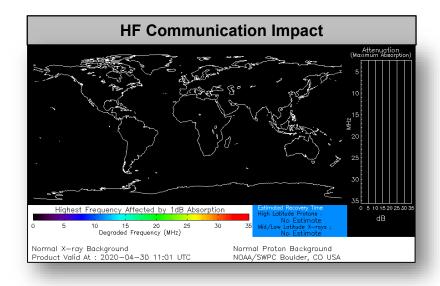


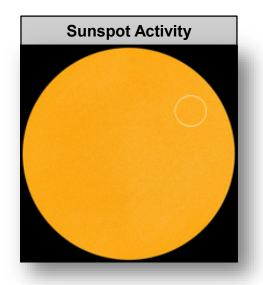


# Space Weather



	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Radio Blackouts				
Past 24 Hours	None	None	None	None			
Next 24 Hours	None	None	None	None			
For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to: <u>http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation</u>							





# Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



Decien	State /	Event	IA/PA	Number of	Start – End		
Region Location	Location	Event	IA/PA	Requested	Completed	Start – Enu	
11/		Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line	IA	9	9	4/21 – 4/24	
IV SC	Winds; Apr 12-13	PA	8	0	4/23 – TBD		

# COVID-19 Declaration Requests in Process – 1



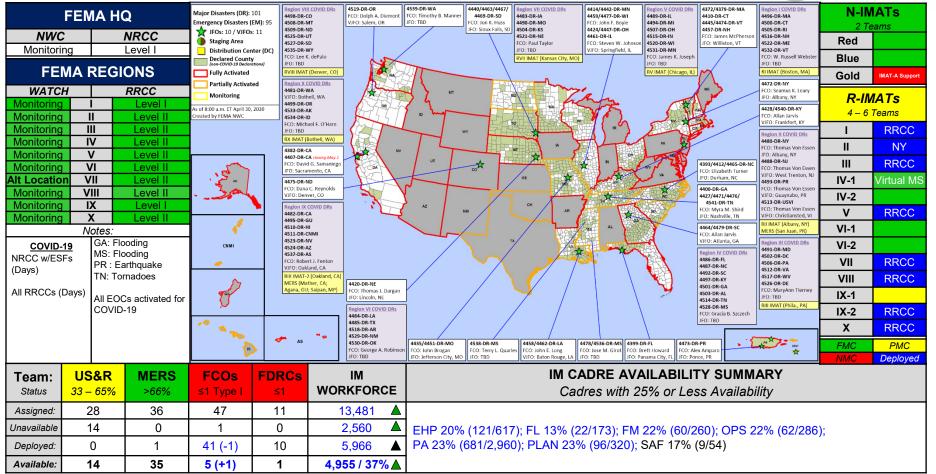
State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Туре	IA	PA	нм	Requested
STOF (Seminole Tribe of Florida) – COVID-19	DR	Х	Х	Х	Apr 22

## Declaration Requests in Process – 8

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description		IA	PA	НМ	Requested
AK – Fire	DR		Х	Х	Apr 7
NC – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Apr 9
SC – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line Winds	DR	Х	Х	Х	Apr 18
GA – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line Winds	DR	Х		Х	Apr 22
LA – Severe Storms and Tornadoes		Х		Х	Apr 24
AR – Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Straight-line Winds	DR	Х	Х	Х	Apr 24
AL – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Apr 25
HI – Severe Storms and Flooding	DR		Х	Х	Apr 27

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